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SECOND DIVISION

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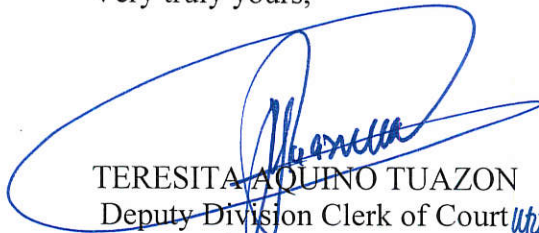
Sirs/Mesdames:

*Please take notice that the Court, Second Division, issued a Resolution dated **26 February 2020** which reads as follows:*

“**G.R. No. 244254 (People of the Philippines vs. XXX)**. — After a judicious review of the records, the Court resolves to **DISMISS** the appeal for failure to sufficiently show that the Court of Appeals committed any reversible error in its Decision¹ dated July 19, 2018 in CA-G.R. No. CR HC No. 09453, which affirmed with modification the conviction of accused-appellant XXX² for two counts of rape under Art. 266-A, paragraph 1(b) of the Revised Penal Code.

Accordingly, he is sentenced to suffer the penalty of *reclusion perpetua* for each count. Further, he is ordered to pay AAA the amounts of ₱75,000.00 as civil indemnity, ₱75,000.00 as moral damages, and ₱75,000.00 as exemplary damages, for each count of rape. The total damages awarded shall be subject to a legal interest of 6% *per annum* from the finality of this Resolution until its full satisfaction.”

Very truly yours,



TERESITA AQUINO TUAZON
Deputy Division Clerk of Court

30 JUL 2020

¹ Penned by Associate Justice Amy C. Lazaro-Javier (now a Member of this Court), with Associate Justices Fernanda Lampas Peralta and Ma. Luisa C. Quijano-Padilla, concurring; *rollo*, pp. 3-24.

² In accordance with Amended Administrative Circular No. 83-2015, the identities of the parties, records and court proceedings are kept confidential by replacing their names and other personal circumstances with fictitious initials, and by blotting out the specific geographical location that may disclose the identities of the victims.

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