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IN THE SUPREME COURT)
OF THE TERRITORY OF)
PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA.)

CORAM: Mann C.J.

REGINA

v.

BEMA of KOROPAK.

MADANG.
23rd May,
1960.

Indictment for manslaughter. Ruled that indictment is formally defective and otherwise objectionable under Section 569 in that it charges the wrong offence.

Under Section 3 of the Infanticide Ordinance 1953-56, the offence charged in the indictment should be infanticide and not manslaughter.

Application to amend charge for manslaughter to infanticide.

No objection. Leave to amend.

Plea : Guilty.

Sentence: To rising of Court.
Prisoner subsequently discharged.
