

Republic of the Philippines
SANDIGANBAYAN
Quezon City

Second Division

The People of the Philippines,
Plaintiff,

Crim. Case No. SB-18-CRM-0529

For: Perjury

-versus-

Present:

Herrera, Jr., J. *Chairperson*

Musngi, J. &

Pahimna, J.

Dencito Presa Campaña,
Accused.

Promulgated:

November 21, 2018 ant

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DECISION

HERRERA, JR., J.:

Accused Dencito Presa Campaña is charged before this Court with the crime of Perjury, defined and penalized under **Article 183 of the Revised Penal Code**, under **Information** dated March 28, 2018 filed by the Office of the Special Prosecutor, Office of the Ombudsman.

When the case was called for arraignment today, accused Campaña, assisted by counsel, after being informed of the nature and cause of the accusations against him, the **Information** having been read to him in open court in English, a language he understands, pleaded guilty to the lesser offense of **Violation of Section 8, paragraph A, subparagraph b of Republic Act 6713**, also known as the **Code of Conduct and Ethical Standards for Public Officials and Employees**. The prosecution gave its consent to the plea of guilty to the lesser offense for and in its behalf and also for the complainant Field Investigation Office of the Office of the Ombudsman.


Wherefore, the Court finds accused Dencito Presa Campaña guilty beyond reasonable doubt of **Violation of Section 8, paragraph A, subparagraph b, of Republic Act 6713** or the **Code of Conduct and Ethical**

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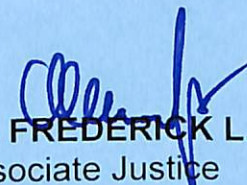
Standards for Public Officials and Employees. Conformably with **Section 11** of the said law, the Court hereby sentences accused Campaña to pay a fine of Five Thousand Pesos (Php5,000.00).

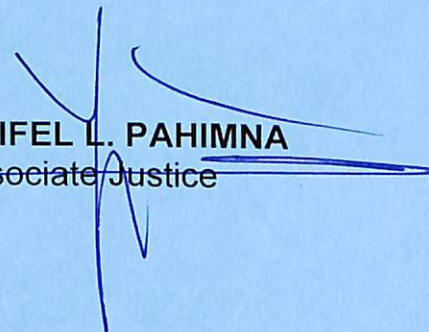
SO ORDERED.

Given in open Court this 16th day of November, 2018, at Quezon City, Philippines.


OSCAR C. HERRERA, JR.
Chairman
Associate Justice

We concur:


MICHAEL FREDERICK L. MUSNGI
Associate Justice


LORIFEL L. PAHIMNA
Associate Justice

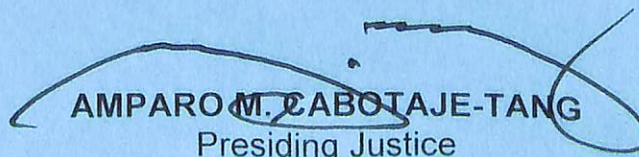
ATTESTATION

I attest that the conclusions in the above decision were reached in consultation before the case was assigned to the writer of the opinion of the Court's Division.


OSCAR C. HERRERA, JR.
Chairman
Second Division

CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Article VIII, Section 13 of the Constitution and the Division Chairman's Attestation, it is hereby certified that the conclusions in the above decision were reached in consultation before the case was assigned to the writer of the opinion of the Court's Division.


AMPARO M. CABOTAJE-TANG
Presiding Justice

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