



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 136-2021

- TO : ALL JUDGES AND BRANCH CLERKS OF COURT OF
THE FIRST AND SECOND LEVEL COURTS**
- RE : PRESENTATION OF EVIDENCE CONTAINING
SEXUAL ABUSE PHOTOGRAPHS AND RECORDINGS**

In line with the provisions of existing laws, rules and regulations, and taking into paramount consideration the welfare of women and children, all judges and branch clerks of court of the first and second level courts are hereby directed to ensure that evidence containing sensitive photographs and recordings, including sexual abuse images and sound recordings involving women and children, shall be only be presented through in-court proceedings and NOT through videoconferencing.

For strict compliance.

10 November 2021


JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ
Court Administrator