

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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 240-2017

TO

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

SUBJECT:

SUSPENSION OF ATTY. MARIE FRANCES E. RAMON FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR ONE (1) YEAR

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Resolution dated 3 July 2017 of the Third Division in Administrative Case No. 10250, entitled "Wilhelmina B. Buere v. Atty. Marie Frances E. Ramon," to wit:

WHEREFORE, Atty. Marie Frances E. Ramon is found guilty of violating Rule 1.01 of Canon 1 and Rule 6.02 of Canon 6 of the Code of Professional Responsibility and is hereby SUSPENDED from the practice of law for a period of one (1) year, effective upon her receipt of the Resolution. Atty. Ramon is also ordered to return the amount of Thirty Thousand Pesos (\$\mathbb{P}\$30,000.00) to complainant within thirty (30) days from receipt of this Resolution.

Respondent received a copy of the aforesaid Resolution on 30 August 2017.

<u>21</u> December 2017

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