

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

MAGISTRATE DR. EDWINA GRIMA

Sitting of the 10 th September, 2010

Number, 939/2010

The Police (Inspector Geoffrey Azzopardi)

VS

Greg Agharia, 18 years, son of Peter and Confort, born in Nigeria on the 10th January 1992 and residing at No 5, Sqaq San Lawrence, Zejtun, Police no. 08XXX-097

and

Sunday Igbinakhase, 26 years, son of Igbinakhase and Itohan, born in Nigeria on the 1st December 1983 and residing at 5A, Sqaq San Lawrence, Zejtun.

Police No. 08XXX-021

and

Osas Aigi, 19 years, son of Aigi and Osani, born in Nigeria on the 19th March 1991 and residing at Hal Far Tent Village. Police No 08XXX-030

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against accused in that they in the weeks prior to the 9th September 2010 in Malta;

- 1. Forged, altered or tampered with any passport or used or had in his possession any passport which he knew to be forged, altered or tampered with in terms of Art 5, Chapter 61 of the Laws of Malta;
- 2. Without lawful authority used or had in his possession any forged document required for the purposes of the Immigration Act in terms of Art 32(1), Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta;
- 3. Knowingly made use of a forged document, that is Spanish Residence permit Card in terms of Art 189, Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta

Having seen documents exhibited;

Having heard accused admit to the charges brought against them which admission of guilt was reaffirmed alter the Court gave them adequate time during which to reconsiders same.

Having heard submissions regarding the punishment to be inflicted;

Considers;

That in view of the guilty plea filed by the accused the Court cannot but find them guilty as charged.

That in considering the punishment to be inflicted, the Court is taking into consideration the early guilty plea filed

by the accused and will therefore impose the minimum punishment prescribed by law.

Consequently the Court after having see article 189 of Chapter 9, article 5 of Chapter 61 and article 21(1)(f) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta, finds the accused guilty as charged and condemns them to a period of six (6) months imprisonment.

The Court orders that a copy of the acts and the proceedings together with a copy of the sentence be notified to the Attorney General as laid down by law.

< Final Judgement >
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