



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

MAGISTRATE DR. AUDREY DEMICOLI LL.D.

Today 15th of September, 2018

**Police
(Inspector Matthew Spagnol)**

vs

Anna Senbruna

The Court;

Having seen the charges brought against Anna Senbruna holder of Latvian Passport number: LV5154329;

1. And accused her with having on the 12th September 2016 and/or the days before at different times from the St. George's Park Hotel which is situated in Dragonara Road, St. Julian's committed a theft of money (€900) to the detriment of the entity

St. George's Park Hotel which is part of the Cavendish Hotels in which theft is aggravated by amount and persons;

2. And also accuse her of misapplying, converting to her own benefit or to the benefits of any other person, anything which had been entrusted or delivered to her under a title which implies an obligation to return such thing or to make use thereof for a specific purpose.

Having seen all records of the proceedings.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the first charge brought against her and notwithstanding the fact that the Court warned her of the consequences of her guilty plea and after having afforded her sufficient time within which to withdraw her guilty plea, the Court had no alternative but to find her guilty of the charge brought against her.

With regards to punishment the Court took into consideration the fact that the accused has a clean criminal record, the fact that she cooperated in the course of the investigations and also the fact that she had paid back the sum of six hundred and fifty euros (€650)

After having seen Sections 18, 31, 261(c)(d), 267, 268, 279(a) and 280 of the Criminal Code, the Court finds the accused guilty of the first charge brought against her and condemns her two (2) years imprisonment which in terms of section 28A of the Criminal Code are being suspended for a period of four (4) years from today.

In terms of Section 28H of the Criminal Code the Court condemns the accused to pay the sum of two hundred and fifty euros (€250) to Cavendish Hotels Limited and this within three (3) months from today. Since the second charge was given as an alternative to the first charge for which the accused was found guilty, the Court abstains from taking further cognisance of the said charge.

After having seen Article 392 A (2) and 401 (3) of Chapter. 9 of the Laws of Malta, the Court orders that a copy of this judgement together with the acts of these proceedings are sent to the Attorney General within the time limit stipulated by Law.

MAGISTRATE

Graziella Abela
Deputy Registrar