

**RETIRED FIRE CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT ANTONIO G. LOPENA, JR.,  
RETIRED FIRE INSPECTOR MANUEL R. AMBULO, ET AL.,  
PETITIONERS-APPELLEES, VS. PAQUITO OCHOA, JR., IN HIS  
CAPACITY AS EXEC...**

Ponente: PERALTA, JR., E. B., J.

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**PERALTA, JR., E. B., J.:**

Inasmuch as the major points articulated by counsel for petitioners-appellees on the Motion for Reconsideration and Supplemental Motion for Reconsideration[1] were abridged versions of the arguments on the Memorandum,[2] which were tackled on the challenged Decision, We hereby DENY counsel for petitioners-appellees' Motion for Reconsideration for lack of merit.

**SO ORDERED.**

De Leon, M. M., Chairperson, and Cruz, S. C., JJ., concur.

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[1] Rollo, pp. 192-201.

[2] Dated April 17, 2013, pp. 19-21, Rollo, pp. 63-65

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