



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 132-2020

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 : LIFTING OF SUSPENSION FROM THE
PRACTICE OF LAW OF ATTY. ROLANDO T.
RUIZ

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Resolution dated 10 March 2020 of the Court *En Banc* in A.C. No. 10564, titled "Manuel L. Valin and Honorio L. Valin vs. Atty. Rolando T. Ruiz," to wit:

The Court Resolved to:

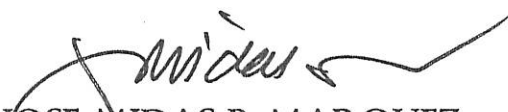
(a) CONSIDER as SERVED the Notice of Judgment (with copy of the Decision dated November 7, 2017) addressed to Atty. Vladimir Bugaring, counsel for respondent, Unit 309, Doña Amparo Building, G. Tolentino corner España, Manila, which Notice of Judgment was returned unserved with notation on the letter-envelope 'RTS-Moved Out'; and

(b) NOTE the Affidavit dated January 13, 2020 of respondent Atty. Rolando T. Ruiz, stating, among others, that his penalty of suspension for two (2) years has already been served from January 9, 2018, the date of receipt of the Decision, up to January 9, 2020.

The Court further Resolved, upon the recommendation of the Office of the Bar Confidant, to LIFT the order of

suspension meted against respondent Atty. Ruiz and ALLOW
him to resume his practice of law.

17 August 2020


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator

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