

4. When I arrived at the station, shortly after receiving the call, I spoke with DC Keys and I also spoke to Inspector McCrum who was the Inspector on duty that night. He came into the CID Office and told me the officers who had been on duty that night were going home. I told him that they had to return immediately as their statements were required. They arrived into CID Office shortly afterwards.
5. I went to the scene, which was sealed off, as DC Keys had already told me. The tape covered the junction area of Market Street, Thomas Street and Woodhouse Street. The photographs at pages 222, 223 and 224 show the scene taped. At that time the forensic officer and the photographer had not arrived. While I waited for their arrival I continued with my duties. At that time I was also aware that as a result of serious incidents in Lurgan and Banbridge there were a further two injured parties in hospital.
6. I spoke with Constable Ardis, SOCO, about the examination of the scene in Portadown. I recall discussing the scene with him and that he was collecting all items of an evidential nature. Sometime later I went into the general CID office. The photographer was present. DC Keys was also present and he told me he had already taken the photographer to the scene and the photographs had been taken. The photographer explained that he had taken photographs showing all aspects of the scene.
7. When I returned to the CID general office the uniformed Police Officers arrived into the office. They were the four who were on duty in the Land Rover in the town centre. I briefed them telling them that detailed statements were required; that the statements be written in a sequence of events and that they could confer with each other, but should they do so they must record that in their notebooks.
8. I have been told that DC Keys has recorded that he and I visited the Hamill family home and the family homes of **D**, **E** and **F** at approximately 7.30am on Sunday 27 April 1997. I do not remember having done so. I believe that DC Keys left the station to recover the clothing.