

QORTI TAL-MAGISTRATI (MALTA) BHALA QORTI TA' GUDIKATURA KRIMINALI

MAGISTRAT DR. AUDREY DEMICOLI

Seduta tas-7 ta' April, 2011

Numru 491/2011

The Police (Inspector Geoffrey Azzopardi)

VS

Ofure Imheniga

The Court;

Having seen the charge brought against, Ofure Imheniga of 22 years, son of Patrick and Dora born in Nigeria on the 22 of September 1988 and resides at Hal Far tent Village and holder of Police number 08UUU-024, was arraigned before her and charged with having:

In the weeks prior the 7th April 2011, in Malta:

1. Forged, altered or tempered with any passport or used or had in his possesion any passport which he knew

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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 froged document required for the purposes of the immigration Act in terms of Art 32(1) (f), Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta;

3. Knowingly made use of a forged document, that is, a forged Spanish Residence permit Card in terms of Art 189, Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;

Having seen all the acts of the proceedings including the Attorney General's consent dated 7th April 2011 (exhibited a. folio 9 of the proceedings) for this case to be treated summarily.

Having heard the accused declare that he has no objection that this case is heard summarily.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charges brought against him, notwithstanding the fact that the Court warned him of the consequences of him guilty plea after having afforded her sufficient time within which to withdraw his guilty plea.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charge brought against him the Court has no alternative but to find the accused guilty of the charges brought against him.

With regards to punishment the Court took into consideration the fact that the accused pleaded guilty at an early stage of the proceedings and also the fact that he is a first time offender.

The Court after having seen section 189 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta and section 5 of Chapter 61 of the Laws of Malta and Section 32 (1)(f) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta, finds the accused guilty of all the charges brought against him and condemns him three(3) months imprisonment. Kopja Informali ta' Sentenza

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