



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 129-2018

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

SUBJECT: SUSPENSION OF ATTY. RONALDO ANTONIO
V. CALAYAN FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW
FOR TWO (2) YEARS

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Decision dated 10 January 2018 of the Court *En Banc* in Administrative Case No. 8208, entitled "Ret. Judge Virgilio Alpajora v. Atty. Ronaldo Antonio V. Calayan," to wit:

WHEREFORE, the Court **ADOPTS** and **APPROVES** the Resolution of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines - Board of Governors dated September 28, 2013. Accordingly, Atty. Ronaldo Antonio V. Calayan is found **GUILTY** of violating The Lawyer's Oath and The Code of Professional Responsibility and he is hereby ordered **SUSPENDED** from the practice of law for two (2) years, with **STERN WARNING** that a repetition of the same or a similar offense will warrant the imposition of a more severe penalty.

Per Registry Return Receipt No. 8981, respondent received a copy of the aforesaid Decision on 8 February 2018. To date, respondent has not filed a motion for reconsideration.

20 June 2018


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator