



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

**MAGISTRAT DR.
EDWINA GRIMA**

Seduta tat-2 ta' Awwissu, 2011

Numru. 891/2011

**The Police
(Inspector Bernard Charles Spiteri)**

vs

**Kevin Patrick Duddy, holder of identity card number
24040(A), aged 32 years, son of William and Maybel
Duddy, born in United Kingdom, on the 20th Nov
November 1978 and resides at 376, Canon Road,
Santa Venera.**

The Court;

Having seen charges brought against accused who was charged with having in these Islands on the 1st August, 2011, at around 7.00pm, whilst he was in Fleur De Lys Road, Birkirkara and in the vicinity:

1. Assaulted or resisted by violence or active force, PS321 Alan La Grasta and PC423 Victor Ciantar persons

lawfully charged with a public duty in the execution of the law or of lawful order, issued by competent authority in breach of article 96 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

2. Reviled, threatened or caused bodily harm to PS321 Alan La Grasta and PC423 Victor Ciantar, persons charged with a public duty, while in the act of discharging their duty or because of them having discharged such duty, or with intent to intimidate or unduly influence them in the discharge of such duty, in breach of article 95 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

3. Disobeyed the lawful order of any authority or of any person entrusted with a public service, or hindered or obstructed such person in the exercise of their duties, or duty interfered with the exercise of such duties, either by preventing other persons from doing what they were lawfully enjoined or allowed to do, or frustrating or undoing what had been lawfully done by other persons, or in any other manner whatsoever, in breach of article 338(ee) of Chapter 9 of the laws of Malta.

4. Wilfully disturbed the public order and peace in breach of Article 338 (dd) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

5. In any public place or place open to the public was found drunk and incapable of taking care of himself.

6. With his course of conduct he harassed Bernice Ferriggi and other people.

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Having seen documents exhibited;

Having heard accused plead guilty to the charges brought against him which guilty plea was reaffirmed after the accused was given adequate time to reconsider same.

Having heard submissions regarding the punishment to be inflicted;

Considers;

That in view of the guilty plea filed by the accused the Court finds him 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, his clean conviction sheet and above all the fact that the accused is an alcoholic and is in need of supervision and guidance by professional people.

Consequently the Court after having seen sections 95, 96, 338(ee), 338(dd)(ff), 251A(1)(a) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta finds accused guilty as charged and in view of the above made considerations and after having seen section 7 of Chapter 446 of the Laws of Malta places the guilty person under a Probation Order for a period of three (3) years from today.

The Court warns the guilty person of the consequence according to law should he commit another crime during the operative period of this Probation Order should he fail to follow any condition imposed on him by this order or should he fail to follow any order given to him by the Probation Officer.

The Court orders that a copy of this sentence be forwarded to the Director Probation Service.

Finally the Court orders that a copy of this sentence together with the acts of the case be forwarded to the Attorney General.

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