### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION SEC FORM 17-C

# CURRENT REPORT UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE AND SRC RULE 17.2(c) THEREUNDER

1. Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Feb 24, 2025

2. SEC Identification Number

1746

3. BIR Tax Identification No.

000-126-853-000

4. Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter

STI Education Systems Holdings, Inc.

5. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation

**Philippines** 

6. Industry Classification Code(SEC Use Only)

7. Address of principal office

7th Floor, STI Holdings Center, 6764 Ayala Avenue, Makati City Postal Code 1226

8. Issuer's telephone number, including area code

0288449553

9. Former name or former address, if changed since last report

10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding	
Common	9,904,806,924	

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein

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## PSE Disclosure Form 4-13 - Clarification of News Reports References: SRC Rule 17 (SEC Form 17-C) and Section 4.4 of the Revised Disclosure Rules

#### Subject of the Disclosure

Clarification on News article "STI to build more schools, boost growth" posted in Manila Standard (Online Edition) on February 23, 2025.

Source	Manila Standard (Online Edition)	
Subject of News Report	vs Report "STI to build more schools, boost growth"	
Date of Publication	Feb 23, 2025	

#### **Clarification of News Report**

We write with respect to the attached news article entitled "STI to build more schools, boost growth" posted in manilastandard.net on February 23, 2025. It was reported in part that:

"STI Education Systems Holdings Inc. (STI) said over the weekend it plans to continue building campuses to take advantage of its growth.

STI chairman Eusebio Tanco said its education business is poised to expand its school network, having achieved economies of scale and making the business profitable.

. . . .

Tanco said the company's success came from its business model, which required significant investment.

'That sweet spot is because of the model. We spent a lot on the model. I think the challenge on STI right now is capacity. We just have to build more capacity. Build more schools,' he said.

He also noted that STI is open to acquisition opportunities.

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In connection with the foregoing news article, STI Education Systems Holdings, Inc. ("STI ESH") confirms the statements contained in the news article quoted above. The statements contained in said news article are also the subject of the disclosure on the results of operations of STI ESH for the quarter ended 31 December 2024 (SEC Form 17-Q) which was filed on 19 February 2024 and the Press Release filed today, 24 February 2025.

With respect to acquisition opportunities, these are an option for STI ESH and its subsidiaries. Any acquisition of schools will be disclosed upon the execution of definitive agreements.

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