



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 105-2020

TO : THE COURT OF APPEALS, SANDIGANBAYAN, COURT OF TAX APPEALS, REGIONAL TRIAL COURTS, SHARÍA DISTRICT COURTS, METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURTS, MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS IN CITIES, MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS, MUNICIPAL CIRCUIT TRIAL COURTS, SHARÍA CIRCUIT COURTS, THE 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. BERARDO C. FAUNDO, JR.

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Resolution dated 19 February 2020 of the Special First Division in A.C. No. 10145, titled "Oliver Fabugais vs. Atty. Berardo C. Faundo, Jr." to wit:

The Court resolves to *NOTE* the following:

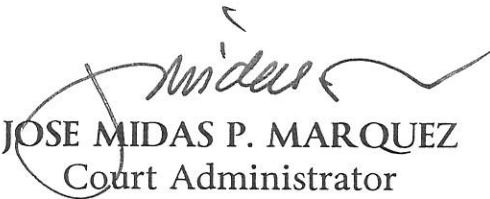
- (1) the respondent's manifestation with motion to lift suspension dated August 7, 2018, praying that the order suspending him from the practice of law be now lifted, with an undertaking that he will be more careful and circumspect in all his actions and be mindful of the kind of example he holds up;
- (2) the respondent's second motion to lift order of suspension dated September 27, 2018; and
- (3) the respondent's compliance dated November 12, 2019, submitting certifications from the Integrated bar of the Philippines ZAMBASULTA Chapter and the Office of the Executive Judge of Zamboanga City affirming that respondent has desisted from the practice of law and has


not appeared in court as counsel from July 6, 2018 to August 6, 2018.

The Court further resolves to *LIFT* the order of suspension of Atty. Berardo C. Faundo, Jr. and *ALLOW* him to *RESUME* his practice of law, effective immediately.

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

30 June 2020


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator

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