

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF FIJI**  
**AT LAUTOKA**  
**CRIMINAL JURISDICTION**

**CRIMINAL CASE NO.: HAC 225 OF 2011**

**STATE**

**-v-**

**AINARS KREIMANIS**

**Counsels** : **Mr. T. Qalinauci for the State**

**Accused in person**

**Date of Trial** : **24 September -30 September 2013**

**Date of Judgment** : **02 October 2013**

**JUDGMENT**

1. The accused was charged under following count:

**COUNT 1**

***Statement of Offence***

**UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF ILLICIT DRUGS** : contrary to Section 5 (a) of the ILLICIT DRUGS CONTROL ACT of 2004.

**Particulars of Offence**

**AINARS KREMANIS** on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 2011 at **NADI** in the **WESTERN DIVISION**, without lawful authority, was found in possession of illicit drugs, namely **METHAMPHETAMINES** weighing 5,627.9 grams or 5.6279 kilograms.

2. All three assessors unanimously found accused guilty of the above charge.
3. I direct myself in accordance with the law and the evidence which I discussed in my summing up to the assessors.
4. Considering the nature of the evidence before the court, I am convinced that the prosecution had proved the case beyond reasonable doubt.
5. I find the verdict of the assessors were not perverse. It was open to them to reach such a conclusion on the evidence. I concur with their verdict. Considering all, I find the accused guilty as charged in respect of unlawful possession of illicit drug namely Methamphetamines.
6. Accordingly, I convict Ainars Kremanis for unlawful possession of illicit drugs namely Methamphetamines contrary to Section 5 (a) of the Illicit Drugs Control Act of 2004.

Sudharshana De Silva  
**JUDGE**

**02<sup>nd</sup> October 2013**  
**At Lautoka**

**Solicitors for the State:**  
**Solicitors for the Accused:**

**Office of the Director of Public Prosecution**  
**In Person**