



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

**MAGISTRAT DR.
AUDREY DEMICOLI**

Seduta tad-19 ta' Frar, 2010

Numru. 1251/2009

**Police
Inspector Edel Mary Camilleri
vs
Dennis Abiku
Omissis**

The Court;

Having seen the accused Dennis Abiku of 23 years, son of Obiku and Dola, born in Edo States in Nigeria on the 11th of May 1986 and holder of police number 08AA-14 and escapee from Safi Barracks, Safi, Malta was arraigned before it and charged with having :

On the 21st November 2009, previous dates and later dates in Malta, made use or caused to be made a false return, false statement or false representation and/or furnished the Principal Immigration Officer with false information, and this in violation of Article 32 (1c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta.

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For having committed any other kind of forgery, or knowingly made use of any other forged document, and this in violation of Article 189 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

Dennis Abiku alone :

For having in June 2009, the days before and after this date, in Malta committed an escape from a place of custody. And this in violation of Article 151 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

Having seen all documents and records of the procedures including the note filed by the Attorney General (a. folio 51) dated 5th February 2010 whereby he transmitted acts and records of the preliminary investigation to be heard and decided by this Court as a Court of Criminal Judicature and whereby he deemed that from the preliminary investigation there might result an offence or offences under the provisions of:-

- (a) Article 17 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;
- (b) Article 32(1) (c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta;
- (c) Article 189 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;
- (d) Article 151 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;

Having seen that on the 19th February 2010 the accused answered that he had no objection that his case is heard by summary proceedings and decided by this Court as a Court of Criminal Judicature.

Having heard all evidence submitted in this case.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to all the charges brought against him during the sitting held on the 19th of February 2010 and this after the Court had warned him of the consequences of registering a guilty plea and after

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having granted to him sufficient time within which to withdraw his guilty plea.

After having heard the accused plead guilty to all the charges brought against him the Court has no alternative but to declare him guilty of all the said charges.

With regards to the applicable punishment the Court took into consideration the fact that the accused has a clean criminal record and therefore applied a punishment towards the minimum applicable by law.

After having seen sections 17, 189 and 151 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta and section 32(1) (c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta, the Court declares the accused guilty of all the charges brought against him and condemns him six(6) months imprisonment.

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