



In the Court of Magistrates (Malta)
As a Court of Criminal Judicature
Magistrate Dr. Yana Micallef Stafrace LL.D.

The Police
(Inspector Roxanne Tabone)
Vs
Steven Anthony Laws

6th April 2025

The Court

Having seen the charges against Steven Anthony Laws son of Robert and Karen Cotes and born on the 23/11/1982 in Carshalton of British nationality no fixed address holder of UK passport number 142282910 that:

On the date 05/04/2025 at around 10.40 hrs at the Malta International Airport Gudja :

1 Committed theft of sunglasses of brand Rayban SS24 to the detriment of the establishment Hebe and/or to the detriment of any

other person/s and or to any other entity/entities and which amount does not exceed two hundred and thirty nine cents or euro (232.9).

Having seen article 284 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta

Having seen the admission of guilt by the accused

Having seen the oral submissions of the parties

Considerations of this court

The accused registered an admission of guilt at the very initial stages of these proceedings and collaborated with the Police.

Decide

For these reasons and after having seen articles 284, 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta finds the accused Steven Anthony Laws guilty of the charge and condemns him to six(6) months imprisonment suspended for one(1) year.

The court explained in detail the meaning of a suspended sentence.

Magistrate Dr Yana Micallef Stafrace LL.D.

Doris Serpina Sciberras

Deputy Registrar

