

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

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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 07 day of February 2000

D C NEVILLE
SIGNATURE OF MEMBER

by whom statement was recorded or received

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Further to my previous statements dated the 220499 and the 190599. In these statements I have outlined my duties in relation to the Quick Reaction Force (QRF) and a tasking I had as a Liaison Officer in a helicopter using the callsign Gazelle 4. On the 070200 I was visited by members of the Enquiry Team working on the Rosemary Nelson Murder. I was asked if during the course of my duty between 1700 hrs on the 140399 and 0900 hrs on the 150399 I had been utilized to join a helicopter crew other than Gazelle 4. I immediately realised that I had been detailed to join a helicopter crew very late on Sunday the 140399. I simply forgot to mention this fact in my previous statement. It was just an oversight. I now recall that I was in the QRF Room attached to the Guardroom when a phone call was received from the 3 RIR Operations Room. The effect of the telephone call was that I was required to join a helicopter crew and to check the Lurgan area to see what was happening with regard to earlier incidents. I have now had sight of a document marked D2447. I note that there is an entry at 2325 hrs on Sunday the 140399 made by 'Hawk 364' to the effect that there were three persons on board. The helicopter had just lifted off from Portadown and had requested permission to operate