

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

### MAGISTRATE DR. CONSUELO-PILAR SCERRI HERRERA

Sitting of the 15 th June, 2005

Number 529/2005

The Police Inspector Pierre Micallef Grimaud V

#### SILUN CHEN

#### The Court

Having seen that the accused **SILUN CHEN** aged 22 years, son of Chen Sane Sian and Leong Ah Moi, born in Singapore on the 1<sup>st</sup> July 1983 and temporary residing at room 46, Grand Habour Hotel, Valletta, holder of passport number S 8321912B was arrainged before her accused with having on the 13<sup>th</sup> June 2005 at about 20.00 laid before the Executive Police an information regarding an offence knowing that such offence had not been committed or falsely devices the traces of an offence in such a manner that criminal proceedings may be instituted for the ascertainment of such offence.

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Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charges brought forward against him when he was duly examined in terms of sections 370(4), 390(1) and 392 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

The Court explained to the accused the consequences of his plea of guilt and after having given him sufficient time to reconsider his plea of guilt and saw that the same accused insisted on registering in the acts of these proceedings his plea of guilt, had no alternative but to register such plea.

In the light of the above plea of guilt which guilty plea was made voluntarily, expressly and unconditionally, the Court is satisfied that the accused is to be found guilty of the charges brought forward against him.

The Court heard the Prosecution declare that the accused corroborated with her during these procedures and that he immediately, after having launched the police report, admitted this was false.

The Prosecution also declared that the society did not suffer any material damages in this case.

Having seen the relevant sections at law in particular Section 110(2) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, the Court decides to find the accused **SILUN CHEN** guilty on his own admission of the charge brought forward against him and **condemns him to a period of imprisonment** for three months which period is being suspended for a period of two years in line with article 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

The Court explained the importance of this judgment to the accused and the consequences if he fails to adhere to it. Informal Copy of Judgement

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