

## QORTI TAL-MAGISTRATI (MALTA) BHALA QORTI TA' GUDIKATURA KRIMINALI

## MAGISTRAT DOREEN CLARKE

Seduta ta' I-20 ta' April, 2009

Numru. 1084/2008

The Police (Inspector Therese Sciberras)

vs

## Jonathan Scott Fulton

Case Number: 1084/2008

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against Jonathan Scott Fulton born on the 12<sup>th</sup> March, 1988 in Scotland, son of Thomas and Margareth nee` Feris holder of the Maltese Identity Card 32445A residing whilst in Malta at 59, Villa Fjuri, Triq ta' Fuq il- Widien, Mellieha. Kopja Informali ta' Sentenza

Accused that whilst in the Maltese Islands, in Mellieha between the  $1^{st}$  of January, 2008 and the  $1^{st}$  of September, 2008 voluntarily caused damages to a bus shelter which amounts to  $\in 1,165$  to the detriment of the Government of Malta.

Morover, he is accused that on the same date, time and circumstances he voluntarily caused damages amounting to more than €233 and less than €2330 on a vehicle bearing the registration number DBA 281 to the detriment of Carmel Mifsud.

Having seen section 325(1)(b) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charges, this not withstanding the fact that the Court warned him of the consequences of his plea and afforded to him sufficient time within which to withdraw his guilty plea.

Having seen the acts of the proceedings.

Having heard the oral submissions made by the parties.

Considered:

That the accused replied guilty to the charges brought against him; the charges are consequently sufficiently proved.

That the accused co-operated with the competent authorities in their investigation and admitted the charges brought against him in the initial stages of the procedures. The defendant has paid for the damages caused by him. Furthermore the Court is informed by the prosecuting officer that defendant has no prior convictions.

For these reasons, the Court, after having seen section 325(1)(b) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, on defendant's admission finds him guilty of the charges brought against him and by application of section 22 of

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Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta is discharging him subject to the condition that he does not commit an other offence in the period of one year.

The Court explained to the defendant in ordinary language of the consequences should he commit another offence during the said period of a year.

## < Sentenza Finali >

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