



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

**MAGISTRATE NATASHA GALEA SCIBERRAS B.A., LL.D.**

**Today: 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018**

**The Principal Immigration Officer  
(Inspector Darren Buhagiar)**

**vs**

**Aleksandar Milicic  
Serbian Passport Number: 0123480900**

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against Aleksandar Milicic, 28 years, Serbian national, son of Zeljko and Gordana, born in Foca, Bosnia on 28<sup>th</sup> August 1989, residing at Belgrade, Serbia and holder of Serbian passport bearing number 0123480900;

Charged with having on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2018 or previous days:

In order to gain any advantage or benefit for himself or others, in any document intended for any public authority, knowingly made a false declaration or statement or gave false information to the Airport Police (Chapter 9, Section 188 of the Laws of Malta);

And also with having on the same date and circumstances, made or caused to be made any false return, false statement or false representation in relation to any information to be given under or for the purposes of the Immigration Act (Chapter 217, Section 32(1c) of the Laws of Malta).

Having seen the records of the case;

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charges brought against him, which plea was confirmed by the accused even after the Court, in terms of Section 453(1) of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, warned him of the legal consequences thereof, and allowed him sufficient time to reconsider his reply and to retract it;

Having heard final oral submissions by the parties about the punishment to be inflicted.

**Considered that:**

In view of the guilty plea filed by the accused, the Court cannot but find him guilty of the charges brought against him.

For the purpose of the punishment to be inflicted, the Court took into consideration that the accused cooperated with the police during its investigation and his clean criminal record. Furthermore it took into consideration, the nature of the charges brought as well as the circumstances of the case.

**Conclusion**

For these reasons the Court, after having seen Sections 17 and 188 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta and Section 32(1)(c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta, upon his guilty plea, finds the accused guilty of the charges brought against him and condemns him to two (2) months effective imprisonment.

Natasha Galea Sciberras  
Magistrate