

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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 173-2020

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

SUBJECT

: SUSPENSION OF ATTY. MANUEL P. TEOXON FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR SIX (6) MONTHS

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Resolution dated 17 July 2019 of the Court (First Division) in A.C. No. 12126, titled "Judge Soliman M. Santos, Jr. vs. Atty. Manuel P. Teoxon," to wit:

WHEREFORE, we AFFIRM the Resolution dated June 17, 2017 of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines Board of Governors subject to the MODIFICATION that Atty. Manuel P. Teoxon is SUSPENDED FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR SIX (6) MONTHS effective upon receipt of this Resolution, and to be served after respondent completes his three-year suspension from the practice of law pursuant to *Tumbaga v. Atty. Teoxon*.

Let copies of this Resolution be entered in the personal record of respondent as a member of the Philippine Bar and furnished the Office of the Bar Confidant, the Integrated Bar of the Philippines, and the Office of the Court Administrator for circulation to all courts in the country.

A copy of the Resolution dated 17 July 2019 was sent to respondent at his given address at No. 18 Caimito St., Dayangdang,

4400 Naga City, per Registry Receipt No. 77465, which was received on 5 September 2019.

<u>26</u> October 2020

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