

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

MAGISTRATE DR. EDWINA GRIMA

Sitting of the 19 th September, 2012

Number. 947/2012

The Police (Inspector Robert Vella) (Inspector Stephen Saliba0

VS

Miroslav Stojanovic, 26 years, son of Zoran and Milica nee` Zlatkovi, born in Aleksinac (Serbia) on the 03rd September, 1986, and residing at No. 24, Triq il-Wizna, Swieqi and holder of passport number 009349799

The Court;

Having seen charges brought against accused who was charged with having:

1. On the 18th September, 2012 and on the previous months, in these islands, knowingly received or purchased any property which has been stolen,

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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 which value is more than two hundred thirty two Euros and ninety four cents ($\in 232.94$), but not more than two thousand three hundred and twenty nine Euros and thirty-seven cents ($\in 2,329.37$);

2. and also for after becoming aware that the property in his possession as stolen property or property misapplied or property obtained by an offence, failed to give notice thereof to the Executive Police within a week of becoming so aware.

Having seen documents exhibited;

Having seen the Attorney General's consent dated 18th September, 2012, for the case to be dealt summarily by this Court;

Having heard accused plead guilty to the charges brought against him which guilty plea was reaffirmed after the accused was given adequate time to reconsider same.

Having heard submissions regarding the punishment to be inflicted;

Considers;

That in view of the guilty plea filed by the accused the Court finds him guilty as charged.

That in considering the punishment to be inflicted the Court is taking into consideration the early guilty plea filed by the accused, his clean criminal record, the fact that the accused cooperated with the police during investigations and one of the mobile phones was returned to the injured party.

Consequently the Court after having seen sections 334(a), 334A of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta and finds accused guilty as charged and in view of the above

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named considerations amd after having seen section 22 of Chapter 446 of the Laws of Malta discharges the accused on condition that he does not commit another crime within a period of one (1) year from today.

The Court warns the accused of the consequences according to law should he commit another crime during this period of conditional discharge.

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