

COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS  
IN THE COURT OF APPEAL  
MCCrApp & CAIS No. 166 of 2010

Anastasia L Moree

Applicant

vs

The Commissioner of Police

Respondent

(Extension of Time)

Before: The Hon Mr Justice Newman, JA

Mr. Jairam Mangra, Counsel for Applicant  
Ms. Jillian Williams, Counsel for Respondent

25 January 2011

The oral judgment of the court was delivered by  
Newman, JA:

In all the circumstances, I am satisfied, from what I have been told by Mr. Mangra, who has appeared for the applicant today, that the two matters in the Magistrate's Court below, namely the occasion when he came before Magistrate Derence Rolle-Davis and was sentenced on 16th February, 2010 and the appearance before Senior Magistrate Gomez on 23rd February, ought to be considered by this court.

In order to deal with what one can see are potentially the grounds of appeal, in particular, whether or not the seven sentences are running concurrently or consecutively or how they are running needs to be clarified. In order to see the sentencing process, in particular, as it was before Mr. Derence Rolle-Davis, there must be transcripts. Therefore, the transcripts should be obtained in respect of the proceedings in Court No. 5 on 16th February, 2010 and the proceedings in Court No. 1 on 23rd February, 2010.

Once the transcripts are available, then Mr. Mangra must set out proper grounds of appeal in connection with the issue of sentence and should settle those grounds within 14 days of the transcripts becoming available. When those grounds are in, the court can look at the matter and fix

a date for the hearing.

Dated this 25th day of January, 2011

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NEWMAN, JA