

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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 235-2023

TO

THE COURT OF APPEALS, SANDIGANBAYAN, • COURT OF TAX APPEALS, REGIONAL TRIAL COURTS. SHARI'AH DISTRICT COURTS. METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURTS, MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS IN CITIES, MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS. MUNICIPAL CIRCUIT TRIAL COURTS, SHARI'AH CIRCUIT COURTS, THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF STATE PROSECUTOR. PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, AND THE **INTEGRATED BAR OF THE PHILIPPINES**

SUBJECT : DISBARMENT OF ATTY. REYNALDO L. HERRERA

For your information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Decision dated 05 April 2022 of the Court *En Banc* in A.C. No. 9457, entitled "Abner R. Mangubat vs. Atty. Reynaldo L. Herrera," to wit:

WHEREFORE, the assailed Resolutions of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines Board of Governors dated October 11, 2014 and October 28, 2015 in Administrative Case No. 9457 are MODIFIED.

Atty. Reynaldo L. Herrera is DISBARRED from the practice of law and his name is ORDERED stricken off from the Roll of Attorneys.

Let copies of this Decision be furnished to the Office of the Court Administrator for dissemination to all courts, the Office of the Bar Confidant, and the IBP for their information and guidance. The Office of the Bar Confidant is DIRECTED to append a copy of this Decision to Atty. Herrera's personal record.

In a Resolution dated 14 February 2023, the Court *En Banc* **DENIED WITH FINALITY** the Motion for Reconsideration (of the Decision dated April 5, 2022) dated August 1, 2022 filed by respondent Reynaldo L. Herrera, there being no substantial matters raised to warrant the reversal of the questioned Decision.

23 June 2023

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