



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

**MAGISTRATE DR.  
AUDREY DEMICOLI**

Sitting of the 22 nd January, 2011

Number 207/2011

**Police  
(Inspector Mario Haber)  
vs  
Ugochukwu Johnson**

The Court ;

Having seen that the accused Ugochukwu Johnson, Nigerian National born in Abia States, Nigeria on the 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1989 son of Johnson and Kadija and holder of Police No 08BBBB-114 was arraigned before it and charged with having:

In a date not known before January 2011, as a person landing or embarking in or from Malta, failed to be in possession of a passport and failed to provide the Principal Immigration Officer the prescribed information and such other information that the Principal Immigration Officer may deem proper to require (Cap 217, Sec 28 of the Laws of Malta).

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charge brought against him, notwithstanding the fact that the Court warned him of the consequences of his guilty plea after having afforded him sufficient time within which to withdraw his guilty plea.

Having heard the accused plead guilty to the charge brought against him the Court has no alternative but to find the accused guilty of the said charge.

With regards to punishment the Court took into consideration the fact that the accused filed a guilty plea at such an early stage of the proceedings.

For the abovementioned reasons and after having seen Section 28 of Chapter 217 of the Laws of Malta the Court finds the accused guilty of the change brought against him and condemns hin six(6) months imprisonment.

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.

**< Final Judgement >**

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