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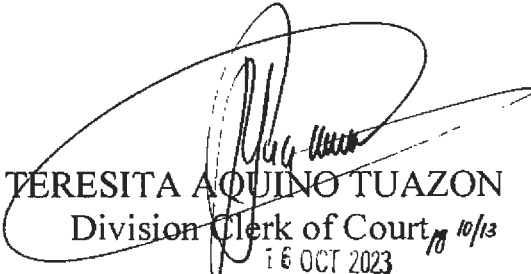
Sirs/Mesdames:

Please take notice that the Court, Second Division, issued a Resolution dated April 12, 2023 which reads as follows:

“OCA IPI No. 20-5024-RTJ (Estrelita B. Salivio, Complainant v. Presiding Judge Ramon Chito R. Mendoza, Regional Trial Court, Branch 165, Brooke’s Point, Palawan and Clerk of Court V Jerome B. Sadongdong, same court, Respondents). — The Court RESOLVES to ADOPT and APPROVE the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation of the Judicial Integrity Board in the attached Report and Recommendation¹ dated November 17, 2022 and the Report² dated March 24, 2023. Accordingly, the complaint against respondents Hon. Ramon Chito R. Mendoza and Atty. Jerome B. Sadongdong, in their respective capacities as Presiding Judge and Clerk of Court of the Regional Trial Court of Brooke’s Point, Palawan, Branch 165 is **DISMISSED for utter lack of merit.**

SO ORDERED.”

By authority of the Court:


TERESITA AQUINO TUAZON
Division Clerk of Court ^{10/13}
16 OCT 2023

¹ *Rollo*, pp. 71–76. Penned by OCA Deputy Clerk of Court at-Large and JIB Acting Executive Director James D.V. Navarrete.

² *Id.* at 79–85. Penned by Vice-Chairperson Justice Angelina Sandoval-Gutierrez (Ret.) and concurred in by Chairperson Justice Roman J. Callejo, Sr. (Ret.), First Regular Member Justice Sesinando E. Villon (Ret.), Second Regular Member Justice Rodolfo A. Ponferrada (Ret.), and Third Regular Member Justice Cielito N. Mindaro-Grulla (Ret.)

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-and/or-
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*with a copy of the JIB Report dated March 24, 2023

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