

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

## OCA CIRCULAR NO. <u>95-2024</u>

- TO THE COURT OF APPEALS, SANDIGANBAYAN, : COURT OF TAX APPEALS, REGIONAL TRIAL COURTS. SHARľAH 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, ATTORNEY'S PUBLIC OFFICE. AND THE **INTEGRATED BAR OF THE PHILIPPINES**
- SUBJECT : LIFTING OF SUSPENSION FROM THE PRACTICE OF LAW OF ATTY. NESTOR O. ABANSI

For information and guidance, quoted hereunder is the dispositive portion of the Resolution dated 16 August 2023 of the Court (Third Division) in A.C. No. 12814, titled "Benjamin M. Ortiz vs. Atty. Nestor O. Abansi," to wit:

ACCORDINGLY, the Court upon the recommendation of the OBC resolves to:

- (1) NOTE and APPROVE respondent's Respectful Motion to Lift Order of Suspension from the Practice of Law dated March 20, 2023, stating that (a) the period of suspension administered 'by the Court has lapsed; (b) he has complied with the directive of the Court to return the amount subject of the. disciplinary 'action as shown in the enclosed receipt executed by the complainant, and praying that the order of suspension of the respondent be lifted and his privilege to practice law be reinstated;
- (2) NOTE the certifications Atty. Abansi submitted with his motion and affidavit and are INCLUDED as part of the records of this case; and

(3) ALLOW Atty. Nestor O. Abansi to RESUME his practice of law.

<u>11</u> April 2024

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