



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

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 101-2024

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 : SUSPENSION OF ATTY. JESUS ORLANDO M. QUIÑONES FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW FOR SIX (6) MONTHS

For information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Decision dated 06 February 2023 of the Court (Second Division) in A.C. No. 10743, titled "**Camarines Sur IV Electric Cooperative, Inc., represented by Atty. Veronica T. Briones versus Labor Arbiter Jesus Orlando M. Quiñones,**" to wit:

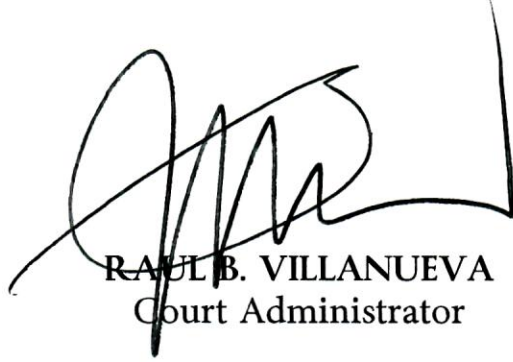
ACCORDINGLY, finding respondent Atty. Jesus Orlando Quiñones guilty of gross ignorance of the law in violation of his Lawyer's Oath and of the Code of Professional Responsibility, the Court resolves to **SUSPEND** respondent from the practice of law for a period of six (6) months, with a **WARNING** that commission of the same or similar offense in the future will result in the imposition of a more severe penalty.

The suspension from the practice of law shall take effect immediately upon receipt of this Decision by respondent. He is **DIRECTED** to immediately file a Manifestation to this Court that his suspension has started, copy furnished all courts and quasi-judicial bodies where he has entered his appearance as counsel.

Let copies of this Decision be furnished to the National Labor Relations Commission, to the Integrated Bar of the Philippines, as well as to the Office of the Bar

Confidant and the Court Administrator who shall circulate it to all courts for their information and guidance and likewise be entered in the record of the respondent as attorney.

11 April 2024



RAUL B. VILLANUEVA
Court Administrator

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