



Republic of the Philippines  
*Sandiganbayan*  
 Quezon City

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SEVENTH DIVISION

*MINUTES of the proceedings held on January 7, 2019.*

*Present:*

<i>MA. THERESA DOLORES C. GOMEZ-ESTOESTA</i> -----	<i>Chairperson</i>
<i>ZALDY V. TRESPESES</i> -----	<i>Associate Justice</i>
<i>GEORGINA D. HIDALGO</i> -----	<i>Associate Justice</i>

*The following resolution was adopted:*

***SB-12-CRM-0164 up to 0167 – People v. Jesus A. Verzosa, et al.***

In his “MOTION TO ALLOW TRAVEL” dated December 10, 2018, accused Luizo C. Ticman prayed that he be allowed to travel to Qatar from January 19, 2019 to January 27, 2019; while in his “VERY URGENT MOTION TO AMEND MOTION TO TRAVEL (dated December 10, 2018)” dated December 27, 2018, accused asked to amend his intended departure date from January 19, 2019 to January 17, 2019. While in Qatar, accused will be staying at Doubletree by Hilton Doha, CL Al Meena St., Doha.

Over the objections of the prosecution,<sup>1</sup> the motions are hereby **GRANTED**, subject to the usual terms and conditions imposed by the Court, to wit:

1. That accused’s itinerary of travel shall cover only **Qatar**;
2. That accused shall leave not earlier than **January 17, 2019** and shall be back in the Philippines not later than **January 27, 2019**;
3. That the travel bond posted by him in the amount of Sixty Thousand Pesos (P60,000.00) under O.R. No. 5086297 shall continue to guarantee his faithful compliance with the terms and conditions imposed herein;
4. That within five days after accused’s return to the Philippines, he shall present himself in person to the Division Clerk of Court, together with his passport and photocopies of the pages thereof indicating the stamp of his departure from, and entry or arrival in the Philippines, the photocopies to be authenticated by the Division Clerk of Court after a comparison with the original thereof, and to

<sup>1</sup> The prosecution first made known its objection in open court during the hearing of accused’s first motion on December 14, 2018 and filed its “COMMENT/OPPOSITION (re: Motion to Amend Motion to Travel)” dated January 3, 2019 on January 4, 2019.

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submit to this Court a written formal compliance with the terms and conditions of this Resolution within 15 days of his expected date of return;

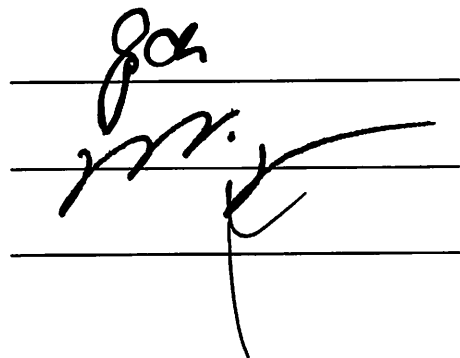
5. That if, for whatever reason, the accused shall not be able to undertake the travel abroad as herein authorized, he shall, within five days from his expected date of return had he undertaken the same, nonetheless personally present himself to the Division Clerk of Court, together with photocopies of the pertinent pages of his passport bearing no stamp of departure from or entry into the Philippines during the relevant period, the same to be authenticated by the Division Clerk of Court after proper comparison with the passport itself and submitted together with an appropriate manifestation from the accused;
6. That any material misrepresentation made in his Motion to Travel shall be punished as contempt of this Court and shall be dealt with accordingly;
7. That he will abide faithfully with all his undertakings herein, such that any violation of the terms and conditions contained in this Resolution shall be sufficient ground for this Court to order the forfeiture of his travel bond, as well as to cause the issuance of a warrant for his arrest;
8. That notice of further proceedings hereon should he not return as undertaken, shall be made to him through his counsel on record; and
9. That if he fails to return as undertaken, trial will proceed as scheduled.

**SO ORDERED.**

**GOMEZ-ESTOESTA, J., Chairperson**

**TRESPESES, J.**

**HIDALGO, J.**



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