



Republic of the Philippines
Supreme Court
Office of the Court Administrator
Manila

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 142-2010

TO : THE COURT OF APPEALS,
SANDIGANBAYAN, COURT OF TAX
APPEALS, REGIONAL TRIAL COURTS,
SHARI'A DISTRICT COURTS,
METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURTS,
MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS IN CITIES,
MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS, MUNICIPAL
CIRCUIT TRIAL COURTS, SHARI'A CIRCUIT
COURTS, THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF STATE
PROSECUTOR, PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S
OFFICE AND THE INTEGRATED BAR OF THE
PHILIPPINES

SUBJECT: DISBARMENT OF ATTY. RICARDO G.
BARRIOS, JR.

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder are portions of the Decision of the Court *En Banc* dated 15 March 2010, in Administrative Case No. 4973, entitled "**Spouses Manuel C. Rafols, Jr. and Lolita B. Rafols vs. Atty. Ricardo G. Barrios, Jr.**", to wit:

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"Ruling of the Court

We approve and adopt the report and recommendations of the OBC, which we find to be fully and competently supported by the evidence adduced by the complainants and their witnesses, but we impose the supreme penalty of disbarment, which we believe is the proper penalty.

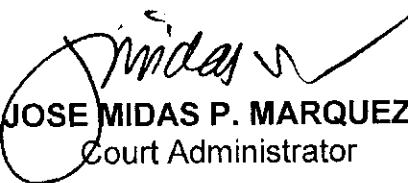
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
"WHEREFORE, Atty. Ricardo G. Barrios, Jr. is disbarred.

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In the Resolution of the Court *En Banc* dated 29 June 2010, the Court Resolved to **DENY WITH FINALITY** the motion for reconsideration dated 7 May 2010 filed by counsel for respondent, as the basic issues raised therein

October 8, 2010.


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator


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