

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

STATEMENT OF: LYNN KAREN KENNEDY SUPERINTENDENT

Name

Rank

AGE OF WITNESS (If over 18 enter "over 18"):

OVER 18

To be completed when the statement has been written.

I declare that this statement consisting of _____ 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 29th

day of November 2001

[Redacted Signature]

Kennedy

SIGNATURE OF MEMBER by whom statement was recorded or received

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I am a Superintendent of the Police Service of Northern Ireland presently attached to Internal Investigation Branch at Lisnasharragh, Belfast. On 4 October 2001, I wrote a letter to ex-member Denise CORNETT informing her of my appointment, the nature of my investigation and inviting her to attend at Banbridge Station on 18 October 2001 at 1100 hrs for interview. The letter was delivered to the District Commander at Banbridge with a request that it be hand-delivered to the ex-member. Confirmation was subsequently received stating that the letter was delivered to Mrs CORNETT on 5 October 2001. On 8 October 2001 at 1445 hrs, I received a telephone call from Mrs CORNETT enquiring about the letter she had received. I explained the nature of my investigation and the fact that she was not the only ex-member being requested to attend. Mrs CORNETT informed me that she had not been well since the original incident and was unsure how any future interview would affect her health. She said that she had been doing quite well recently but had concerns of a relapse. She stated that she

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had felt shaken when she had received the letter from myself. I asked her to consider my request and if need be consult with her Doctor and if she felt able, then her attendance would be appreciated. She said that she would consider my request and let me know. No further communication was received by myself from Denise CORNETT. On 18 October 2001, at 1050 hrs, I arrived at Banbridge Station along with Chief Inspector Jackson for the purpose of interviewing Mrs CORNETT. The ex-member made no appearance or contact and we left at 1130 hours.

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