

## COURT OF MAGISTRATES (MALTA) AS A COURT OF CRIMINAL JUDICATURE MAGISTRATE DR. MIRIAM HAYMAN

Sitting of the 3 rd April, 2015

Number. 115/2015

## The Police Inspector Nikolai Sant

**VS** 

## Nathanial Ashley Edward Mcintosh holder of British License Number MCINT809079NA9RF07;

## The Court;

Having seen charges proffered against the above-mentioned **Nathanial Ashley Edward Mcintosh** who was charged of having on the 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2015 and previous days, on these Islands:

Had in his possession the drugs (cocaine) specified in the First Schedule of the Dangerous Drug Ordinance, Chapter101 of the Laws of Malta, when he was not in possession of an import or an export authorisation issued by the Chief Government Medical Officer in pursuance of the provisions of paragraphs 4 and 6 of the Ordinance, and when he was not licensed or otherwise authorised to manufacture or supply the mentioned drugs, and was not otherwise licensed by the President of Malta or authorised by the Internal Control of Dangerous Drugs Regulations (G.N.292/1939) to be in possession of the mentioned drugs, and failed to prove that the mentioned drugs was supplied to him for his personal use, according to a medical prescription as provided in the said regulations, and this in breach of the 1939 Regulations, of the Internal Control of Dangerous Drugs (G.N.292/1939) as subsequently amended by the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta.

Seen Attorney General's Order to proceed under Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta.

Seen that accused entered an early guilty plea on his examination and persisted therein, after having been given ample time to consider same.

Therefore, the Court finds him guilty as charged, after having seen Sections 22, 22(2)(b) of Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta; the Provisions of Parts 4 and 6 of the said Chapter; GM 292/1939; and L.S. 101.02, and considers that in view of his age and the crime being that of a simple possession, that he should be discharged under the provisions of Section 22 of

Chapter 446 of the Laws of Malta, for a period of one (1) year.

The Court explained the obligations arising from the said conditional discharge.

The Court also orders the destruction of the drugs exhibited, as also the forfeiture of the monies exhibited.

< Final Judgement >
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