

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

MAGISTRATE DR. GABRIELLA VELLA

Sitting of the 26 th December, 2010

Number 1380/2010

Police (Inspector Joseph Hersey)

Vs.

Adama Sangare

The Court,

Having seen charges brought against Adama Sangare, thirty (30) years of age, son of Koloko and Aminata, born in Mali in 1980, and residing at Hal Far Tent Village, bearing Police no: 08VV-009: of having on the 24th December 2010, as a person who embarked or disembarked from Malta, made 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 Section 32(1)(c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta; and moreover of having under the same circumstances in these Islands, knowingly

made use of a forged document being a 'Titolo Di Viaggio Per Stranieri' bearing no: 47345, in violation of Section 189 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;

Having heard the evidence and examined all documents forming part of the proceedings;

Having heard the accused plead guilty to all the charges brought against him, notwithstanding the fact that the Court, in terms of Section 453(1) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, warned him in the most solemn manner of the legal consequences of his guilty plea after having given him sufficient time within which to reconsider and withdraw his guilty plea;

Having heard the admission of the accused to all the charges brought against him, the Court necessarily finds him guilty of charges brought against him.

For the purposes of determining due punishment the Court took into account various factors, including the state of health of the accused:

Therefore, after having read and considered Section 32 (1) (c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta and Section 189 of Chapter 9 of the Laws Of Malta, the Court finds the accused guilty of the charges brought against him and condemns him to four (4) months imprisonment.

The Court orders that in terms of Section 392A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta the records of this case and a copy of this judgement be transmitted to the Attorney General within the time periods stipulated by Law.

