REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES SUPREME COURT MANILA

NEDINA GADIAN-DIAMANTE, Petitioner,

-versus-

G.R. No. 187652 For: Issuance of the Writ of Amparo

ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES CHIEF OF STAFF LT. GEN. VICTOR IBRADO, ET AL., Respondents.

URGENT MANIFESTATION AND MOTION

PETITIONER, through counsel, and unto this Honorable Court, respectfully states that:

The Philippine Navy has given Petitioner's sister, Lt. SG Mary Nancy P.
Gadian, forty-eight (48) hours to surrender and "avail" herself of protection and assistance.

2) Philippine Navy spokesman Lt. Col. Edgard Arevalo announced that Petitioner's sister, Lt. SG Gadian, could voluntarily submit herself to any military installation until 10 a.m. on Friday, 22 May 2009.¹

3) Nevertheless, Petitioner's sister cannot reasonably comply with the forty-eight (48) hours ultimatum set by the Philippine Navy due to the very serious threats to her life, liberty and security.

corruption inside the AFP, and especially after she received information that an order to shoot her on sight has been allegedly given.

5) Due to the very serious threats to the life, liberty and security of Lt. SG Gadian, Petitioner asks that her sister be granted temporary sanctuary in the premises of the Honorable Court to protect the latter's life, liberty, and security.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES considered Petitioner respectfully prays that in the interim, the Honorable Court cause the issuance of a temporary protection order under Section 14(a) of the Rule on the *Writ of Amparo* granting Petitioner's sister, Lt. SG. Mary Nancy P. Gadian, sanctuary in the premises of the Honorable Court to protect the latter from a very serious threat to her life, liberty, and security, until such time that it can be reasonably ascertained that such threat has been lifted.

Petitioner prays for other just and equitable relief.

Respectfully submitted. Makati City for Manila. May 21, 2009.

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By:

EXPLANATION

(Pursuant to Section 11, Rule 13 of the1997 Rules of Civil Procedure)

Due to the shortage of messengerial services and the lack of time, this URGENT MOTION WITH MANIFESTATION is being served to the Respondents by registered mail in accordance with Section 11, Rule 13 of the Revised Rules of Court.

GILBERT TERUEL ANDRES