

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

## MAGISTRATE DR. JACQUELINE PADOVANI

Sitting of the 1 st March, 2010

Number 84/2010

## THE POLICE INSPECTOR EDEL MARIE CAMILLERI VS IBRAHIM MAMADOU

The Court, having seen the charges brought against Ibrahim Mamadou of 19 years, born in Ivory Coast, son of Ibrahim and Asitta born on the 1/1/1991, residing at Marsa Open Centre, holder of Police number 07G-21.

Charged with having on the 1<sup>st</sup> February 2010 and later dates in Malta, made use or attempted to make use of a passport issued to any other person and this in violation of Article 4 of Chapter 61 of Laws of Malta;

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Also charged him with having in the same circumstances, as a person who embarked or disembarked from Malta, made use or caused to be made a false return, false statement or false representation and/or furnished the Principal Immigration Officer with false information, and this in violation of Article 32 (1c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta;

Having heard the evidence tendered on oath;

Having seen the consent of the Attorney General (fol.11) and the accused (a fol.8) for summary proceedings;

Having heard the plea of guilt registered by the accused;

Having heard the confirmation of the same plea of guilt after having accorded them a reasonable time for reconsideration;

Having heard the oral submissions of the parties;

Deliberates:

On the strength of the plea of guilt registered by the accused, the Courts finds the accused Ibrahim Mamadou guilty as charged, and after having seen Article 4 of Chapter 61 of the Laws of Malta, Article 32(1)(c) of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta and Article 28A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta, condemns the accused for a period of imprisonment of six (6) months suspended for one year.

This punishment was awarded after the Court took into consideration the young age of the accused, the fact that he registered a guilty plea early in the proceedings and the fact that he is a first offender.

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