

WITNESS STATEMENT

Agency Ref : S034
PF Ref :

Surname : O'CONNOR Other or previous surname :

Forenames : Andrew DoB : [REDACTED] 1971 Age : 43

Occupation : [REDACTED] Other Occupation :

Police Station : Years Service :

Disclosable address :

Post Code:

This statement was taken :

Date and time : 3rd of May 2015 13.15

By : DC 2058 MCAULAY & DC STOCKTON
Place : KIRKCALDY POLICE STATION

In the presence of :

I have/the witness signed/refused to sign this and all other pages

It was/not read over to the witness and was/not recorded on Audio tape and/or Video tape

States :

I am a [REDACTED] I work for [REDACTED]. I work Wednesday to Sunday day shifts however my hours vary.

This morning I was driving a Skoda Octavia, silver, [REDACTED]. There's a [REDACTED]. This morning I started my shift at 0400 hours. [REDACTED]

At 0653 hours this morning (3/5/15) I was passed a call [REDACTED] to attend at 14 Union Street , Kirkcaldy to [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] That journey would probably take about 10 minutes. [REDACTED] then at about 0710 hours, about ¾ of the way through the journey I was travelling on Hayfield Road towards Farne Court . I was between Hayfield Place and Hendry Road and [REDACTED] was in the front seat beside me when I saw a man on my right hand side, on the pavement. The man was black, like African, about mid 30's in age, about 6 foot tall, muscley build, short dark hair. He was wearing a white t-shirt with a picture on the front of it, blue jeans and dark trainers.

Initially the male was walking on the pavement towards the [REDACTED] then when he saw [REDACTED] he ran at it towards my side of the car and did a flying kick towards it. I was travelling at about 30mph, he didn't make contact with the car as I managed to swerve away from him.

He was shouting but I couldn't make out what he was saying. I never saw him carrying anything, he was waving his hands about. [REDACTED] saw what happened too and said "WHAT A NUTTER".

I continued to drive and the man stayed standing in the middle of the road.

At the time there were 2 cars passed me travelling in the opposite direction. They must have seen the male as well. One of the car was a blue car but I couldn't tell you anything else about them. I didn't see any other people going about.

I continued my journey and [REDACTED]

5 minutes after I first passed the male, [REDACTED], I was travelling back along Hayfield Road . I saw the male again. He was in roughly the same spot on the same pavement, he was just standing there but you could tell he wasn't happy about something. I didn't notice if he was carrying anything but I wasn't really paying attention. I didn't see any other people or cars going about at this time that I remember. I was more concentrating on the man to make sure he didn't do anything. He didn't do anything this time, he just looked aggressive by the way he was holding himself and he was looking at the ground.

A few minutes after passing the man for the second time. I went to a [REDACTED] at Kirkcaldy Health Centre and I spoke with Simon ROWE. Simon said to me "DID YOU SEE THAT MANIAC ALONG THERE?", I said I saw him and that he nearly came through the side of my car. Simon said "DID YOU SEE THE SIZE OF THE KNIFE THAT HE HAD?" but I said I hadn't seen the knife and Simon said he'd phoned the police.

I don't know any more about what's happened.

I haven't seen the male before. I got the impression he was definitely on some kind of drugs, he didn't seem drunk as he wasn't staggering or anything.

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I think I would recognise the male again.

I have been read my statement and confirm it's a true and accurate account.

Signed :

(Witness)

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CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL - NOT TO BE DISCLOSED

Surname : O'CONNOR Forenames: Andrew
Alias/known as :

Place of birth : [REDACTED] Age : over 18

Home address : [REDACTED] Telephone : [REDACTED]

Post code : [REDACTED]

Business address : [REDACTED] Telephone :

[REDACTED]

Post Code :

Mobile : [REDACTED]

Email :

Fax/Pager :

Other :

Dates when unavailable in next 12 months :

Other Confidential Material :