



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
SUPREME COURT
Manila

SECOND DIVISION

NOTICE

Sirs/Mesdames:

Please take notice that the Court, Second Division, issued a Resolution dated July 3, 2023 which reads as follows:

“JIB FPI No. 21-019-MTJ (Felix P. Navarro, Complainant v. Hon. Alwen M. Paqueo, Presiding Judge of the Municipal Trial Court of San Fernando, Cebu, Respondent.) – The Report and Recommendation¹ dated April 24, 2023 of the Judicial Integrity Board-Office of the Executive Director, and the Report² dated June 8, 2023 of the Judicial Integrity Board, are noted.

The Court resolves to **ADOPT** and **APPROVE** the findings of fact, evaluation, conclusions of law, and recommendation of the Judicial Integrity Board in the attached Report dated June 8, 2023. Accordingly, the Verified Complaint³ against respondent Hon. Alwen M. Paqueo, Presiding Judge of the Municipal Trial Court of San Fernando, Cebu is hereby **DISMISSED** for lack of merit.

SO ORDERED.” (J. Lopez, *J.*, on leave.)

By authority of the Court:

TERESITA AQUINO TUAZON
Division Clerk of Court

By:

MA. CONSOLACION GAMINDE-CRUZADA
Deputy Division Clerk of Court ^{mm/}

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¹ *Rollo*, pp. 121–126. Penned by Judicial Integrity Board Acting Executive Director James D.V. Navarrete.

² *Id.* at 135–143. Penned by Vice-Chairperson Justice Angelina Sandoval-Gutierrez (Ret.) and concurred in by Chairperson Justice Romeo J. Callejo, Sr. (Ret.), First Regular Member Justice Sisinando E. Villon (Ret.), Second Regular Member Justice Rodolfo A. Ponferrada (Ret.), and Third Regular Member Justice Cielito N. Mindaro-Grulla (Ret.).

³ *Id.* at 3–5.

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*with a copy of the JIB Report dated June 8, 2023
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