

[ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 174, June 26, 1969]

REMOVING MR. DOMADO ALONTO FROM OFFICE AS CITY TREASURER OF MARAWI

This is an administrative case filed by Councilors Hadji Mama R. Datu and Hadji Ismael Barodi of Marawi City against City Treasurer Domado Alonto of the same city for maladministration, graft and corruption, misfeasance, favoritism, dishonesty and neglect in the performance of duties, consisting of eleven (11) counts, to wit:

- (1) Violation of Section 434 of the Manual of Instructions to Treasurers for tolerating the construction of market stalls in Marawi City without the intervention of his office in spite of the requirement to that effect of City Ordinance No. 657, series of 1967;
- (2) Collecting fees on transient goods and parking fees on vehicles despite the nonexistence of any parking lot reserved by the city government for the purpose;
- (3) Paying the salaries of eight (8) deputy mayors whose positions were abolished by the City Council under its Resolution No. 41, series of 1967, and notwithstanding the existence of an overdraft of P124,041.09 in the general fund;
- (4) Disbursing trust and general funds for unauthorized services, in violation of accounting laws and regulations, resulting in overdrafts in the general and trust funds amounting to P124,041.09 and P39,297.92, respectively.
- (5) Non-collection of fees from his delinquent relatives (Hadji Batua Alonto and Sheik Tawagun Alonto) while forcing other taxpayers to pay by persistent demands and/or by complaints filed in court;
- (6) Engaging in political activity for having allowed the former City Mayor of Marawi to assign spaces in the bi-weekly market site to persons who had sworn to support the reelection bid of said official;
- (7) Appointing his nephew, Salvador T. Alonto, as city cashier and bypassing the employee next in rank in violation of Sections 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Civil Service Rule VII on promotion;
- (8) Defying Resolution No. 41, series of 1967, of the City Council by continuously and surreptitiously paying through market collectors the salaries of eight (8) deputy mayors whose items were abolished thereunder;