

WITNESS STATEMENT

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

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Statement of: Walter HOTOBAH DURING

Age if under 18: OVER (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: PC

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.

Witness Signature: PC DURING 2895NW Date: 15/02/2023

This statement refers to a time when I witnessed alcohol being consumed in an unlicensed premises. (THE FIELD, 249 NEASDEN LAN NW101QG)

In this statement I will be referring to myself PC HOTOBAH DURING 2895NW as (I), PC S [redacted] 2269NW as (PC 2269), PC P [redacted] 2841NW as (PC 2841NW), PCSO I [redacted] as (PCSO 7128NW), APS H [redacted] 3703NW as (APS 3703NW) and PC P [redacted] 2865NW.

On TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY 2023 I was on duty in full uniform along with PC 2296NW, PC 2841NW and PCSO 7128NW on ASB Neasden OP Nightingale. This operation is to assist BRENT COUNCIL inforce PSPO on NEASDEN LANE NW10.

Whilst on OP NIGHTINGALE, at around 1900hours PC 2269NW had Intel of a potential unlicensed premises (THE FIELD) serving alcohol, which we went to investigate. The main entrance to THE FIELD was closed so we went around the back to see if anyone was working around the back. As we approached the rear the venue I could see a light shining through the crack of a door directly parallel to the entrance. PC 2296NW knocked and shouted "it's the police is there anyone inside" no reply was given. Further attempts were made with no answer. PC 2269NW then made a call the APS 3703NW a decision was made to enter the property.

PC 2269NW entered the property first I went in second followed by PC 2841NW AND PCSO 7128NW. As I walked through the rear door I could see toilets to my right and a well-lit open area directly in front. As I approached the well-lit area I saw three (3) IC1 males between the ages of 45-65years of age sitting in silence by the bar drinking. I could see two males drinking pints beer with empty pint glasses next to them I also noticed the bar was fully stocked with different varieties of alcoholic drinks in the fridges and the optics on the beer pump were lit up. PC 2269NW asked the three men why didn't the answer when he called out, no reply. PC 2269nw asked who was the owner and if there was anyone else in the pub. At that point PC 2841NW, PCSO 7128NW and I looked around to see if there was anyone else in the venue. I checked the toilets. When I returned back to the bar I saw PC 2269NW asking one of the males for their details. I took the details form PC 2269NW and called PC 2865NW, who at the time was sitting in CHALK HILL SNT BASE to confirm details via PNC and IIP. The male gave the NAME Joseph FINN DOB [redacted] and the address given

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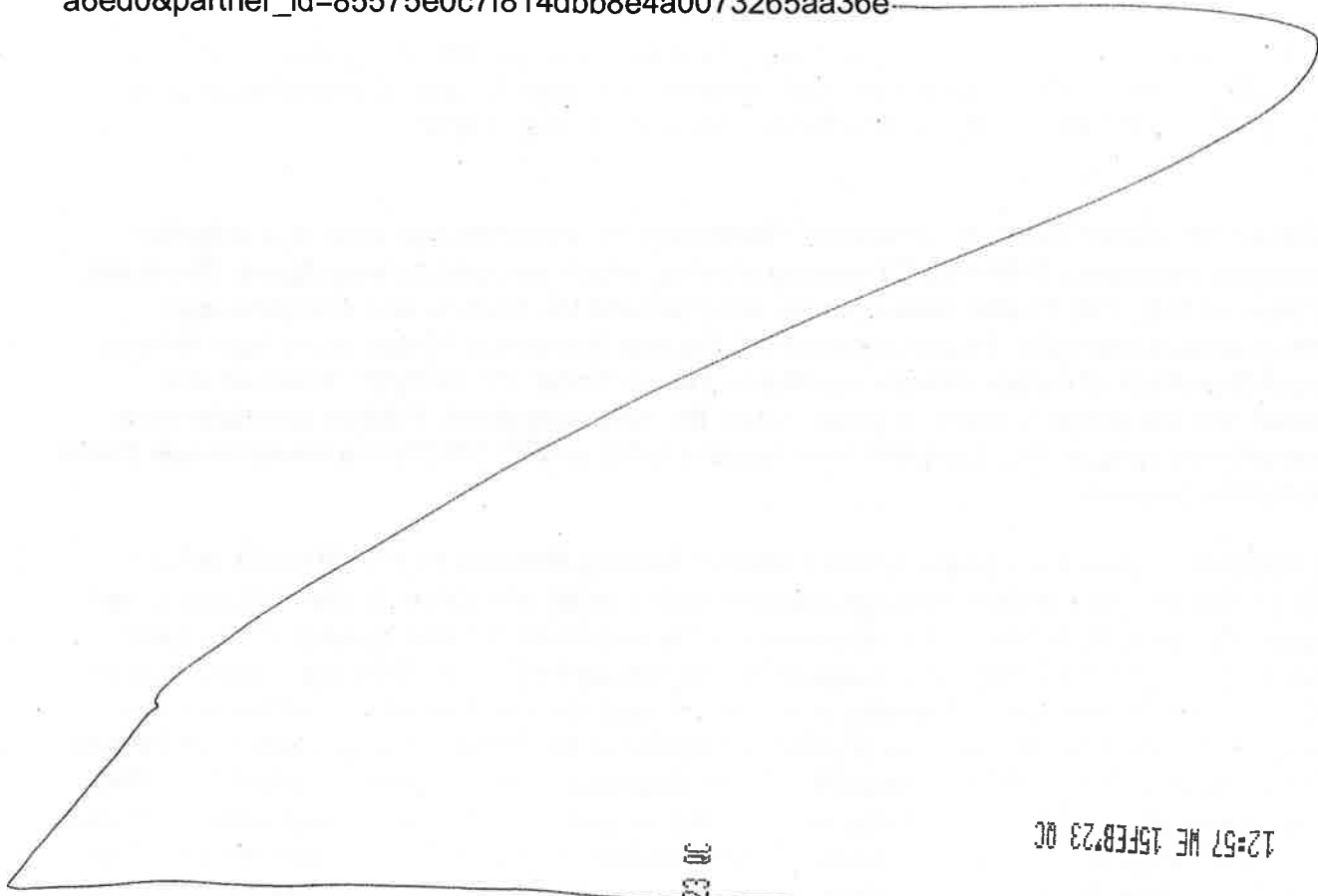
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was [REDACTED] No trace on PNC name not linked to the address given. As I went back to report the findings to PC 2269NW I saw the male who gave the information and asked if he could confirm his DOB in case it was written down wrong in error. "[REDACTED]" the male replied. I confirmed with PC 2865NW if that was the same information I relayed to him, which he confirm yes and there was NO TRACE. As I walked towards PC 2269NW I remembered seeing the male in question with a debit card in his possession. I asked to see to confirm details given was correct to find that male had in fact given PC 2269NW false detail. I asked the male if this was his debit card, which he replied yes. I said the name on this debit car is different to the name you gave to my colleague. The name on the card was T O SHEAHAN. I asked the male what does the T "Timothy" he replied and the O is for "Oliver" the male replied I then asked for his real DOB "[REDACTED]". His real name was in fact Timothy Oliver SHEAHAN DOB [REDACTED]. I called PC 2865NW back and passed on the new information, Mr SHEAHAN came back with a trace on PNC and last known address was 249 NEASDEN LANE NW10. I then relayed the information to PC 2269NW who then approached MR SHEAHAN and words were exchanged.

The whole incident was captured on my BWV which I will be exhibiting as WHD/01 THE FIELD NW10

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