



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

**MAGISTRATE DR.
ANTONIO MICALLEF TRIGONA**

Sitting of the 8 th January, 2004

Number 1028/2003

**Police
(Inspector Pierre Micallef Grimaud)**

vs

**Darryl George
Margot Vella**

The Court,

Having seen the charges brought against the accused Darryl George 26 years, son of Collin George and Ruth nee' Surman, born in the United Kingdom on 13 October 1977, residing at 21 Flat 3 Vicky Flats Triq Willie Apap Arena Gzira holder of British Passport No 027292997, and Margot Vella 24 years, daughter of Paul Vella and Maria nee' Baldacchino, born in St Julians on 30 September 1979, residing at 21 Flat 3 Vicky Flats Triq

Willie Apap Arena Gzira, holder of Identity Card No 464779 M with having in Valletta:

1. On 15 December 2003 at about 20:30 hours, whilst inside the Embassy Complex in St Lucy Street Valletta, committed theft of purse which contained personal documents and credit cards, to the detriment of Michelle Falzon, in breach of Sections 261 (f) and 270 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta.

2. And against Darryl George alone for having on these Islands, on the 15 December 2003, had in his possession the resin obtained from the plant "Cannabis", or any other preparation of which such resin formed the base, in terms of Section 8 (a) and (d) of Chapter 101 of the Laws of Malta.

Have seen the order issued by the Attorney General in terms of sub-article 2 of Article 22 of Chapter 101 that accused Darryl George be prosecuted before this court as a Court of Criminal Judicature;

Have seen the request of the Attorney General that the case be heard summarily not opposed by the accused;

Having heard the accused plead guilty and the charges respectively brought against them.

Considers:

That accused admission is voluntary and unconditional to which they have persisted even when given time and reconsider.

On the basis of this admission the Court is acquitting the accused conditionally not to commit a crime within 6 months in respect of accused Darryl George and 1 month in respect of accused Margot Vella in terms of Article 22 of Chapter 464 after having considered the clean criminal record of both accused and also that the wallet has been retrieved and returned.

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