



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 10-2018

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. ROLANDO V. ZUBIRI
FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR THREE (3)
MONTHS

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Decision dated 19 June 2017 of the First Division in Administrative Case No. 11600, entitled "Romulo De Mesa Festin v. Atty. Rolando V. Zubiri," to wit:

WHEREFORE, respondent Atty. Rolando V. Zubiri (respondent) is found GUILTY of violating Canon 1, Canon 8, and Rule 10.03, Canon 10 of the Code of Professional Responsibility. Accordingly, he is SUSPENDED from the practice of law for three (3) months effective from the finality of this Decision, and is STERNLY WARNED that a repetition of the same or similar act shall be dealt with more severely.

As stated in his manifestation with motion dated 24 November 2017, respondent received a copy of this Decision on 8 August 2017.

17 January 2018


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator