

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

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

The Police (Inspector Frankie Sammut)

VS

Abidemi Aborisade

Today, 6<sup>th</sup> February 2017

The Court;

Having seen the accusations brought against:

Abidemi Aborisade, holder of Italian ID card no. AU5155254.

**Charged** with having on the 5<sup>th</sup> February 2017 in these islands, forged, altered or tampered with a Passport or document, or used or had in her possession a Passport or document, which she knew to be forged, altered or tampered with (*Cap. 61. Sec. 5 of the Laws of Malta*).

**Charged** also with having on same date, time and circumstances committed any other kind of forgery, or have knowingly made use of any other forged document, in the mentioned documents (*Cap 9. Sec. 189 of the Laws of Malta*).

**Charged** also with having on same date, time and circumstances without lawful authority uses or has in his possession any document required for the purposes of this act which is forged (*Cap 217. Sec. 32 (1f) 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 her;

Having heard the accused plead guilty to said charges in today's sitting, and this in the presence of Defence Counsel Dr. Yanika Bugeja, thus upon such guilty plea the Court can only find the accused guilty as charged;

Having warned the accused of the legal consequences of such guilty plea and having given the accused further time to reconsider her guilty plea and having heard the accused reconfirm her guilty plea during her arraignment before this Court and thus said guilty plea was registered in the acts of today's sitting, the 6<sup>th</sup> February 2017;

Therefore;

The Court, after having seen Article 5 of Chapter 61, Article 189 of Chapter 9 and Article 32 (1f) of Chap. 217 of the Laws of Malta hereby finds the accused guilty as charged and condemns the accused, upon the application of Section 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, to six months imprisonment suspended for two years.

The Courts explained to the accused her obligations arising out of this judgement.

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

Angelo Buttigieg Deputy Registrar