



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 197-2019

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. CORAZON C. CHAVEZ
FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR SIX (6)
MONTHS

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Resolution dated 26 June 2019 of the Second Division in Administrative Case No. 11506, entitled "Lorenza Vasquez vs. Atty. Corazon C. Chavez," to wit:

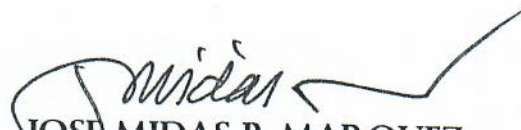
WHEREFORE, finding the recommendation of the Board of Governors of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines to be fully supported by the evidence on record and applicable laws, the Court RESOLVES to SUSPEND Atty. Corazon C. Chavez from the practice of law for a period of six (6) months to commence immediately upon receipt of this Resolution for violation of Rules 1.01 and 7.03 of the Code of Professional Responsibility.

Atty. Chavez is DIRECTED to report within five (5) days from notice the date of his receipt of this Resolution to enable this Court to determine when his suspension shall take effect.

Let a copy of this Resolution be entered in Atty. Chavez's record as a member of the Bar, and notice served on the Integrated Bar of the Philippines and on the Office of the Court Administrator for circulation to all courts in the country.

As per Registry Return Receipt No. 78746, respondent received a copy of the aforesaid Resolution on 4 September 2019.

17 October 2019


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator