

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

STATEMENT OF RORY ROBINSON

DATED THIS

DAY OF

2008

I, RORY ROBINSON, declare that this statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that if it is tendered in evidence at the Inquiry I will be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

1. The Inquiry has disclosed a number of documents to me. Where I make specific reference to a document in my statement I have given the number of the relevant page.
2. This is the first witness statement I have made in connection with the death of Robert Hamill. I completed a questionnaire to the police dated 29 April 1997, a copy of which is at pages **8125** to **8126**. I was then arrested by the police on 10 May 1997 and interviewed under caution on that day and also on 11 May 1997. A copy of the transcript of those interviews is at pages **7559** to **7764**.
3. In April 1997 I was about 25 years of age. At the time I was living in Ulsterville in Portadown, having lived in Portadown all of my life. I went to school at Portadown Technical College. I am not really sure who my best friends were in those days: I kept myself to myself. Claire Glover was my girlfriend at the time, and we used to socialise together; just the two of us.
4. I knew Tracey Clarke at the time through attending discos at the Coach Inn in Banbridge. We used to talk to each other sometimes. Many people of a range of ages used to go to the Coach Inn at that time; it was the most popular place to socialise. I also knew Stacey Bridgett, Dean Forbes, Allister Hanvey and Davy Woods at the time. Stacey was a bit younger than I was, but I knew him from seeing him around Portadown. I also knew Dean Forbes from about the town. I think that he was 4 or 5 year younger than I was. I knew Allister through seeing