

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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 73-2020

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

SUBJECT

: LIFTING OF SUSPENSION FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW OF ATTY. ANGELITO R. VILLARIN

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Resolution dated 20 January 2020 of the First Division in A.C. No. 10542, titled "Spouses Danilo and Teresita Nubla vs. Atty. Angelito R, Villarin," to wit:

Considering the respondent's motion suspension dated November 4, 2019, informing the Court that he received the copy of the Resolution dated September 26, 2018 on February 15, 2019 and from the said date, he did not engage in the practice of law, neither did he appear in court nor sign any pleading during the period of his suspension for six (6) months; and attaching therewith certifications from the Integrated Bar of the Philippines Rizal Chapter and lower courts of Angeles City, Antipolo City, City of Bacoor, Cainta, Rizal, Caloocan City, Las Piñas City, Makati City, Malolos City, City of Manila, Pasay City, Pasig City, Quezon City, San Mateo, Rizal, Taguig City, Taytay, Rizal and Trece Martirez City, all stating that respondent did not practice law and that he has neither appeared nor filed any pleading in court from February 15, 2019 to August 15, 2019, the Court resolves:

(1) to *GRANT* the aforesaid respondent's motion to lift suspension; and

(2) to *LIFT* the order of respondent's suspension from the practice of law and *ALLOW* him to *RESUME* his legal profession.

The Report dated December 12, 2019 of the Office of the Bar Confidant is *NOTED*.

06 March 2020

RAUL BAUTISTA VILLANUEVA
Deputy Court Administrator

and

Officer-in-Charge

Office of the Court Administrator (Per Office Order No. 04-2020 dated 26 February 2020)

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