



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

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

**The Police
(Inspector Mario Haber)**

VS

Shah Islam Fayjul Sanur

Today, 18th February 2017

The Court;

Having seen the accusations brought against:

Shah Islam Fayjul Sanur, holder of Bangladesh Passport number F1015832 and known with Police number 11E-086;

Charged with having on the 16th February 2017 in these islands forged, altered or tampered with a Bangladeshi Passport or used or had in his possession the mentioned Passport which he knew to be forged, altered or tampered with, in the name of Islam

Shofiquil bearing numbers W0331569 (*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 forged any document or true copy of a document or an entry made in pursuance of this act (*Cap 217, Sec 32 (1d) 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. 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 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 18th February 2017;

Having heard the submissions of the parties;

Therefore;

The Court, upon the guilty plea registered by the accused, can only find the accused guilty as charged.

The Court, after having seen Article 5 of Chapter 61, Article 189 of Chapter 9 and Article 32 (1d) of Chap. 217 of the Laws of Malta hereby finds the accused guilty as charged and condemns the accused to a term of imprisonment of seven (7) months which by the application of Article 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta are being suspended for three years.

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

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

(ft) Angelo Buttigieg

Deputy Registrar