Claim number: CF 101741

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Statement Made on Behalf of:

Name of Witness:

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Defendant

Andrew Rice One

One

Dated this

day of

2009

CLAIM NO. CF 101741

IN THE CARDIFF COUNTY COURT

BETWEEN

MAURICE JOHN KIRK

Claimant

-and-

THE CHIEF CONSTABLE OF SOUTH WALES POLICE

Defendants

WITNESS STATEMENT

I, Andrew John Rice, (DOB.09.05.1969.) C/o The South Wales Police, Police Headquarters, Bridgend.

WILL STATE

- I am Inspector Andrew John Rice of the South Wales Police. I
 joined the service on 18 February 2008. I am currently
 stationed at Barry Police Station.
- 2. This statement is made from my own knowledge except where I have indicated that matters are based on information that I have obtained or matters, which I believe to be true. Where appropriate I have indicated the source of my information and/or belief.

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- I am aware of a civil claim being made by Mr Maurice John Kirk who claims to have received a summons of a speeding offence and failing to produce details for an incident on 2 October 1997.
- 4. I can confirm that the summons books covering 1997 and 1998 are no longer in existence. In the circumstances, it has not been possible to search the same to identify whether the Claimant received a summons following an incident on 2 October 1997.
- I have been provided with a letter from the Claimant to the Vale Magistrates Court, dated 1 June 1998. I exhibit a copy of this letter to my statement marked "AJR 1".
- 6. I note from the Claimant's letter that he alleges that whilst in Court on 1 June 1998, he made a citizens' arrest of the Crown Prosecution Service's barrister, Mr Stan Stoffa. The Claimant identifies me in that letter, including my collar number and alleges that he requested that I seize the Crown Prosecution Service's file of papers.
- 7. I confirm that I have no recollection of the incident described by the Claimant in this letter. I have had in the past had occasion to deal with the Claimant and although the alleged incident was a number of years ago, in light of the unusual circumstances, I feel sure I would have remembered it if I had been present.
- 8. I am unable to comment any further upon the allegations made by the Claimant in relation to this incident.

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9.	believe that the facts stated in this witness statement are true.
	SIGNED
	DATED 21.01.09