

MALTA

QORTI TAL-MAGISTRATI (MALTA) BHALA QORTI TA' GUDIKATURA KRIMINALI MAGISTRAT DR. JOSETTE DEMICOLI

Seduta tal-11 ta' Frar, 2015

Numru. 1/2015

The Principal Immigration Officer (Inspector Frankie Sammut)

Vs

Youssef Ibrahim

Sitting of Wednesday 11th February, 2015

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against Youssef Ibrahim, Niger National, born on the 22nd January 1985 in Niger, son of Youssef and Fatih, residing at 30, Triq Xintill, Tarxien holder of Codice Fiscale YSSBHM85A22Z334E

With having on the 31st December 2014 in these islands forged, altered or tampered with an Italian ID card or document, or used or had in his possession an Italian ID card or document, which he knew to be forged, altered or tampered with, in the name of Youssef Ibrahim, (Cap. 61, Sec. 5 of the Laws of Malta);

And charge him with having on same date, time and circumstances committed any other kind of forgery, or have knowingly made use of any other forged document, in the mentioned documents (Chap. 9, Sec. 189 of the Laws of Malta);

And charge him with having on same date, time and circumstances without lawful authority used or had in his possession any document required for the purposes of this Act which is forged (Cap. 217, Sec. 32 (1f) of the Laws of Malta);

Having seen all the acts and documents exhibited;

Having seen the Attorney General's consent that this case be dealt with summarily and that the accused has no objection that the case be tried summarily.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charges brought against him, notwithstanding the fact that the Court warned him in the most solemn manner of the legal consequences of his guilty plea after having given him sufficient time within which to reconsider and withdraw his guilty plea;

Having heard the prosecution and defence counsel make their submissions.

Considers:

Having heard the guilty plea of the accused to the charges brought against him the Court has no alternative but to declare the accused guilty of all 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, his clean record sheet and the circumstances of the case.

In view of the above, the Court, after having seen article 5 of Chapter 61 of the Laws of Malta, article 189 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, article 32(1)(f) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta and articles 17 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta upon admission finds the accused guilty of the charges brought against him and condemns him to a period of six (6) months imprisonment. Any period of time which the accused has been under preventive custody in connection with these proceedings is to be deducted.

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