

REX

V

SOANA HALAUAFU

BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE CATO

SUMMARY OF SENTENCE

THE PRISONER PLEADED GUILTY TO ONE COUNT OBTAINING \$15,000 FROM THE COMPLAINANT BY A FALSE PRETENCE NAMELY THAT SHE WOULD MAKE AND SUPPLY TONGA ARTIFACTS FOR HER. IN FACT SHE CONTRACTED THE WORK OUT AND LITTLE WAS DONE. SHE SPENT THE MONEY ON FAMILY.

IT WAS AN EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MATTER.

THE COMPLAINANT WAS A RELATIVE AND THE ITEMS WERE FOR A WEDDING.

THE COMPLAINANT ACCEPTED THE PRISONER'S APOLOGY

SOME DOUBT AS TO THE VALIDITY OF THE ORIGINAL CHARGE AND THE PARTICULARS HAD TO BE AMENDED SO AS TO INCORPORATE A MISREPRESENTATION OF EXISTING FACT.

THE PRISONER WAS AGED 25 – NO PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS
REMORSEFUL – 2 CHILDREN – SUPPORTIVE HUSBAND

IT IS ORDERED THAT ;

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TONGA
CRIMINAL JURISDICTION
NUKU'ALOFA REGISTRY

CR ...95/2011

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1. The prisoner is bonded to be of good behaviour under s 198 criminal offences Act for a period of 12 months

DATED:

30th August, 2012



Peto J.
JUDGE

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IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The accused is sentenced to a good behaviour under s 198 for 12 months.

DATED: 24 AUGUST 2012



Cato J.
JUDGE