

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

STATEMENT OF ELEANOR JEAN ATKINSON

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

I declare that this statement consisting of 3 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 09 day of October 1997

MICHAEL IRWIN
SIGNATURE OF MEMBER

by whom statement was recorded or received

E ATKINSON
SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

I live at an address known to police with my husband Robert and my son [REDACTED]. Robert is a full time member of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Reserve and in April 97 he was stationed in Portadown. I have been shown an itemised billing for my telephone which is marked MI14. On this item I have been referred to two particular phone calls, one of which was on the 27th April 1997 at 8.37 am and the second on the 2nd May 1997 at 1624 hrs. The phone number [REDACTED] I recognise as that of Elizabeth Hanvey. I can recall the phone call on the 27th April 1997 which was made by a Michael McKee. Michael and his wife Andrea had called at my house on the 26th April 1997 with the intention of going out with my husband and myself. Unfortunately my husband was working that night so the three of us sat in my house. This hadn't been arranged and Michael and Andrea would call unannounced. I went to bed sometime after midnight and Michael and Andrea also stayed that night. I heard the phone ringing sometime during the night and my husband answered it. He made a brief comment of having to go back to work. At around 8 am on 27th April Robert returned to the house. I asked him what was wrong and he told me that there had been a row in town involving the Coach bus. That's all that