



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

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

**The Police
(Inspector Nikolai Sant)**

vs

Stoyanka Stancheva

Today, 27th July 2017,

The Court;

Having seen the accusations brought against:

Stoyanka Stancheva, holder of Bulgarian Identity Card Number
603724604;

Charged with in these Maltese Islands on the 26th July 2017
knowingly received or purchased any property which has been
stolen, misapplied or obtained by means of any offence, whether
committed in Malta or abroad, or shall knowingly take part, in
any manner whatsoever, in the sale or disposal of the same

Having heard the guilty plea of the accused, as duly registered in today's sitting being the first sitting of these proceedings;

Having seen the records of the case;

Having heard the submissions made by the Prosecution and by the defence;

Having duly considered all the records of the case and all submissions made;

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;

Finds the accused guilty as charged;

Therefore;

The Court, after having seen Article 285 and 334 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta finds the accused guilty as charged and condemns the accused to six months imprisonment which upon the application of Section 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta are being suspended for two years.

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

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

(ft) Angelo Buttigieg

Deputy Registrar