

9. I gave a statement to the police investigating the attack on Mr Hamill which is dated 7 May 1997 and contained at page 673. In this statement I say that I attended to D who had a scalp laceration and a small cut in his scalp. Referring to my A&E notes for Mr D contained at page 38950, I see that I have noted in the first part of the history that Mr D had been walking down the road with his wife and he was attacked by 30 people, then punched and kicked. This information is also recorded in my statement of 7 May 1997. I have not recorded where I got these details from but it could have been from Mr D himself, or from both him and his wife. I have also noted in my notes at 38950 that: *Wife had said that [D] was unconscious for approximately 10 minutes.*

10. Nothing in my notes indicates that Mr D gave me information about Mr Hamill's injuries and I do not recall him giving me any such information. I have a recollection of somebody telling me they were set upon by a mob of people and that there was an RUC member nearby but they did not get any help from the RUC. I cannot remember who told me this or even whether it was in the context of this case. I do remember it was a man who gave me the information, and he was very upset.

11. My statement of 7 May 1997 records that Mr D admitted to drinking seven pints of beer that evening. I do not recall whether Mr D's blood alcohol level was ever taken. Because the patient was conscious, there was no indication that the alcohol level was needed. Mr Hamill's blood alcohol level was checked when he was admitted to A&E and the level is recorded in the laboratory report contained at page 38674 as 221.

12. Without looking through all the patients who presented around those dates, I am unable to recall whether I was involved in attending to any other person who arrived in the ambulance. I would usually see a few people during the evening but I do not specifically recall anyone else who was involved in this particular incident.