

WITNESS STATEMENT

Criminal Procedure Rules, r 27. 2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s. 9; Magistrates' Courts Act 1980, s.5B

Witness contact details			
Home address:	1 HIGH STREET, ANYTOWN, COUNTY. AB12 3CD		
Email address:	JS1@SOMETHINGMAIL.COM	Mobile Number.:	09999 999 999
Home telephone No.:	01234 567 891	Work telephone No.:	01234 678 910
Preferred means of contact <i>(specify details for vulnerable / intimidated victims and witnesses only):</i>	email		
Gender:	M		
Date and place of birth:	01/01/71		
Former Name:	N/A OR MAIDEN NAME		
DATES OF WITNESS NON-AVAILABILITY:	ENTER DETAILS FOR NEXT 6 MONTHS OF UNAVAILABLE DATES		

Witness care	
a)	Is the witness willing to attend court? PLEASE SELECT If 'No', include reason(s) on form MG6
b)	What can be done to ensure attendance? Is there anything that we can do to make the process easier ie arrange a taxi to get you to court
c)	Does the witness require a Special Measures Assessment as a vulnerable or intimidated witness? <i>(youth under 18; witness with mental disorder, learning or physical disability; or witness in fear of giving evidence or witness is the complainant in a sexual offence case)</i> PLEASE SELECT If 'Yes' submit MG2 with file in anticipated not guilty, contested or indictable only cases.
d)	Does the witness have any particular needs? PLEASE SELECT If 'Yes', what are they? <i>(Disability, healthcare, childcare, transport, language difficulties, visually impaired, restricted mobility or other concerns?)</i>

Witness Consent (for witness completion)	
a)	The Victim Personal Statement scheme (victims only) has been explained to me: PLEASE SELECT
b)	I have been given the Victim Personal Statement leaflet PLEASE SELECT
c)	I have been given the leaflet "Giving a witness statement to the police...." PLEASE SELECT
d)	I consent to police having access to my medical record(s) in relation to this matter <i>(obtained in accordance with local practice):</i> PLEASE SELECT
e)	I consent to my medical record in relation to this matter being disclosed to the defence: PLEASE SELECT
f)	I consent to the statement being disclosed for the purposes of civil proceedings if applicable, e.g. child care proceedings, CICA: PLEASE SELECT
g)	Child witness cases only. I have had the provision regarding reporting restrictions explained to me. PLEASE SELECT
	I would like CPS to apply for reporting restrictions on my behalf. PLEASE SELECT

<i>'I understand that the information recorded above will be passed on to the Witness Service, which offers help and support to witnesses pre-trial and at court'.</i>			
Signature of witness:	John Smith	PRINT NAME:	JOHN SMITH
Signature of parent/guardian/ appropriate adult:	N/A	PRINT NAME:	N/A
Address and telephone number if different from above:	N/A		
Statement taken by (print name):	SELF WRITTEN	Station:	N/A
Time and Place Statement taken:	0900 hours, 1 HIGH STREET, ANYTOWN, COUNTY		



RESTRICTED (when complete)

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Statement of:	John Smith		
Age if under 18:	OVER 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18')	Occupation:	DELIVERY DRIVER

This statement (consisting of 1 page(s) 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, 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.

Signature:	JOHN SMITH	Date:	01/01/1010
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Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded (supply witness details on rear)

I am John Smith and I reside at the address shown overleaf.

At approximately 3:30 pm on Sunday the 10th of July 2016, I was driving a Ford Mondeo motor vehicle bearing the registration number FG03 HAX, on the M56 motorway by Chester Services towards Warrington. I was on my own.

At this time my attention was drawn towards a vehicle which I saw was a yellow coloured car bearing the registration number A 123 BCD.

The vehicle was in front of me travelling in lane 1 at about 60mph. It was weaving about on the road and I thought that there might be something wrong with the driver due to the erratic manner in which the vehicle was being driven. I entered lane 2 and drove past this vehicle. In doing so I looked to my left and I saw that the driver was holding a mobile phone in his right hand and was either texting or reading something on the phone. I would say that this distraction was causing him to drive erratically.

I have a PANASONIC DUO FRONT AND REAR "dash cam" fitted in my vehicle which recorded this incident onto AN SD CARD. I have caused the incident described above to be made available to Cheshire Police.

I now produce this SD CARD as exhibit JS1 which I will retain on the understanding that should it be required I will produce it to the police.

(if you have used a mobile phone to take a photo or video then consider using the following wording)

I have a mobile phone IPHONE 5S which I used to photograph the incident onto. I have caused the incident described above to be made available to Cheshire Police.

I now produce these photo as exhibits JL/1 and JL/2 which I will retain on the understanding that should it be required I will produce it to the police.

I am willing to attend any subsequent Court action regarding the incident I have described above.

Signature:	JOHN SMITH	Date:	01/01/1010
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