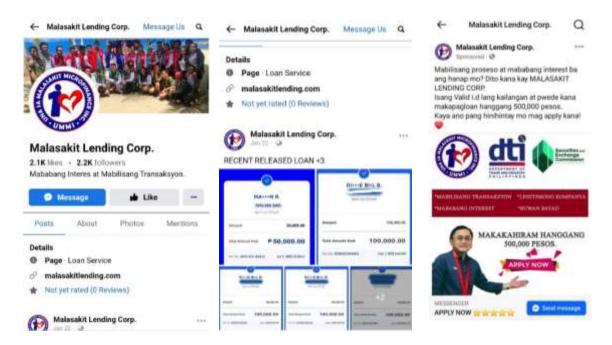




ENFORCEMENT AND INVESTOR PROTECTION DEPARTMENT/ FINANCING AND LENDING COMPANIES DIVISION

SEC ADVISORY

The Commission issues this Advisory based on the information it received that individuals or groups representing MALASAKIT LENDING CORPORATION / UNA SA MALASAKIT MICROFINANCE INC. are enticing the public to apply for loans through their Facebook page. MALASAKIT LENDING CORPORATION / UNA SA MALASAKIT MICROFINANCE INC. has been inviting the public to seek loan assistance by posting screenshots on its Facebook page of recently released loans and referencing political figures, including the Hon. Sen. Christopher Lawrence "Bong" Tesoro Go.



After coordinating and seeking confirmation with the Office of the Hon. Sen. Bong Go, the Commission hereby declares and notifies the public that the Hon. Sen. Bong Go is not connected to or affiliated with MALASAKIT LENDING CORPORATION / UNA SA MALASAKIT MICROFINANCE INC. Furthermore, Hon. Sen. Bong Go has not authorized MALASAKIT LENDING CORPORATION / UNA SA MALASAKIT MICROFINANCE INC. to use his photos as part of its marketing or advertising strategy.

The public is forewarned to deal cautiously with any entities making such claims.

For the information and guidance of the public. Makati City, 16 May 2024.