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ECONOMIC INDICATORS

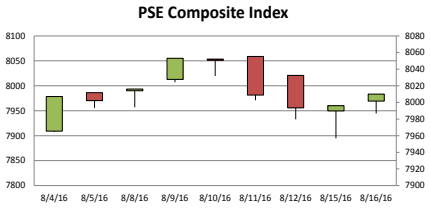
6.9 — Q1 2016 Gross Domestic Product

1.90 — July 2016 Inflation Rate

- 5.7 — Q1 2016 Consumer Confidence

7.5 — Q1 2016 Auto-buying Intention

46.24 — Daily Peso – Dollar Exchange Rate



GLOBAL WATCHLIST

German investor morale recovers from Brexit shock

The mood among German analysts and investors improved slightly in August, a key survey has showed. As Sonia Legg reports, it regained some of the ground it lost last month following Britain's vote to leave the European Union.

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MACROECONOMIC SNAPSHOT

Fitch unit says uncertainty weighs on farms

Uncertainties persist for the Philippines' agriculture sector given currently unclear state plans to boost production, BMI Research said in an August 10 report released yesterday.

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Trade, Finance departments begin review of fiscal incentives

The department of Trade and Industry (DTI) wants to keep and possibly extend the current four years of income tax holiday granted to export firms setting up shop in the Philippines, as the government works to rationalize fiscal perks for companies.

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FINANCIAL TRENDS

T-bonds fetch higher yields

Treasury bond yields rose at yesterday's auction due to strong demand from investors. Reissued seven-year T-bonds, with a remaining life of six years and eight months, fetched an average rate of 3.186 percent, up 17 basis points from the previous offer last month.

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INDUSTRY NEWS

IPC sets up dedicated truck service center

If you're an owner of an Isuzu truck that is scheduled for preventive maintenance or repair, your only option is to wait for experts at Isuzu Philippines Corp. (IPC) to drop by your office to perform the necessary servicing.

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INTERNATIONAL

Indonesian Car Market Revving Up Again

At a thronging auto show on Jakarta's outskirts, the man in charge of selling Hondas to Indonesian drivers is buoyant: consumers are shopping for cars again, breathing life back into southeast Asia's largest market after two bruising years.

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