



Atty. JUDY CAROL LAYUS - DANSAL

SAN BEDA LAW - Batch '76

Atty. Judy Carol Layus Dansal obtained her Bachelor of Arts in English from the Northern Christian College, Laoag City where she attended college from 1969 to 1972, graduating *Cum Laude*. She finished her Bachelor of Laws from San Beda College, Mendiola Manila in 1976 where she was a scholar for one year. She was an active student leader and a member of the Editorial staff of the SBC Law Journal.

She took the 1976 Bar Examination and passed it on the same year. She did so as a part of the last SBC batch/class that garnered a 100% passing rate in the Bar. After admission to the Bar, she joined the government service in the *National Food Authority (NFA)*, as a casual rank and file Special Investigator. Through the years, she was rewarded with upward career movements because of her loyalty, dedicated service, integrity and responsibility as a public servant.

When she became Junior Executive, she was assigned as Chief of Staff of then Administrator Jesus Tanchanco, while he was a member of the Interim Batasang Pambansa from 1984 to 1986. She was also Chief of Staff of the Asst. Administrator for Finance and Administration in 1986 to 1987 and Acting Assistant Director of the Department of Enforcement and Investigation from 1988 to 1989 and Chief of Staff of Deputy Administrator for Finance and Administration. She has been assigned as Department Manager III of the following departments of the NFA: Enforcement Investigation and Prosecution Department, Business Regulation Department, Special Projects Office, Extension Department, Human Resource Management Department and at the Industry Services Department – the office of the NFA that caters/addresses the needs of its stakeholders such as grains businessmen and the farmers.

She was promoted to Deputy Administrator on June 13, 2017 and her services was extended by Administrator Jason Laureano Y. Aquino for two (2) consecutive times with the approval of the Civil Service Commission (CSC).

She retired last December 26, 2018 after serving the National Food Authority for 41 years and 9 months.

She was appointed as Administrator of the NFA and Vice Chairperson of the NFA Council on June 11, 2019 and assumed her post on June 18, 2019. She is likewise the Vice Chairperson of the Philippine Fisheries Development Authority (PFDA). Last November 29, 2019, she was designated as Member of the Board of Directors of Food Terminal Incorporated (FTI) and thereafter voted as Chairperson on January 23, 2020.