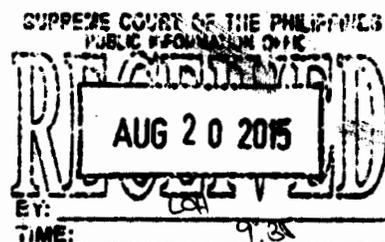




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NOTICE



Sirs/Mesdames:

Please take notice that the Court, Second Division, issued a Resolution dated **22 June 2015** which reads as follows:

**G.R. No. 215733 - People of the Philippines v. Jessie Esquilon.**

The records of this case were elevated to this Court on January 20, 2015, pursuant to the Resolution of the Court of Appeals (CA), dated July 15, 2014, which gave due course to the notice of appeal filed by accused-appellant, Jessie Esquilon.

In compliance with the Court's Resolution, dated February 4, 2015, both parties filed their respective manifestations in lieu of supplemental briefs. The accused-appellant manifested that he was adopting its Brief for the Accused-Appellant<sup>1</sup> as his supplemental brief, the same having adequately discussed all the matters pertinent to his defense. On the other hand, the Office of the Solicitor General stated that it was not filing a supplemental brief with this Court considering that it had sufficiently discussed and proven accused-appellant's guilt in its Brief for the Appellee.<sup>2</sup>

After a perusal of the records of the case, the Court resolves to dismiss the appeal for failure of the accused-appellant to sufficiently show reversible error in the challenged decision to warrant the exercise of the Court's appellate jurisdiction.

**WHEREFORE**, the appeal is **DISMISSED**. The May 29, 2014 Decision of the Court of Appeals in CA-G.R. C.R.-HC No. 05860 is **AFFIRMED in toto** (*Leonen, J.*, on official leave, *Jardeleza, J.*, designated Acting Member, per Special Order No. 2056, dated June 10, 2015; *Brion, J.*, on leave, *Perez, J.*, designated Acting Member per Special Order No. 2067, dated June 22, 2015).

**SO ORDERED.**

Very truly yours,

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<sup>1</sup> CA rollo, p. 76.

<sup>2</sup> Id. at 106.

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