

Meeting: Ex D/Insp P39 at her home on 28 Feb 2001

Present

P39

SIO Chris Mahaffey (CH)

K
[Redacted]

General introductions were carried out and the purpose of the meeting was explained to P39. SIO Mahaffey made it clear to P39 that we were trying to identify audit trails reference the handling of Timothy Jameson and Andrea McKee. P39 was informed that the meeting was to be informal and that she was not under investigation.

CH opened the meeting by requesting that P39 recount her involvement in and knowledge of the handling of Andrea McKee/Tracey Clarke.

CH - Do you recall McCaw coming into the office?

P39 - somewhat vague about this point then indicated that she was off duty

Ch - Outlined circumstances of the "graveyard" meeting to P39 and also the events that occurred in the TKD club prior to same. CH then asked P39 to explain the billing enquiries that were authorised by her the day after McCaw related his information.

P39 - Difficulty remembering

[Redacted] - Handed P39 copy of TC statement dated 10 May to assist her recollection.

P39 - Spoke of the extreme difficulty in getting TC to make her statement. She referred to AMcK being present throughout the recording of the statement but stated that she did not say anything. P39 added that AMcK did not interfere in the recording of the statement and added that she P39 was encouraging TC throughout.

CH - Asked P39 again about the billing enquiry and when she became aware of the information re Atkinson's T/C to Hanvey.

P39 - Stated that she must have been aware of it prior to the statement of TC being recorded. P39 then volunteered that the request for billings had to be handwritten due to the sensitivity of the information. She indicated that there had been an interview in her office and that she had asked "John" to handwrite it and get the numbers. P39 endorsed the request which was authorised by Mr McBurney.

John

K - Enquired how it was arranged to get TC in.

P39 - Was unclear as to how this was arranged. Indicated that it would not have been her and that she did not make a phone call and would not have met her.

K - Asked P39 did she recall talk of the "Chinese" etc

P39 - remembered that AMcK would meet TC from the Chinese and bring her to the station afterwards. P39 also indicated that she had not received any T/C's the night before.

P39 - Indicated who was present at the briefing i.e. her, Mr McBurney, Michael Irwin and that John McAteer may have called in after.

CH - Enquired why it was necessary to keep the briefing so tight, was this because of the info provided by TC.

P39 - Indicated that the briefing was "tight" due to all of the information especially that relating to the Atkinson billing.

CH - Asked when P39 had first met AMcK

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