



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

**MAGISTRATE DR.  
DOREEN CLARKE**

Sitting of the 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2013

Number. 988/2013

**Police  
(Inspector Jason Francis Sultana)**

**vs**

**Kristina Patrovic**

The Court,

Having seen the charges against Kristina Patrovic, of 33 years, daughter of Ratko and Stojanka nee' Simic, born in the Republic of Serbia, on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October, 1979, residing at Earl's Court, Flat 8, Wied il-Kappara Street, Gzira and holder of residence permit number 67214(A).

Charged with having

1. On the 7<sup>th</sup> of October, 2013 within these islands, from Marks and Spencer, Sliema committed the theft of a

number of garments which amount exceeds the values of €232.94 but is less than €2329.37, which theft is aggravated by value to the detriment of Andrew Attard, holder of identity card number 239988(M) and or other persons or companies and this in breach of article 261(c) and 267 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

Having seen sections 261(c) u 267 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

Having seen that during the hearing held today by this Court sitting as a Court of Criminal Inquiry the defendant admitted the charge brought against her and confirmed her admission of guilt even after having been given time to reconsider his plea.

Having seen the documents exhibited.

Having heard 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.

Regarding the penalty to be meted out, the nature of the offence of which the defendant is being found guilty, her cooperation with the police, her admission at the earliest stage of these proceedings, and her clean conviction sheet.

Wherefore the Court after having seen sections 261(c) and 267 of Chapter 9 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 is discharging the defendant on condition that she does not commit an other offence in the period of a year.

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

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consequences should she commit an other offence in the period of a year.

**< Final Judgement >**

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