

WITNESS STATEMENT

CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3)(a) and 5B; Criminal Procedure Rules 2005, Rule 27.1

Statement of Ged HASSE PC483QK URN: 01 QK 12

Age if under 18 Over 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: Police Staff 89/216399.....

This statement (consisting of: 3 pages 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 anything in it which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 14/8/12

Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded [] (supply witness details on rear)

I am the above named person and make this statement as a Safer Neighbourhoods Police Officer. I am currently attached to Kilburn Safer Neighbourhoods Team and joined the team in July 2005. The ward consists of the South Kilburn Estate, Kilburn High Road NW6 and several side roads leading from Kilburn High Road. Current ward priorities are burglary, vehicle crime and youth anti social behaviour along with drug dealing.

My duties consist of patrolling the ward on foot and deal with incidents as they arise. I often get approached by business owners, general members of the public and residents who complain on almost a daily basis about street drinkers and begging. The public often make contact by phoning or emailing the team and complain about issues that affect their quality of life. Most of the calls I get are about drug dealing, street drinkers and begging. The current hotspots are all of Kilburn High Road, Glengall Road, Cambridge Gardens and Willesden Lane NW6.

The type of complaints I get from the public are as follows:

Street drinkers outside William Hill in Glengall Road and Waterloo Passage NW6

Residents and business owners complained about groups of drinkers loitering in Waterloo passage and Glengall Road. One of the drinkers was found sleeping in front of a resident's door. The resident had to throw a bucket of water over this person to get them to move. A local business owner complained about the drinker standing outside his shop. His staff and customers feel intimidated. This person stated that potential customers see the drinkers in Glengall Road and don't want to come down there. This has an impact on his business. One of the local off licence shops stated that he feels like a target because everybody associates the drinking with his shop. A local resident said that he and his family feels threatened and is afraid to bring friends and visitors to his flat. When I sat in this person's flat I personally saw and heard the drinkers in Glengall Road. There were drinking cans of alcohol and generally very loud. They were also very abusive to one another. William Hill's licence is currently under review because of the local community's anger about the drinkers in Glengall Road. I have inserted the following images to highlight the issue:

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Signature witnessed by:

Continuation of Statement of **Ged HASSE PC483QK**.....



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