MALTA

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

MAGISTRATE DR. CONSUELO-PILAR SCERRI HERRERA

Sitting of the 8 th April, 2010

Number. 337/2010

The Police
Inspector Joseph Hersey
V

JOHN ESSIFUL

Sitting held today, 8th April 2010.

The Court

Having seen that the accused **JOHN ESSIFUL**, Liberian national born in Kacne Town, Liberia on the 14th of November, 1988, son of Kugu and Aihe, known with police number 07EEE-027 presently residing at the Hal-Far Tent Village, was arraigned before her and accused:-

1.   With having, in the months prior to the 8th April 2010, in Malta, embarked without being in possession of a passport and without furnishing the Principal Immigration Officer with the prescribed

information and such other information as the Principal Immigration Officer might have deemed proper to require.

Having seen all the documents exhibited in the acts of these proceedings by the Prosecution in particular the police documentation.

Having heard the accused declare that he understands the English language well and that he understood the charges brought forward against him by the prosecution.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charges brought forward against him.

The Court explained to the accused the consequences of his plea of guilt and after having given the accused 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.

Thus the Court having seen the relevant sections at law in particular Section 28 of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta **decides to find the accused JOHN ESSIFUL guilty of the charges brought against him by the prosecution and condemns him for a period of three (3) months imprisonment.**

< Final Judgement >

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