



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 259-2023

TO: ALL CONCERNED JUDGES AND COURT PERSONNEL OF THE FIRST AND SECOND LEVEL COURTS IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL JUDICIAL REGION

SUBJECT: WORK SUSPENSION ON 24 JULY 2023

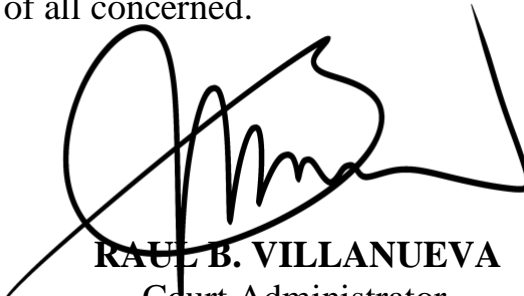
As authorized by Chief Justice Alexander G. Gesmundo, and in light of the anticipated heavy rains and gusty winds that will hit Metro Manila or the National Capital Region (NCR) due to Typhoon Egay, a tropical storm which is reported to intensify into a super typhoon, WORK is SUSPENDED on 24 July 2023 in all the first and second level courts in the National Capital Judicial Region.

In areas outside the NCR where Typhoon Egay may hit landfall and the tropical cyclone wind signals will be hoisted to high levels, the concerned Executive Judges are reminded to comply with what is provided in OCA Circular No. 51-2020 dated 5 February 2020 when suspending court operations.

Further, and if so warranted, all the Judges and Clerks of Courts should observe the protocols on disaster reportorial and response mechanisms as provided for in OCA Circular No. 262-2022 dated 3 October 2022.

For the compliance and guidance of all concerned. ✓

22 July 2023


RAUL B. VILLANUEVA
Court Administrator