



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
SUPREME COURT  
Manila

SECOND DIVISION

**NOTICE**

Sirs/Mesdames:

*Please take notice that the Court, Second Division, issued a Resolution dated **13 January 2021** which reads as follows:*

“A.C. No. 10604 (P/Insp. Atilano C. Fabella v. Atty. Orlando M. Salatandre, Jr. and Atty. Giovanni G. Mata). – The Court **NOTES** the Integrated Bar of the Philippines (IBP) Board of Governors’ (BOG): (1) Notice of Resolution No. XXII-2016-662<sup>1</sup> dated November 29, 2016 which adopted the findings of fact and recommendation of the Investigating Commissioner dismissing the complaint; and (2) Notice of Resolution<sup>2</sup> dated October 4, 2018 which denied P/Insp. Atilano C. Fabella’s (complainant) motion for reconsideration there being no new reason to reverse the previous decision of the IBP BOG, both transmitted by letter<sup>3</sup> dated November 20, 2019 of Director Randall C. Tabayoyong, IBP Commission on Bar Discipline, together with the records of the case.

The Court **RESOLVES** to **ADOPT** and **APPROVE** the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation of the IBP Investigating Commissioner in the attached Report and Recommendation<sup>4</sup> dated August 1, 2016, as adopted and approved by the IBP BOG in its Resolutions dated November 29, 2016 and October 4, 2018 in CBD Case No. 16-4946. Accordingly, the Court hereby **DISMISSES** the administrative complaint<sup>5</sup> against respondents Atty. Orlando M. Salatandre, Jr. and Atty. Giovanni G. Mata.

**SO ORDERED.** (Rosario, J., designated additional member per Special Order No. 2797 dated November 5, 2020).”

<sup>1</sup> *Rollo*, p. 234. Signed by Secretary of the Meeting Avelino V. Sales, Jr.

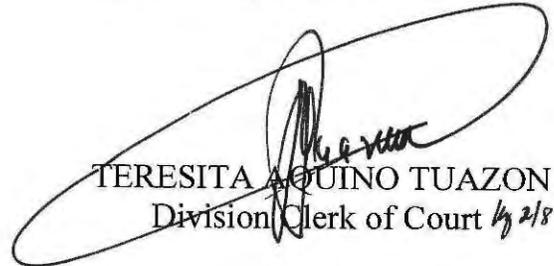
<sup>2</sup> *Id.* at 287-288. Signed by Assistant National Secretary Jason Rudolf C. Arteche.

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* at 286.

<sup>4</sup> *Id.* at 235-240. Signed by Commissioner Peter M. Bantilan.

<sup>5</sup> *Id.* at 1-18.

By authority of the Court:



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