

Republic of the Philippines
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORAL TRIBUNAL
Manila

**FERDINAND "BONGBONG" R.
MARCOS, JR.,**

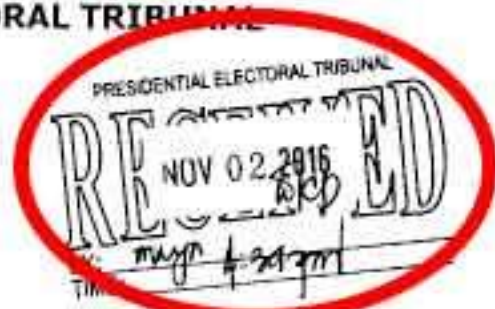
Protestant,

-versus-

**MARIA LEONOR "LENI DAANG
MATUWID" G. ROBREDO,**

Protestee.

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PET Case No. 005

For: Election Protest
Vice-President

MANIFESTATION

Protestant **FERDINAND "BONGBONG" R. MARCOS, JR.** ("protestant Marcos"), through the undersigned counsels, unto this Honorable Presidential Electoral Tribunal ("PET"), most respectfully states that:

1. On **October 11, 2016**, this Honorable Tribunal issued a *Resolution* directing protestant Marcos to file his Reply to protestee's Comments and Oppositions (to the Motion to Admit Verification dated September 19, 2016 and to the Motion to Strike-Out or Expunge Protestee's Verified Answer dated August 12, 2016) within a non-extendible period of *ten (10)* days from notice thereof. The said *Resolution* was received by the lead counsel of protestant Marcos on **October 19, 2016**.

2. Anent thereto, protestant Marcos would like to manifest that he will not file a Reply to the Comments and Oppositions filed by the protestee in connection with the Motion to Admit Verification dated September 19, 2016 and Motion to Strike-Out or Expunge Protestee's Verified Answer dated August 12, 2016.

3. Instead, protestant Marcos would like to move that these pending incidents be immediately resolved by this Honorable Tribunal

on the basis of the pleadings previously submitted by the parties in support of their respective positions therein.

4. Finally, protestant Marcos would like to inform this Honorable Tribunal that he had already furnished the Solicitor General with a copy of protestant's Comment (on the Letter dated August 16, 2016 of Atty. Jose M. Tolentino) by personal service on **October 24, 2016**. A copy of protestant's Comment showing the receiving stamp of the Office of the Solicitor General as proof of service is herein attached and made an integral part of this Manifestation as **Annex "A"**.

Respectfully submitted.

City of Manila, Philippines, **October 26, 2016**.

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