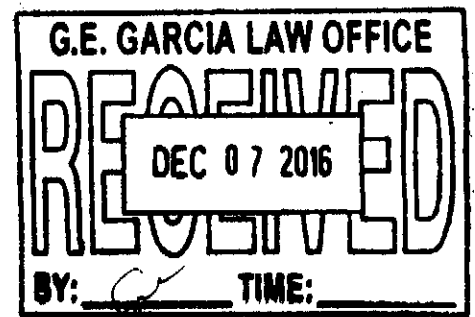


Republic of the Philippines  
Presidential Electoral Tribunal  
Manila



**NOTICE**

Sirs/Mesdames:

*Please take notice that the Tribunal issued a Resolution dated **NOVEMBER 29, 2016**, which reads as follows:*

**“P.E.T. Case No. 005** (Ferdinand ‘Bongbong’ R. Marcos, Jr. vs. Maria Leonor ‘Leni Daang Matuwid’ G. Robredo).- The Tribunal Resolved to

(a) **NOTE** and **GRANT** the Manifestation of Grave Concern with Motion dated November 23, 2016 filed by counsel for protestant Ferdinand ‘Bongbong’ Marcos, Jr., praying that the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) be directed to furnish the protestant and the other interested parties to this case with copies of the Minutes of the Proceedings and/or Transcript of Stenographic Notes (TSN) taken during the closure/stripping activities conducted on October 26, 2016 and November 2, 2016 as well as the results of the decryption of the Secure Digital (SD) cards from the one thousand three hundred fifty-six (1,356) units of contingency vote counting machines (VCMs) which were found to contain data during the said closure/stripping activities;


(b) **DIRECT** the COMELEC, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, to **FURNISH** the interested parties to this case with (i) copies of the Minutes of the Proceedings and/or TSN taken during the closure/stripping activities conducted on October 26, 2016 and November 2, 2016 and (ii) the results of the decryption of the SD cards from the one thousand three hundred fifty-six (1,356) units of VCMs which were found to contain data during the said closure/stripping activities; and

(c) **NOTE WITHOUT ACTION** the Letter dated November 28, 2016 of Michael Joseph Bueza, Researcher Data Curator, Rappler.com, Unit B, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, North Wing, Estancia Offices, Capitol Commons, Brgy. Oranbo, Ortigas Center, 1605 Pasig City, stating that they are currently working on a story about the stages or procedures that an election protest goes through when filed before the Presidential Electoral Tribunal (PET) to properly inform the public, through an explainer article, on how the PET decides on such cases; and that they

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would like to schedule an interview with the Secretariat of the PET or a concerned official regarding this topic at his or her most convenient time between November 28 and December 2, 2016." (adv1)

Very truly yours,

  
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