



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 37-2013

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: SUSPENSION FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW
FOR ONE (1) YEAR OF ATTY. RODOLFO T.
GALING

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Decision of the Second Division dated 16 November 2011, in A.C. No. 6174, entitled "**Lydia Castro-Justo vs. Atty. Rodolfo T. Galing,**" to wit:

Accordingly, the Court resolved to **SUSPEND** Atty. Rodolfo T. Galing from the practice of law for one (1) year, with a **WARNING** that a repetition of the same or similar offense will warrant a more severe penalty. Let copies of this Decision be furnished all courts, the Office of the Bar Confidant and the Integrated Bar of the Philippines for their information and guidance. The Office of the Bar Confidant is directed to append a copy of this Decision to respondent's record as member of the Bar.

Respondent did not file any motion for reconsideration thereof despite receipt of the said decision on 29 November 2011 per Registry Return Receipt No. 556.

6 March 2013


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator