REGIONAL TRIAL COURT

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OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE JUDGE

IN RE: PETITION FOR ACCREDITATION TO PUBLISH LEGAL AND JUDICIAL IN THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT OF CARMONA,

PUB 2023-03

BANTAY BALITA NEWSPAPER
PUBLISHING REP. BY DOMINGO
B. CAOILE,

Petitioner.

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ORDER

Before this Court is petition for accreditation to publish legal and judicial notices filed by Bantay Balita Newspaper Publishing (BBNP) represented by Domingo B. Caoile.

Petitioner alleged that BBNP is a registered English-Filipino newsweekly in the Province of Cavite. The newspaper is circulated in the Cities of Bacoor, Imus, Dasmariñas, Gen. Trias, Carmona, Tagaytay and other municipalities in the Province of Cavite.

Likewise, BBNP alleged that it does not merely reproduce or reprint new articles from other newspapers or periodicals or from other sources.

Attached to the petition are the following: a.) Certificate of Registration issued by the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI); b.) Mayor's Permit issued by the City Government of Imus, Cavite; c.) Business Permit Plate No. 03163; 4.) Names and Addresses of its subscribers; 5.) Advertising Contract and Rates of Advertisement; 6.) PhilGEPS Registration; 7.) Certificate of Registration issued by the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR); 8.) Sample Office Receip; 9.) Tax Clearance Ceetificate issued by the BIR; 10.) Photographs of the office; 11.) Sketch map of the location of the office; 12.) Certification issued by the National Library of the Philippines; 13.) Certification of membership to, and issued by, Publisher's Association of the Philippines, Inc. (PAPI); 14.) Philpost Application for Admission to the Business Mail

Permit; 15.) Sample publication; and, 16.) Fifty-two (52) issues of the newspaper atleast one (1) year before application. Petitioner likewise submitted a copy of the Sanitary Permit issued by the Imus City Health Office.

On May 29, 2024, the Sheriff of this Court, Joseph R. Diokno, submitted his Report. Sheriff Diokno reported that he made an ocular inspection of petitioner's office at Blk. 2 Lot 27 Phase 1 Camella Homes Barcelona, Brgy. Buhay na Tubig, Imus, Cavite. He observed that the office is situated in a subdivision which is a residential area but remarks that necessary equipment for the publication is found thereat.

In view of the foregoing, the Court finds that petitioner duly complied with the requirements under A.M. No. 01-1-07-SC and OCA Circular No. 27-2002.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the petition for accreditation to publish legal and judicial notices filed by Bantay Balita Newspaper Publishing is hereby GRANTED. Accordingly, Bantay Balita Newspaper Publishing is authorized to publish legal and judicial notices for the period of five (5) years from the date hereof. Bantay Balita Newspaper Publishing will now be included in the raffle of judicial or legal notice for publication.

The five-year validity of accreditation is subject to suspension or revocation in accordance with Section 16 of A.M. No. 01-1-07-SC.

After one (1) year, the Court Sheriff is directed to conduct another ocular inspection on the petitioner's principal place of business and to make a report thereon whether petitioner still complies with the requirements of A.M. No. 01-1-07-SC and other pertinent issuances.

SO ORDERED.

June 6, 2024 at City of Carmona, Cavite.

NIVEN R. CANLAPAN Presiding Judge

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