

WITNESS STATEMENT**Criminal Procedure Rules, r 16.2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s.9**

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Statement of: PC 2034 BLAYNEE

Age if under 18: OVER 18

(if over 18 insert 'over 18')

Occupation: Police officer

This statement (consisting of 2 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: PC BLAYNEE (witness)

Date: 01/06/2020

I am a serving Police Officer in Anyshire Police force. On the 1st June I was on duty patrolling the North Marsh area.

At approximately 21:35 I received a call via the control room to attend an ongoing incident in the North Marsh area. I was informed that a red Nissan motor vehicle had left an address at Accacia Road and that the driver may be drunk.

I arrived quickly at the scene and at the top of Accacia road I saw a red Nissan car VRM YK12HOO at the junction of Accacia Road and Electric Avenue. I immediately activated my lights and pulled up behind the vehicle.

Inside the vehicle was one white male who I now know to be EOIN MCLOVE. On speaking to the occupant I formed the opinion that he was drunk. His eyes were glazed and his speech was slurred. He started to become aggressive and abusive towards me when I asked him to step out of the car. EOIN MCLOVE refused to provide a sample of breath for a roadside screening and as such I arrested him on suspicion of driving whilst over the proscribed limit so that an effective sample could be obtained at the Police station.

I was further informed via radio that EOIN MCLOVE was also wanted for an assault on Shelagh MCLOVE and as such I arrested EOIN MCLOVE for a s47 Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily harm, MCLOVE was informed that his arrest was necessary to conduct a prompt and effective investigation by way of interview and to prevent further injury to the victim. He was handcuffed compliantly to the front and he made no reply to caution.

EOIN MCLOVE was conveyed to North Marsh Police station. He was asked to provide an evidential sample on the Intoxylser machine. He provided two samples and the lower reading of the samples was 112MG of alcohol in 35 Ml of breath.

I left the Police station and EOIN MCLOVE remained in custody pending a decision from the CPS.

Signature: PC BLAYNEE.

Signature witnessed by; na

