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RESUME ID IV N513 MCCAWE RE WHAT HE HEARD N98 CLARKE SAY

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PRIORITY 3

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REFERS TO DAVY MCCAWE POLICE OFFICER & CLARIFICATION OF WHAT HE HEARD TRACY CLARKE SAYING IN THE GYM AT THE TAE KWON DO CLUB - WHAT DID HE THEN DISCUSS WITH ANDREA MCKEE WHAT DID ANDREA MCKEE TELL HIM & WHAT FURTHER ACTION DID HE TAKE REGARDING THIS INFORMATION

ORIGINATING DOCUMENTS

ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS

LINKED ACTIONS

301000 1634 OPP013854 RAISED

ON INSTRUCTIONS OF SIO K

311000 1606 OPP013854 ALLOCATED TO K

071100 1054 OPW001408 CHANGED TO COMPLETED

091100 0852 OPW001594 PARTIALLY RESULTED

091100 0852 OPW001594 CHANGED TO JUST RAISED PRIORITY 3

091100 0856 OPW001594 ALLOCATED TO K

091100 0856 OPW001594 CHANGED TO PENDED

TO BE PENDED

091100 0856 OPW001594 PENDED UNTIL 24.11.00

011200 1057 OPW001408 CHANGED TO COMPLETED

071200 0844 OPW001594 RESULTED

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021100 K

REFER TO MESSAGE SUBMITTED BY K ON 28/10/00 REGARDING HIS CONVERSATION WITH MRS MCCAWE. DAVID MCCAWE IS CURRENTLY VISITING RELATIVES IN AUSTRALIA AND WILL BE RETURNING TO N.IRELAND ON 24.11.00. PEND ACTION UNTIL 24/11/00.

271100 K

SEE JOURNAL ENTRY MADE BY K DATED 27.11.00 REGARDING THE INTERVIEW OF DAVID MCCAWE AT HIS HOME ADDRESS ON 27.11.00
SALIENT POINTS EXTRACTED FROM THE INTERVIEW RECORD AND RELEVANT TO THIS ACTION:

1. DAVID MCCAWE WAS A MEMBER OF THE CLOSE PROTECTION UNIT WHOSE DUTIES INVOLVED CLOSE PROTECTION OF A LOCAL CONTRACTOR AT THE BROWNSTOWN BUSINESS CENTRE. IT WAS DURING THE COURSE OF THIS DUTY THAT HE GOT TO KNOW MICHAEL AND ANDREA MCKEE WHO RAN A TAE KWON DO CLUB AT THE BROWNSTOWN BUSINESS CENTRE - STATES THAT HE DIDN'T KNOW THEM SOCIALLY AND WOULD HAVE OCCASIONALLY USED THE FACILITIES AT MICHAEL MCKEE'S GYM. HIS REGULAR PARTNER WAS R/CONST PAUL ADAMSON ALTHOUGH HE WOULD HAVE WORKED WITH DIFFERENT OFFICERS FROM TIME TO TIME, SOMETIMES THIS INVOLVED R/CONST ROBERT ATKINSON.
2. DAVID MCCAWE STATES THAT ON ONE OCCASION HE WAS AT THE GYM, HE SPOKE TO ANDREA MCKEE IN THE OFFICE. HE CANNOT RECALL ON WHAT DAY THAT THIS HAPPENED AND HE CANNOT RECALL WHO OR WHY THIS CONVERSATION WAS INITIATED BETWEEN THEM

DAVID MCCAWE RECALLS ANDREA MCKEE TALKING ABOUT THE HAMILL INCIDENT BUT HE CANNOT RECALL WHAT SHE SAID, STATES THAT THE ONLY THING HE COULD RECALL WAS ANDREA MCKEE TELLING HIM THAT ATKINSON HAD RANG A BOT CALLED ALISTAIR HANVEY

