



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. **361-2023**

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 : DISBARMENT OF ATTY. LORENZO G. GADON

For information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Decision dated 27 June 2023 of the Court *En Banc* in A.C. No. 13521, entitled "**In Re: Atty. Lorenzo G. Gadon's Viral Video Against Raissa Robles,**" to wit:

WHEREFORE, the Court finds Atty. Lorenzo G. Gadon **GUILTY** of violating the Code of Professional Responsibility and Accountability. He is **DISBARRED** from the practice of law. The Office of the Bar Confidant is **DIRECTED** to remove the name of Lorenzo G. Gadon from the Roll of Attorneys.

Furthermore, Lorenzo G. Gadon is found **GUILTY** of direct contempt of court. He is **FINED** the amount of Two Thousand Pesos (₱2,000.00), to be paid within ten (10) days from receipt of this Decision.

Let copies of this Decision be furnished to the Office of the Bar Confidant, to be appended to respondent's personal record as a member of the Bar; the Integrated Bar of the Philippines; the Office of the Court Administrator, for dissemination to all courts throughout the country for their information and guidance; and the Department of Justice.

This Decision is immediately executory.

In a Resolution dated 25 July 2023, the Court **NOTED WITHOUT ACTION** the Manifestation and Motion to Lift Suspension dated August 18, 2022 filed by respondent Lorenzo G.

Gadon in view of the Decision dated June 27, 2023 disbaring him from the practice of law.

26 October 2023



JENNY LIND R. ALDECOA-DELORINO

Deputy Court Administrator

and

Officer-in-Charge

Office of the Court Administrator

(Per Memorandum Order No. 127-2023

dated 24 October 2023)