

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF SEYCHELLES

Criminal Side: CO 39/2016

[2017] SCSC 689

THE REPUBLIC

versus

SAID PROSPER
Accused

Heard:

Counsel: Ananth, Principal State Counsel for the Republic
Mr Gabriel for the accused

Delivered: 28 July 2017

SENTENCE

Dodin J

[1] I have heard counsel in mitigation. The Convict is 43 years old. He has pleaded guilty, saved the Court's time and expenses of a trial. He is remorseful. He is a father of one child of 5 years old and he is a breadwinner of the family. I note that the circumstances in which the offence was committed did not involve only the Convict but there were other persons and no injuries resulted as a result. It was purely a physical act of obstruction.

- [2] Therefore I shall not impose any sentence of imprisonment nor any heavy fine. I shall impose a fine of SR1,000 for each count that is on Count 2 a fine of SR1,000 and on Count 3 another fine of SR1,000 totalling SR2,000 to be paid within two months.
- [3] If you default then you shall be committed to Prison for three months. You can appeal against the sentence within 30 working days.

Signed, dated and delivered at Ile du Port on 28 July 2017



G Dodin

Judge of the Supreme Court

