



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

**MAGISTRATE DR.
GIOVANNI GRIXTI**

Sitting of the 10th May, 2012

Number 491/2012

**The Police
(Ins. Angelo Gafa')
vs
Alexander Bryan Hutchinson**

The Court;

Having seen the charges brought against **Alexander Bryna Hutchinson**, 36 years, son of Charles and Valerie nee' Hodges born in Hastings, United Kingdom, on the 15th October, 1975, residing at 152, Milward Road, Hastings, United Kingdom and holder of Maltese identity card number 51312A and British passport bearing number 094160805 issued on the 11th September, 2002.

Charged with having in these Islands, between the 8th and 10th May, 2009, by means of several acts, even if committed at different times, that constituted violations of the same provision of the law, and committed in

pursuance of the same design, by means of an unlawful practice, or by the use of fictitious name, or the assumption of any false designation, or by means of any other deceit, device or pretence calculated to lead to the belief in the existence of any fictitious enterprise or of any imaginary power, influence or credit, or to create the expectation or apprehension of any chimerical event, made gain of seven hundred sixty six euros and sixty five cents (€766.65) to the prejudice of GO plc, operators of retail outlet styled as Go Mobile Store in Baystreet Complex in St. Julian's, four thousand nine hundred euros (€4900) to the prejudice of Sterling Holdings Co. Ltd, operators of retail outlet styled as Sterling Jewellers in Valletta, three hundred forty one euros (€341) to the prejudice of P. Cutajar & Co. Limited, operators of retail outlet styled as Solaris outlet in Sliema and three hundred ninety four euros and forty five cents (€394.45) to the prejudice of Lifetime Limited, operators of outlet styled as Hugo's Lounge in Paceville;

For having also in the Maltese Islands, on the 9th May, 2009, with intent to defraud Classic Group Limited, operators of retail outlet styled Classic Jewellers in Valletta, the sum of eight thousand three hundred eighty euros (€8380), had manifested such intent by overt acts which were followed by a commencement of the execution of the crime, and which crime was not completed in consequence of some accidental cause independent of his will.

Having heard the plea of guilt as registered by the accused and shown in the records of today's sitting;

Having seen the records of the case, deems the charges to be duly proven by the prosecution and therefore finds the accused guilty as charged;

Having seen articles 308, 41 (1) (a) and 308 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;

Having seen the clean conduct sheet of the accused and having noted that the accused has made good for all damages caused;

Condemns the accused to a term of imprisonment of two (2) years from today which term shall not elapse unless the accused commits any other offence punishable with imprisonment within a term of two (2) years from today in terms of article 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta;

The Court explained to the accused his obligations at law arising out of this judgement;

The Court orders that these acts be transmitted to the attorney general within the time prescribed by law.

< Final Judgement >

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