



**Court of Magistrates (Malta)
As a Court of Criminal Judicature**

Magistrate Dr. Doreen Clarke LL.D.

Today, the 17th of June, 2016

**The Police
(Inspector Sandra Zammit)**

VS

Artur Khalatyan

The Court,

Having seen the charges against Artur Khalatyan, holder of Georgian driving license bearing number TH0342881.

Charged with having on the 14th June, 2016 in Birkirkara at about 18.45hrs and 18.50hrs:

- (a) Whilst driving in a public road, after he being involved in a traffic accident, as a driver having failed to stop when he was obliged to do so and failed to give his name and address, together with the details of the vehicle, his residing address and the address of the vehicle's insurance, when he was driving vehicle make Chevrolet, bearing registration number MQZ 047.
- (b) Caused involuntary damage on vehicle make Nissan bearing registration number CRS 460, to the detriment of Christian Cachia and on vehicle make Chevrolet bearing registration number MQZ 047, to the detriment of Sundrive Rentals.

- (c) Driven vehicle make Chevrolet, bearing registration number MQZ 047 in a dangerous and negligent manner.
- (d) driven vehicle make Chevrolet, bearing registration number MQZ 047 with excessive speed.

Having seen that the defendant admitted the charges brought against him, and that he confirmed this admission of guilt even after having been given time to reconsider his plea.

Having seen the documents filed by the prosecuting officer.

Having heard the submissions regarding the penalty to be meted out.

Having considered

That defendant admitted the charges brought against him; these are consequently sufficiently proven.

With regards to the penalty to be meted out the Court took into consideration the nature of the offences of which the defendant is being found guilty, his cooperation with the investigating officer, his admission at the earliest stage of these proceedings and his clean conviction sheet.

Wherefore the Court, after having seen section 328(1)(d) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, section 15 of Chapter 65 of the Laws of Malta and regulations 67(1) and 127 of Legal Notice 128 of the year 1994, on his admission finds defendant guilty of the charges brought against him and condemns him to a fine of two hundred Euro (€200) and by application of section 15(2) of the said Chapter 65 is disqualifying the defendant from holding or obtaining any driving license for a period of three months.

DR. DOREEN CLARKE
MAGISTRAT