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Sandiganbayan

Quezon City

FIRST DIVISION

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Hon. EFREN N. DE LA CRUZ ------- Chairperson Hon. GERALDINE FAITH A. ECONG ----- Associate Justice Hon. JULIET M. MANALO-SAN GASPAR ----- Associate Justice

The following resolution was adopted in the following case/s:

CRIMINAL CASES NOS. SB23CRM0071 to 0078 - PEOPLE OF THE PHILIPPINES vs. DATU SAJID ISLAM UY AMPATUAN, ET AL.

The Court **NOTES** the prosecution's *Manifestation*, dated October 25, 2023, with a copy of accused Osmeña Medag Bandila's Certificate of Death attached thereto.

The said death certificate issued by the Philippine Statistics Authority (*PSA*) shows that accused Bandila passed away on May 3, 2021, the immediate cause of death being "undetermined natural death." Said Certificate of Death was signed by Asniah D. Datudacula of the Municipal Health Office. From the foregoing, the Court considers the fact of death of the said accused as having been sufficiently established. In view thereof, pursuant to Article 89 of the Revised Penal Code, this case is **DISMISSED** as to accused Bandila.

Furnish copy hereof to the Bureau of Immigration for its information and guidance.

SO ORDERED.

APPROVED:

ECONG, J.

MANALO-SAN GASPAR, J.

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