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WHO WAS A MEMBER OF THE CLUB AFTER THE INCIDENT AND TELLING HIM TO BURN HIS CLOTHES. DAVID MCCAW STATES THAT HE DID NOT KNOW A GIRL BY THE NAME OF TRACY CLARKE WHO WAS A NEICE OF MICHAEL AND ANDREA MCKEE - ALSO STATED THAT NO-ONE ELSE WAS PRESENT WHEN ANDREA MCKEE SPOKE TO HIM AND HE DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT

MICHAEL MCKEE KNEW THAT ANDREA HAD SPOKEN TO HIM AT THAT TIME, HE SAID THAT ANDREA MCKEE MAY HAVE TOLD HIM SOMETHING ELSE BUT HE CANNOT REMEMBER WHAT ELSE WAS SAID, HE SAID THAT HE REMEMBERS BEING TOLD ABOUT WHAT ROBERT ATKINSON DID WITH REGARD TO RINGING ALISTAIR HANVEY BECAUSE ATKINSON WAS A SERVING MEMBER WHOM HE HAD WORKED WITH AND HE REALISED THE SERIOUSNESS OF WHAT ANDREA MCKEE HAD TOLD HIM, HE STATES THAT THIS IS WHY HE WENT IMMEDIATELY TO SPEAK TO THE CID AT PORATDOWN.

3. MCCAW STATES THAT HE SPOKE TO THE DETECTIVE INSPECTOR AT PORTADOWN STATION, HE ALSO BELIEVES THAT HE SPOKE TO D/CONSTABLE MCATEER, HE STATES THAT HE SPOKE TO THESE OFFICERS ABOUT WHAT ANDREA MCKEE HAD TOLD HIM ABOUT ATKINSON BUT CANNOT RECALL THE EXACT DETAILS OF THE CONVERSATION WHICH TOOK PLACE. HE STATES THAT HE DOES NOT RECALL MENTIONING ABOUT A GIRL BY THE NAME OF TRACY CLARKE BEING A WITNESS TO THE ASSAULT ON MR HAMILL BUT STATES THAT THIS IS NOT TO SAY THAT HE DIDN'T MENTION HER, HE STATES THAT HE CANNOT

RECALL THIS. MCCAW STATES THAT HE DID NOT RECORD ANYTHING THAT ANDREA MCKEE TOLD HIM IN WRITING AND HAS NO WRITTEN RECORDS OF ANY CONVERSATIONS WHICH HE HAD WITH THE DETECTIVE INSPECTOR OR D/CONSTABLE MCATEER.

4. MCCAW STATES THAT HE BELIEVES THAT IT WAS LATER THAT NIGHT WHEN HE COLLECTED ANDREA MCKEE AND TOOK HER TO SPEAK TO THE DETECTIVE INSPECTOR AND D/CONSTABLE MCATEER, HE CANNOT RECALL HOW THIS WAS ARRANGED AND ASSUMES THAT HE COLLECTED ANDREA MCKEE AT THE GYM, STATES THAT THEY MET THE CID OFFICERS

AT KERNAN NEAR THE GRAVEYARD. HE STATES THAT HE DOES NOT RECALL MICHAEL MCKEE BEING INVOLVED IN THIS AND DOESN'T BELIEVE THAT MICHAEL MCKEE KNEW AT THE TIME THAT ANDREA MCKEE WAS TALKING TO THE POLICE BUT HE COULDN'T BE TOTALLY SURE ABOUT THIS. MCCAW REMEMBERS BEING PRESENT AT THIS MEETING AT KERNAN BUT CANNOT RECALL WHAT WAS DISCUSSED OR WHAT ANDREA MCKEE TOLD THE D/INSPECTOR. MCCAW SAID THAT HE HAD NO WRITTEN NOTES OF WHAT WAS SAID AT THIS MEETING. HE DOESN'T RECALL WHAT HAPPENED AFTER THE MEETING OR WHERE HE

DROPPED ANDREA MCKEE OFF AFTER THE MEETING.

5. IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION PUT TO MCCAW ABOUT WHETHER HE HAD QUESTIONED ANDREA MCKEE AT THE TIME ABOUT WHEER SHE HAD GOT HER INFORMATION, MR MCCAW STATES THAT HE PROBABLY DID AT THE TIME BUT HE CANNOT RECALL THIS NOW.

