

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

STATEMENT OF JOHN MCDOWELL

AGE OF WITNESS [If over 21 enter 'over 21'] : OVER 21

I declare that this statement consisting of 2 pages, each signed by me is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence at a preliminary enquiry or at the trial of any person, I shall 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.

Dated this 22 day of June 1997

DERECK BRADLEY
SIGNATURE OF MEMBER

JOHN MCDOWELL
SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

by whom statement was recorded or received

I am a Detective Constable of the Royal Ulster Constabulary attached to CID, South Region. On 10 May 1997 I received items marked MJP1 (a pair of dark blue jeans), MJP2 (a pair of Asics training shoes) and MJP3 (a padded black jacket) from Constable Michael John Porter, items marked EH2 (grey sweater - Nike) and EH3 (blue jeans) from Detective Constable Edward Honeyford and items marked CW1 (orange checked shirt) CW2 (a pair of white/brown pinstriped trousers) and CW3 (a blue cotton jacket) from [REDACTED]. On 12 May 1997 I received item marked EH8 (a blue Chevigon bomber type jacket) from Detective Constable Edward Honeyford and items marked CID1 (a pair of boots - Ellesse), CID2 (a pair of Timberland boots), CID3 (a pair of black ankle boots), CID4 (a pair of white guttees), CID5 (a pair of Chevignons shoes), CID6 (a pair of Adidas trainers), CID7 (a pair of Ellesse boots), CID8 (a pair of black shoes), CID9 (a black boot - right), CID10 (a Nike trainer - right foot), CID11 (an Adidas trainer - left foot), CID12 (a black Adidas jacket), CID13 (a black Naf Naf jacket), CID14 (a Fila jacket) and CID15 (a black Street jacket) from [REDACTED]. On 10 May 1997 items MJP1, MJP2, MJP3, EH2 and EH3 were conveyed by me to Lurgan RUC Station. I showed items

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MJP1, MJP2 and MJP3 to Allister Hanvey and items EH2 and EH3 to Paul Marc Hobson. Both the aforementioned prisoners were also questioned re these items. All of the abovementioned items were stored in Portadown CID Office and subsequently delivered by me to the Forensic Science Agency of Northern Ireland on 13 May 1997. On 16 May 1997 I received items marked KMcl (a pair of Puma black and white training shoes) and KMc2 (a brown leather jacket). Both of these items were stored in Portadown CID Office and subsequently handed to Detective Constable Donald Keys on 22 May 1997.

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JOHN MCDOWELL

CHECKED AND CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL SIGNED :

