

ROYAL COURT

16th September, 1988

Before: The Deputy Bailiff and  
Jurats Baker & Le Boutillier

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Her Majesty's Attorney General

- v -

James Demore

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H.M. Solicitor General for the Crown  
Advocate C.J. Scholefield for the accused

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**JUDGMENT**

DEPUTY BAILIFF: The Royal Court has said that nine months' imprisonment for a single offence of drunk and incapable does not breach the principles to which Mr Scholefield has properly referred. The Court is going to grant the conclusions, because we think they are right in the circumstances of this particular case. Therefore, Demore, on count one you are sentenced to three months' imprisonment. On counts two and three to six months' imprisonment on each concurrent to each other, but consecutive to the sentence on count one, thus making a total of nine months' imprisonment.

Authorities cited

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