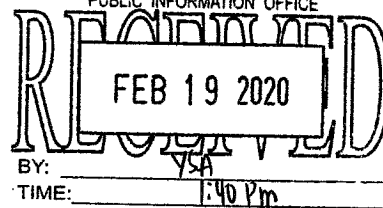




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NOTICE

Sirs/Mesdames:

Please take notice that the Court, Third Division, issued a Resolution dated January 29, 2020, which reads as follows:

“G.R. No. 246584 (PEOPLE OF THE PHILIPPINES, plaintiff-appellee v. BIENVENIDO HERNANDEZ y LEE, accused-appellant). — The Court of Appeals elevated the records of this case to this Court in compliance with its January 10, 2018 Resolution,¹ which gave due course to the Notice of Appeal² filed by accused-appellant Bienvenido Hernandez y Lee.

In its July 1, 2019 Resolution,³ this Court noted the records of this case forwarded by the Court of Appeals. This Court also informed accused-appellant and plaintiff-appellee, through the Office of the Solicitor General, that they may file their supplemental briefs.

Separate Manifestations⁴ have since been filed by accused-appellant and plaintiff-appellee, stating that they would no longer submit supplemental briefs.

After an evaluation of the case records, this Court resolves to **DISMISS** the appeal of accused-appellant for his failure to sufficiently show any reversible error in the assailed October 24, 2017 Decision⁵ of the Court of Appeals, warranting the exercise of this Court’s appellate jurisdiction.

WHEREFORE, this Court **ADOPTS** the findings of fact and conclusions of law of the Regional Trial Court and of the Court of Appeals. The Court of Appeals’ October 24, 2017 Decision in CA-G.R. CR HC No.

¹ *Rollo*, p. 1.

² *Id.* at 25–27.

³ *Id.* at 30–31.

⁴ *Id.* at 32–37 and 38–43.

⁵ *Id.* at 3–23. The Decision in CA-G.R. CR HC No. 08854 was penned by Associate Justice Fernanda Lampas-Peralta (Chair), and concurred in by Associate Justices Elihu A. Ybañez and Carmelita Salandanan Manahan of the Fourth Division of the Court of Appeals, Manila.

08854 is **AFFIRMED**. Accused-appellant Bienvenido Hernandez y Lee is sentenced to suffer the penalty of life imprisonment and ordered to pay a fine of ₱500,000.

SO ORDERED.”

Very truly yours,

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