

## ATTY. VICTORIANO V. OROCIO MNSA

### PRACTICE AREAS

Atty. Victoriano V. Orocio is presently the Managing Owner of V.V. Orocio Law Office, with address at Suite 303 Señor Ivan De Palacio, 139 Malakas Street, Diliman, Quezon City. He is engaged in general practice (including, but not limited to corporate, civil, criminal, quasi-judicial and administrative cases) and specializes in the following areas: land litigation, negotiation/biddings of contracts for power plants/substations/transmission lines; negotiations of foreign loans for said power contracts; negotiations for the acquisition of the Right-of-Way (ROW) for public and private infrastructures; and handling of petitions for power rates adjustments before the ERB.

As an active litigation lawyer for around forty two (42) years now, he has successfully handled cases before the Prosecutor's Office, Lower Courts (MTC and RTC) Appellate Courts, the Ombudsman, Sandiganbayan and Quasi-judicial bodies. He has also won cases before the Supreme Court, among which are:

- 1.) **Victoriano V. Orocio vs. Commission on Audit, et. al**, G.R. No. 75959, August 31, 1992, 213 SCRA 109-127, *his own case* (as counsel for and in his own behalf);
- 2.) **Aniceta Bautista, et. al. vs. Court of Appeals & Primo Formanes**, G.R. No. 128692, August 11, 1997 (as counsel for the respondent);
- 3.) **Donald O. Geocaniga vs. Court of Appeals, et. al.**, G.R. No. 164639, April 27, 2005 (as counsel for the private respondents);
- 4.) **Ellen Alcayaga & Nestor Sunga, vs. Milagros Yu**, G.R. No. 137145, June 5, 2006 (as counsel for the respondent);
- 5.) **NPC Drivers & Mechanics Association (NPC DAMA) et. al., vs. National Power Corporation (NPC) et. al.**, G.R. No. 156208, September 26, 2006 (as counsel for petitioners);
- 6.) **Metropolitan Bank and Trust Company vs. Remedios A. Gaerlan**, G.R. No. 181213, April 23, 2008 (as counsel for the respondent);
- 7.) **Atty. Victoriano V. Orocio vs. Justice Vicente Q. Roxas, A.M.** Nos. 07-115-CA-J and CA-08-46-J, August 19, 2008 (as complainant);

8.) Atty. Victoriano V. Orocio vs. Edmund P. Anguluan, et. al.,  
G.R. No. 179892-93, January 30, 2009 (as petitioner).

9.) National Power Corporation vs. Alan Olandesca, G.R. No.  
171434, April 23, 2010 (as counsel for the respondent).

Prior to his private practice, Atty. Orocio was connected with the National Power Corporation from 1976 to 1994 (18 years) in various capacities such as, Trial Lawyer, Corporate Legal Counsel, Regional Legal Counsel, Manager of the Board of Inquiry and Discipline Department and Manager of the Land and Land Rights Department. The highlights of his employment with NAPOCOR were, among others, his successful handling of seven cases including the power rate increases/adjustments before the Supreme Court and Energy Regulatory Board, and his successful prosecution of NAPOCOR officials involved in the 1990 U.S. \$7.7 Million Dollar scam and the early and immediate settlement of the ROW problems affecting the Negros-Panay Interconnection Project involving Billions of Pesos in project delay.

### EDUCATION

- MNSA      Master in National Security Administration  
National Defense College of the Philippines,  
Makati City, 1988
- MBA      San Sebastian College, Manila, 1981
- LLB      San Sebastian College of Law, Manila, Half-Scholar 1975
- AB      Seminario Mayor Recoletos, Baguio City, 1969  
Philosophy  
Cum Laude
- H.S.      San Jose Seminary, Quezon City, 1965
- ELEM.      Jamindan Elementary School, Jamindan Capiz, 1961

### FAMILY BACKGROUND

- .      Widower
- .      Three children - Claudine-Lawyer,  
Cristine Mae-Restaurant Manager, Gerevic-Chef
- .      Four grandchildren - Iko, 16 years old, Alexi, 14 years  
old, Gia Victoria, 10 years old and Matthian Cedric, 4

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Member - Integrated Bar of the Philippines (1976 to present)

Member - National Defense College of the Philippines Alumni Associations, Inc. (1988 to present)

Secretary - NDCP Regular Class No. 22, Inc.

Chairman, Committee on Membership, PDRCI (2007 to present)

Chairman/Member of Arbitral Disputes (10 times with an aggregate value of around Php2 Billion).

Resource Speaker - on the topic (Arbitration, The Smart Way to Resolve Disputes) sponsored by the Philippine Chamber of Commerce & Industry and Bataan Chamber of Commerce & Industry, held on July 8, 2006 during the 15<sup>th</sup> North Luzon Area Business Conference, City of Balanga, Bataan with the theme "Enhancing SMEs Competitiveness Towards Economic Building."

Trainings and Seminars Attended - *Basic Mediation Course "When talk fails"* sponsored by United States Agency for International Development (USAID) held on February 17-19, 2003 at Don Filemon Rodriguez Training Center, Barrio Ulat, Cavite, Philippines; *Mediation Internship Program* sponsored by Accelerating Growth investment and Liberalization with Equity (AGILE) held on March 31-July 4, 2003 at IPO Bldg., 531 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City; *Seminar on Practical Arbitration and International Practice* sponsored by Philippine Chambers of Commerce & Industry held on May 29, 2004 at Traders Hotel Manila; *Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines (IPOPIL-PDRCI Arbitrators) IPR Training for Arbitrators* held on October 26-28, 2010 at the Malcolm Hall, UP College of Law University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City and *Training on Specialized Arbitration for Intellectual Property Disputes* held on December 9-10, 2010 at the Palawan Rm., Edsa Shangri-La Hotel, Mandaluyong City.

## PAPERS

"An Assessment of the Operational Efficiency and Profitability of the National Power Corporation" (Thesis submitted as partial fulfillment of the requirements for his MNSA degree).

## PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Managing Owner	-	V.V. Orocio Law Office June 1995 to date
Owner/Manager	-	Orocio Enterprises June 1995 to date
Commissioner	-	Commission on Bar Discipline - IBP, Pasig City Dec. 29, 2003-June 30, 2005
Member, Board of Trustees -		Philippine Dispute Resolution Center, Inc. (PDRCI) (2001 to present)
Executive Director	-	Philippine Electric Plant Owners Association February 1999 to July 1999
Consultant (Study on the Just- Compensation of Right-of-Way Easement for Lands Affected by National Power Corporation's Transmission Lines)		First Gas Holdings Corp. March 8-9, 1996
Consultant (ROW Acquisition- For Natural Gas Pipe Line)		First Gas Holdings Corp. March 1-15, 1995
Legal Retainer	-	Towner Electric Co., USA May 1-July 31, 1994
Manager, Board of Inquiry Discipline Department and Legal Counsel on Power Rate Cases	-	National Power Corporation Jan. 1, 1992-April 30, 1994
Manager, Land and Land Rights- Department		National Power Corporation 1990 to December 1991

## PROFESSIONAL RECORD

- Regional Legal Counsel - National Power Corporation  
Visayas Region 1985-1990
- Chief, Legal Services - National Power Corporation  
1981-1985
- Legal Counsel IV - National Power Corporation  
1979-1981
- Trial Attorney - National Power Corporation  
1976-1978
- Technical Assistant - Constitutional Convention  
1972
- Teacher - San Sebastian College  
High School and College Manila, 1969-1975
- St. Rita College  
Manila, 1973-1975

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