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## Media Release

### **Court recommendation to reinstate of Gozo Channel Employees is 'ridiculous and unprecedented' – Malta Employers' Association**

The court sentence which has ordered a reinstatement of two Gozo Channel employees found guilty of stealing from their employer is ridiculous and unprecedented. This decision can create a very dangerous precedent and sends a wrong message to employees in Malta and Gozo. The gravity of the recommendation by the magistrate is even more pronounced given that the employees are to be reinstated in their previous post, which includes cash handling. The Association supports the police in their efforts to appeal this error of judgement.