



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

**Magistrate Dr. Neville Camilleri
B.A., M.A. (Fin. Serv.), LL.D., Dip. Trib. Eccles. Melit.**

Sitting of the 13th. of February 2021

**The Police
(The Principal Immigration Officer)
(Inspector Lara Butters)**

vs.

Ubrahim Ahmed

Number: 1/2021

The Court,

After having seen the charges brought against the accused **Ubrahim Ahmed**, nineteen (19) years old, Somalia Nationality, son of Ahmed and Medina born on the 3rd. of May 2001, in Mogadishu - Somalia, residing at Hal-Far Tent Village, holder of Police Number 20E-077

charged with having on the 12th. of February 2021 or days prior this date in these islands:

1. of being in possession of a passport whether issued to him by a competent authority therefor a Maltese passport issued on the name of Jaylami Abdule Mohamed, or not, transferred such passport to any other person, or received a passport transferred to him by any other person (Chapter 61, Section 3 of the Laws of Malta);
2. of having made use, or attempted to make use of a passport issued to any other person (Chapter 61, Section 4 of the Laws of Malta);
3. of having made or caused to be made any false return, false statement or false representation (Chapter 217, Section 32(1)(c) of the Laws of Malta).

Having heard and examined all documents forming part of the proceedings.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to all the charges brought against him, notwithstanding the fact that the Court, in terms of Section 453(1) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, warned him in the most solemn manner of the legal consequences of his guilty plea after having given him sufficient time within which to reconsider and withdraw his guilty plea.

Having heard the admission of the accused to all the charges brought against him, the Court has no alternative but to find the accused guilty of all the said charges.

For the purposes of determining punishment, the Court will take into account the offences committed by the accused, his guilty plea at an early stage of the proceedings, and his co-operation with the Police.

Therefore, after having read and considered Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter 61 of the Laws of Malta and Section 32(1)(c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta, the Court finds the accused Ubrahim

Ahmed guilty of all the charges brought against him and condemns him to a term of six (6) months imprisonment.

Dr. Neville Camilleri
Magistrate

Ms. Alexia Attard
Deputy Registrar