

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

MAGISTRATE ANTONIO GIOVANNI VELLA

Sitting of the 10 th May, 2004

Number 373/2004

THE POLICE INSPECTOR SANDRO ZARB

VS

VITALIY BODNARES MYKHAYLO SYDOR NADIYA HORVAT

Today, 10th May 2004.

The Court;

Having seen the charges brought against Vitaliy Bodnarets of 26 years, Ukrainian national, son of Nikolai and Lyudmylla, born at Chernobyl on the the 28th April 1978 and holder of passport number AT. 787217;

And against Mykhaylo Sydor, 30 years, Ukrainian national, son of Miron and Andreina, born at Lvovo on the 9th August 1974, and holder of passport number AX 930679;

And against Nadiya Horvat, 41 years, Ukrainian national, daughter of Nikola and Maria born at Graboviez on the 11th September 1962 and holder of passport number AX 120259;

With having on the 8th May 2004, in Malta, knowingly made use of a forged document being false Schengen Visas bearing numbers D 24757180, D 24757369 and D 24757173 respectively (Chap 9 Sec 189 of the Laws of Malta);

With, furthermore, having on the same date and circumstances as persons who embarked from Malta, made or caused to be made any false return, false statement or false representation (Chap 217 Sec. 32 (1)(c) of the Laws of Malta).

The Court, after having seen Section 189 of Chapter 9 and Section 32 (1) (c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta;

Having seen the authority to proceed, of the Attorney General;

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Having seen the accuseds' declaration that they find no objection to the case being tried summarily ;

And Having heard the oral submissions of the prosecuting officer;

Considers:

That after having seen Article 189 of Chapter 9 and Article 32 of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta;

And in view of the above circumstances, the Court finds the three accused guilty of the charge brought against them by the Prosecution

and condemns them to a term of three (3) months imprisonment but the Court orders that this said term is not served unless the three (3) accused commit another crime in a period of six (6) months from today, in terms of Article 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

< Final Judgement >

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