

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

### MAGISTRATE DR. CLAIRE-LOUISE STAFRACE

Sitting of the 3 rd August, 2010

Number. 783/2010

# The Police [Inspector Geoffrey Azzopardi]

VS

#### **Emanuel Okonkwo**

#### The Court,

Having seen that the accused Emanuel Okonkwo, known with Police Number 08TTT-037.

Was charged with having in the months prior the 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2010:

- 1. Escaped form a place of custody in breach of Articles 151 and 160 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta; and
- 2. Embarked from Malta without a passport and without furnishing the Principal Immigration Officer the

prescribed information and such other information as the Principal Immigration Officer may have deemed proper to require, in terms of Article 28 of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta.

After seeing evidence brought by the prosecution;

After hearing examination of the accused whereby he pleaded guilty to the charges brought against him and reconfirmed such plea even after the Court gave him the faculty to reconsider his position.

For this reason and after seeing Article 151 and 160 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta and Article 28 of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta, declares accused Emanuel Okonkwo guilty of the accusations against him and condemns him to six (6) months imprisonment.

< Final Judgement >
END