





**Item 9. Other Events**

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Attached is the full Press Release of Vitarich Corporation.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Regulation Code, the Issuer has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Registrant - **VITARICH CORPORATION**

By:



**ATTY. MARY CHRISTINE DABU-PEPITO**  
Assistant Corporate Secretary, Corporate  
Information Officer and Compliance Officer

Date: October 13, 2022

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“These past two years were challenging but I’ve been blessed with a supportive team,” said Rocco Sarmiento, President and CEO. “VITA has a clear focus on providing safe, nutritious, and sufficient food for the Filipino. Winning this award is a reflection of our management-led policies, processes, and procedures that empower our organization to deliver business results and strengthen our environment, social and governance practices. I thank our team for their hard work and commitment, and the Asia CEO Awards for giving us this honor, and I congratulate the other awardees.”

The Executive Leadership Team of the Year is awarded to the best leadership team that has achieved important success while overseeing a business enterprise within the Philippines or abroad. The team demonstrated exceptional leadership skills resulting in the maximization of stakeholders’ values. Judging criteria includes Leadership and Governance, Financial Contribution, Pioneering Achievements, Recognition, and Social Commitment.



Asia CEO Awards recognizes outstanding achievements that have made a positive contribution to the development of the economic capacity and international reputation of the Philippines. More than 400 nominations were submitted this year from individuals and organizations of all sizes and across sectors—public and private, large and small. Nominations were received and reviewed by PwC Philippines, the official knowledge partner. Award winners were selected by a panel of business leaders serving as judges. For more information on Asia CEO Awards, visit [asia-ceo-awards.org](http://asia-ceo-awards.org)

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#### ABOUT VITARICH CORPORATION

Vitarich Corporation (PSE: VITA) is a pioneer, agribusiness partner, and leader in the animal feeds industry in the Philippines. Recognized with international standards for sanitation, food safety, and quality, VITA operates in three primary industry segments: feeds, foods, and farms—forging livelihood and nourishing lives. For more information, visit [www.vitarich.com](http://www.vitarich.com) or contact [ir@vitarich.com](mailto:ir@vitarich.com)