

Royal Ulster Constabulary

HQ Ref B147/941/97

COMPLAINT AGAINST THE POLICE
Formal Investigation

Sub-Division	'S'	Department	'G'
Station/ Branch	Complaints & Discipline RUC Gough	Date	28 July 1997

Complainant(s): LEGAL SECRETARIAT TO THE LAW OFFICERS ATTORNEY GENERAL'S
CHAMBERS, 9 BUCKINGHAM GATE, LONDON ON BEHALF OF LAWYER'S
ALLIANCE FOR JUSTICE IN IRELAND, 445 EAST MAIN STREET,
DENVILLE, NEW JERSEY, USA ON BEHALF OF ROSEMARY NELSON, SOL

Assistant Chief Constable
'G' Department

Concise details of circumstances giving rise to the complaint, including times and dates.

Date	Not specified various dates over past year	Time	N/A	Place	Appears to have been during unspecified police interviews of suspect(s) emanating from Gough Barracks
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Details of Incident

On 13 March 1997 Mr E E Lynch of the Lawyers Alliance for Justice in Ireland made the following allegations:

"A very effective solicitor, Ms Rosemary Nelson, has been subjected to death threats emanating from an RUC detective stationed at Gough Interrogation Centre.

These threats have been communicated to Ms Nelson through several clients during the course of their interrogation.

Initially, Ms Nelson considered the threats to be attempts at intimidation for her work on behalf of various clients, including Colin Duffy of Lurgan. She did not believe they would be acted upon. However, the threats have become more insistent and ominous of late".
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Related Criminal Proceedings against Complainant(s) -

Not Contemplated Under Consideration Instituted
No Prosecution DPP Ref

Supervision by Commission Yes No

If 'Yes' give name

Miss G McNally