



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 292-2023

TO : THE COURT OF APPEALS, SANDIGANBAYAN, COURT OF TAX APPEALS, REGIONAL TRIAL COURTS, SHARIAH DISTRICT COURTS, METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURTS, MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS IN CITIES, MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURTS, MUNICIPAL CIRCUIT TRIAL COURTS, SHARIAH CIRCUIT COURTS, THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF STATE PROSECUTOR, PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, AND THE INTEGRATED BAR OF THE PHILIPPINES

SUBJECT : LIFTING OF THE DISQUALIFICATION FROM BEING COMMISSIONED AS NOTARY PUBLIC OF ATTY. JOHN MARK M. TAMAÑO

For information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the Resolution dated 26 June 2023 of the Court (Special Second Division) in A.C. No. 12451, titled "John Paul E. Defiesta vs. Atty. John Mark Tamaño," to wit:

The Court resolves to:

(1) **NOTE** and **APPROVE** the *ex-parte* manifestation dated July 27, 2022 of respondent Atty. John Mark M. Tamaño; and

(2) **LIFT** the order of disqualification as notary public of respondent, and **ALLOW** him to be commissioned as notary public and perform notarial services.

The Court **NOTES** the Report and Recommendation dated May 12, 2023 of the Office of the Bar Confidant.

18 August 2023


RAUL B. VILLANUEVA
Court Administrator