



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

**MAGISTRATE DR.
JOSEPH CASSAR**

Sitting of the 13th April, 2006

Number 339/2006

The Police
(Inspector Daniel Zammit)

-vs-

Steffi Kirshthaler

The Court,

Having seen that the accused Steffi Kirshthaler, daughter of Harald and Annetta, born in Landau, Germany on the 5th June 1982, holder of German ID Card No. 2163551469 and residing at the Milano Due Hotel, Sliema.

Was charged that on the 11th April 2006, at around 17:00hrs in the afternoon, at Merrill Hotel Rm 141, Mathew Pulis Street, Sliema, she stole from the person of Nadin Yasmine Schmidt, which theft exceeded Lm1000, and which theft is aggravated by means, value and person

and this according to article 261(b), (c), (d), 263, 265, 267, and 268(b) of the Criminal Code Chap 9 of the Laws of Malta;

Also that, on the 12th April 2006, and the previous days, in Malta, knowingly received or purchased any property and property exceeding Lm 1000 in value, which has been stolen, misapplied or obtained by means of any offence, whether committed in Malta or abroad, or knowingly took part, in any manner whatsoever, in the sale or disposal of the same property.

Having seen that the accused pleaded guilty in the presence of her defence counsel and submitted the plea after being warned by the Court of the consequences of such plea.

Finds the accused guilty of the first charge and not guilty of the second.

Having seen sections 261(b), (c), (d), 263, 265, 267, and 268(b) of the Criminal Code together with section 22 of Chapter 446 of the Laws of Malta, decides to apply the last mentioned section in view of the accused' s clean conduct sheet and in view that the 'res furtive' was returned to the owner.

Whilst finding the accused guilty discharges her subject to the condition that she does not commit another offence within three years from today. The Court is explaining to the guilty party in ordinary language that if she commits another offence during the period of conditional discharge, she will be liable to be sentenced for the original offence.

< Final Judgement >

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