



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

**MAGISTRATE DR.  
EDWINA GRIMA**

Sitting of the 23 rd January, 2011

Number. 202/2011

**The Police  
(Inspector Therese Sciberras)**

**vs**

**Kenneth Godwin, 34 years old born on the 15/09/1976  
Sudan, son of Godwin Ahmed and Grace Godwin  
residing at 13 Omega Court Flat No 28 Triq Ananija St.  
Paul's Bay holder of Maltese ID no 38602A**

The Court;

Having seen the charge brought against accused Kenneth Godwin who was charged of having between the 10/01/2011 and the 22/01/2011 some time in Qawra St. Paul's Bay Malta by several acts committed by him, even if at different times, which constitute violation of the same provision of the law, committed in pursuance of the same design, defiled a minor that is AminaAbdel Rahman who is 17 years of age who is below the age of eighteen years.

Having seen the documents exhibited;

Having heard the accused admit to the charges brought against him which admission of guilt was reaffirmed after having been given adequate time to reconsider same;

That in considering the punishment to be inflicted the Court is taking into consideration the early guilty plea filed by the accused and the fact that he cooperated with the police in their investigations. The Court is taking also into consideration the fact that the minor in question is seventeen (17) years of age and as declared by the same minor to the police the meeting with the accused was of a consensual nature.

Consequently the Court after having seen Section 203(1) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta finds the accused guilty as charged and condemns him to a period of 1 year imprisonment, which term of imprisonment after having seen Section 28A of Chapter 9 of the laws of Malta and after having taken into consideration the circumstances of the case is being suspended for a period of two years from today.

The Court warns the accused of the consequences according to law should he commit another crime during this operative period of imprisonment .

The Court after having seen Section 383 orders the accused not to communicate with Amira Abdel Rahman and this under a penalty of five hundred euros (€500)

The Court orders that a copy of this sentence be forwarded to the Attorney General in time as laid down by law.

**< Final Judgement >**

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