

# **SECTION 6**

### WITNESS STATEMENT

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

Statement of: Jon Elvin	URN
Age (if under 18): N/A	Occupation: Police Officer

I am the above named Police Officer and I am currently based at Burton Police Station.

On Sunday 15th March 2020 at 01:30 I was double crewed with PC 26634 ZAMORE and we were directed by the control room to attend The Locomotive Bar, Station Street, Burton Upon Trent.

The council CCTV control room had rang the police to tell us that there was a fight happening outside of the venue between 2 males.

The report stated that the doorstaff were trying to calm the males down and the fighting had stopped.

We arrived at 01:30 on the same date and there were no males fighting and no males were near to the entrance of the venue only the doorman stood inside of the doorway to the venue.

I approached one of the doorstaff that was stood at the door to the venue and I would describe him as asian appearance and had a dark hat on and was wearing a hi-viz jacket.

I asked him if there had been a fight outside of the venue as stated by the CCTV operator and he appeared surprised that we had been called. I can recall that there was 2 other doorstaff stood near him that also had hi-viz jackets on but I do recall one of them also wearing a dark hat.

The doorman who I approached as described above stated that there was 2 males trying to fight each other outside but had stopped fighting and headed in the direction of the train station.

The doorman described the males and described both the males as being white males and that one was wearing a white top and the other was wearing a black top. He stated that they were both 25 years of age.

None of the doorstaff made any mention that any of the males had been in the venue or not and I did not ask them if they had been in. None of the doorstaff disclosed to me any offences had been committed.

I was approached by another member of doorstaff from the same venue who I would describe as being a white male who had a hi-viz jacket on but was not wearing a hat who stated that he had a cut lip caused whilst trying to separate the males from fighting. I asked him if he wanted to make a official complaint but he declined stating that he didnt have any complaints to make at all and didnt make much of it. I had a look at his face and I could not see any injuries.

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I then got back in the car and went in the direction of the train station to see if I could see the males and do a welfare check on them both to check if they was ok but after conducting an area search of the area we could not find them and we was sent to another incident not long after.

I would estimate that we was at this incident for around 2 minutes and I have never met any of the doorstaff before and as such I dont know their names.

This statement 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 of witness:

Date: 24-03-2020