

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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 207-2019

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 SHARI'A CIRCUIT COURTS, COURTS, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF STATE PROSECUTOR. **PUBLIC** ATTORNEY'S **OFFICE** AND INTEGRATED BAR OF THE PHILIPPINES

SUBJECT:

SUSPENSION OF ATTY. JOSE MARIO ELINO T. TAN FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR THREE (3) MONTHS

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Resolution dated 1 April 2019 of the First Division in Administrative Case No. 12141, entitled "Don Vicente C. Real, Complainant vs. Atty. Jose Mario Elino T. Tan," to wit:

WHEREFORE, the Court FINDS ATTY. JOSE MARIO ELINO T. TAN GUILTY of violating Canons 17 and 18 of the *Code of Professional Responsibility* and SUSPENDS him from the practice of law for a period of three (3) months.

Let copies of this resolution be included in the personal records of Atty. Jose Mario Elino T. Tan and entered in his file in the Office of the Bar Confidant, and be disseminated to all lower courts by the Office of the Court Administrator, as well as to the Integrated Bar of the Philippines, for their information and guidance.

Per Registry Return Receipt No. 51267, respondent received a copy of the aforesaid Resolution on 26 June 2019.

<u>07</u> November 2019

JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator

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