



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

**MAGISTRAT DR.
DOREEN CLARKE**

Seduta tas-27 ta' Frar, 2012

Numru. 101/2012

**The Police
(Inspector Herman Mula)**

vs

Vickie Gachet

Today the 27th February 2012

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against the accused, Vickie Gachet, 18 years of age, born on the 3rd July 1993 in Grenoble France, daughter of Christian and Chrystele nee Laforge, temporarily resident at 10 Hughes Hallet Street Sliema bearer of French passport number 11CV11743.

Charged with having on these islands, on the 26th February 2012 and in the preceding weeks, had in her

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possession (otherwise than in the course of transit through Malta or its territorial waters) the resin obtained from the plant cannabis or any other preparation of which such resin formed the base, in terms of section 8(a) of Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta.

Having seen section 8(a) of Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta.

Having seen the order of the Attorney General for this case to be tried by this Court as Court of Criminal Judicature.

Having seen that the defendant admitted the charge brought against her and that she confirmed this admission of guilt even after the Court gave her sufficient time to reconsider his plea.

Having seen the documents filed by the prosecuting officer.

Having heard the submissions of the parties regarding the penalty to be meted out.

Having considered that the defendant admitted the charge brought against her; this is consequently sufficiently proved.

Having considered, with regards the penalty to be meted out, the nature of the offence brought against defendant, her admission of guilt at the earliest stage of these proceedings and her cooperation with the police as well as her clean conviction sheet.

Wherefore, the Court, after having seen section 8(a) of Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta, on her admission finds defendant guilty of the charge brought against her and by application of section 22 of Chapter 446 of the Laws of Malta discharges her on condition that she does not commit an other offence in the period of one year.

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The Court is also ordering that the substance exhibited as Document HM 5 be destroyed under the supervision of the Registrar of this Court.

The Court explained to the defendant in ordinary language the significance of this judgement.

< Sentenza Finali >

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