



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

**MAGISTRATE
DOREEN CLARKE**

Sitting of the 13th August, 2009

Number. 771/2009

**The Police
(Inspector Mario Haber)**

vs

Michael Chileno Okechukwu Ama Obi

Today the 13th August, 2009,

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against the accused, Michael Chileno Okechukwu Ama Obi, 41 years old, Nigerian National, son of Boniface and Grace, born in Liverpool, on the 25th July, 1968, residing at Flat 16, 'Indipendenza', Binja Minzel, Gebel San Martin, Zejtun, holder of Maltese ID Card number 48187A and Nigerian Passport Number A 1559717.

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Charged with having on the 1st August, 2009 and in the previous days in Malta with the intent to make any gain whatsoever aided, assisted, counseled or procured any other person to enter or to attempt to enter or to leave Malta in contravention of the laws thereof or who, in Malta or outside Malta, conspired to that effect with any other person and this in violation of Article 337A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta

Having seen section 337A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

Having seen that the defendant admitted the charge brought against him and confirmed this admission of guilt even after the Court gave him sufficient time to change his plea.

Having seen the documents and all the acts of the proceedings.

Having heard the submissions of the parties regarding the penalty to be meted out.

Having considered that the defendant admitted the charge brought against him; this is consequently sufficiently proved.

Having considered on the one hand the nature of the offence brought against defendant, and on the other hand his admission of guilt at the earliest stage of these proceedings and his clean criminal record.

Wherefore, the court after having seen section 377A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, on his admission finds defendant guilty of the charge brought against him and condemns him to nine (9) months imprisonment.

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