

## CIVIL COURT (FAMILY SECTION)

## MR. JUSTICE ANTHONY G. VELLA

Sitting of Wednesday 10th January 2024

Application number; 584/2023 AGV

AMG

VS

SB

The Court;

Having seen the Application of Divorce of AM G dated 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2023;

Respectfully submits and confirms on oath;-

- That the spouses got married at the Public Registry of Malta on the 21st April 2016 (marriage certificate hereby attached **Dok. A**);
- 2. That from this marriage the parties did not have children;
- That the said spouses separated from each other by means of a contract of separation published in the acts of Notary Doctor Jean Carl Debono on 5th September 2022 (authenticated copy of contract is hereby being attached and marked **Dok. B**);
- 4. That as it results from the said contract of separation, the spouses had in their separation regulated their obligation of payment of maintenance, by forfeiting to their respective rights to request maintenance from each other (Article 2 of the said contract).
- 5. That there is no reasonable prospect that the parties will reconcile.
- 6. That the applicant is hereby attaching an affidavit confirming on oath the relevant facts (**Dok. C**).
- 7. Therefore, the conditions mentioned in Article 66B of Chapter 16 are satisfied, and in view of the fact that the spouses are separated by means of a contract of separation, there is no need for a mediation to be held between them.

Therefore, the applicant respectfully requests that, in terms of the dispositions in Article 66B of Chapter 16 of the Laws of Malta, this Honourable Court, after

hearing the parties as intended in Article 66C of Chapter 16, and in order to be established the existence of the conditions mentioned in Article 66B, pronounces the divorce between the parties as intended in the said Article 66C.

The Court;

## Having seen that the defendant was duly notifed, but did not present a reply.

Having seen, therefore, that the Court could pass judgment.

## **DECIDE:**

Now, therefore, the Court; Upholds the applicant's claim.

Declares the divorce of the marriage contracted between the parties on the 21<sup>st</sup> April 2016.

Orders the Registrar of Courts to inform within ten (10) days the Director of the Public Registry to register the divorce in the Public Registry.

Without costs.

Hon. Anthony Vella Judge

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