6. MCCAW STATES THAT THE ONLY OTHER POLICE OFFICER WHO HE SPOKE TO ABOUT THIS WAS R/CONSTABLE PAUL ADAMSON WHEN HE TOLD HIM THAT HE HAD GOT SOME INFORMATION ABOUT THE HAMILL CASE AND NEEDED TO GO TO THE POLICE STATION TO

SPEAK TO THE CID. HE STATES THAT HE NEVER DISCUSSED THE DETAILS OF THE INFORMATION ANDREA MCKEE TOLD HIM WITH R/CONST. ADAMSON.

7. MCCAW STATES THAT HE DOES NOT RECALL ANDREA MCKEE MENTIONING TO HIM AT ANY TIME OR DURING THE MEETING AT KERNAN ANYTHING ABOUT HER HUSBAND MICHAEL MCKEE MAKING A PHONE CALL ON THE SUNDAY MORNING AFTER THE INCIDENT TO THE HANVEY'S HOME FROM ROBERT ATKINSON'S HOUSE, HE STATES THAT WHILE HIS RECOLLECTIONS ARE UNCLEAR, HE DOES NOT REMEMBER THIS EVER BEING MENTIONED BY

ANDREA MCKEE.

8. MCCAW STATES THAT THIS WAS THE ONLY TIME THAT ANDREA MCKEE SPOKE TO HIM

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ABOUT THIS, HE STATES THAT HE CANNOT RECALL ANY FURTHER CONVERSATION WITH ANDREA MCKEE ABOUT THIS AFTER THE KERNAN MEETING, STATES THAT THEY NEVER DISCUSSED IT AGAIN AT THE TAE KWON DO CLUB, STATES THAT HE HAS NEVER SPOKEN TO MICHAEL MCKEE OR ROBERT ATKINSON ABOUT THIS.

9. MCCAW STATES THAT HE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE ABOUT MICHAEL AND ANDREA MCKEE

MAKING STATEMENTS TO COVER A PHONE CALL FROM THE ATKINSON'S HOUSE TO HANVEYS HOUSE ON THE SUNDAY MORNING AFTER THE INCIDENT.

10. MCCAW STATES THAT HE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANONYMOUS PHONE CALLS MADE AT VARIOUS TIMES IN MAY AND NOVEMBER 1997 TO FATHER DOOLEY AND [REDACTED].

11. MR MCCAW DECLINED TO MAKE A WRITTEN STATEMENT AT THIS STAGE, HE STATES THAT HE IS CURRENTLY SUFFERING FROM A MENTAL ILLNESS AND IS ON MEDIATION, HE IS CURRENTLY BEING TREATED BY [REDACTED], CONSULTANT PSYCHIATRIST

AT CRAIGAVON HOSPITAL, HE STATES THAT HIS RECOLLECTIONS OF WHAT HAPPENED AT THE TIME ARE NOT CLEAR IN HIS MIND AND FEELS THAT HE IS NOT MENTALLY FIT ENOUGH TO MAKE A WRITTEN STATEMENT.

12. MR MCCAW BELIEVES THAT HE HAD DONE WHAT WAS REQUIRED OF HIM AT THAT TIME BY GOING AND SPEAKING TO THE DETECTIVE INSPECTOR ABOUT WHAT ANDREA MCKEE HAD TOLD HIM. HE STATES THAT HE HAD PASSED ON THE INFORMATION WHICH WAS GIVEN TO HIM AND FELT THAT THERE WAS NOTHING MORE THAT HE COULD HAVE DONE AT THAT

TIME.

MR MCCAW SERVED IN THE POLICE FORCE FOR 16 YEARS. HE WAS MEDICALLY DISCHARGED FROM THE POLICE SERVICE EARLIER THIS YEAR DUE TO MENTAL/DEPRESSIVE ILLNESS.

SEE ALSO ACTION 711