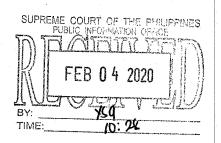




Republic of the Philippines Supreme Court Manila



FIRST DIVISION

NOTICE

Sirs/Mesdames:

Please take notice that the Court, First Division, issued a Resolution dated January 8, 2020 which reads as follows:

"G.R. No. 248221 – (CRISOSTOMO E. BAUTISTA, as attorney-in-fact of MULTI-ASIAN PROPERTIES, INC. and LUIS R. VILLAFUERTE, petitioner, versus INTERNATIONAL MARITIME AND TECHNICAL FOUNDATION, INC., represented by MAURO S. ABALOS, respondent.)

After reviewing the instant Petition and its annexes, inclusive of the assailed Court of Appeals' (CA) Decision¹ dated December 20, 2018 and Resolution² dated July 10, 2019 in CA-G.R. CV No. 108594, the Court finds that petitioner Crisostomo E. Bautista failed to present any cogent and convincing argument warranting the reversal of the assailed CA Decision and Resolution. There is no reversible error committed by the court *a quo* that warrants the Court's discretionary exercise of its appellate jurisdiction.

Therefore, the Court denies the instant Petition for lack of merit.



Rollo, pp. 44-51. Penned by Associate Justice Rodil V. Zalameda (now a Member of the Court), with Associate Justices Fernanda Lampas Peralta and Ronaldo Roberto B. Martin concurring.

² Id. at 52-53.

SO ORDERED." *Peralta, C.J.*, no part; *Carandang, J.*, additional Member per Raffle dated December 11, 2019. *Lopez, J.*, on official leave.

Very truly yours,

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