



**COURT OF MAGISTRATES (MALTA)
AS A COURT OF CRIMINAL JUDICATURE**

Magistrate Dr. Monica Vella LL.D., M.Jur

**The Police
(Spt. Frankie Sammut)**

vs

Goran Rakic

Today, 22nd November 2016

The Court;

Having seen the accusations brought against:

Goran Rakic, 24 years, Serbian national, born in Vrsac on the 19th July 1992, son of Milan and Tatiana neè Marinovic, residing at Bryene Flt 1 Valley Rd Msida, Serbian passport 009248275.

Charged with having on the 21st November 2016 and the period prior to this date in these islands, in order to gain any advantage or benefit for himself or others, in a document intended for a public authority, knowingly made a false declaration or statement and gave false information (*Cap 9, Sec 188(1) of the Laws of Malta*);

Having seen all documents exhibited by the prosecution;

Having seen the records of the case;

Having explained to the accused the charges against him;

Having heard the accused plead guilty to said charges in today's sitting, and this in the presence of defence Counsel Dr. Ivan Mifsud;

Having warned the accused of the legal consequences of such guilty plea and having given the accused further time to reconsider his guilty plea and having heard the accused reconfirm his guilty plea during his arraignment before this Court and thus said guilty plea was registered in the acts of today's sitting, the 22nd November 2016;

Thus, The court upon such guilty plea can only find the accused guilty as charged.

Therefore;

The Court, after having seen Article 188(1) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, hereby finds the accused guilty as charged and condemns the accused to six (6) months imprisonment, which upon the application of Section 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, are being suspended for two years.

The Court explained to the accused his obligations arising out of this judgement.

(ft) Magistrate Dr. Monica Vella LL.D, M. Jur.

(ft) Angelo Buttigieg

Deputy Registrar