

### WITNESS STATEMENT

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

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Statement of: **Tony Morgan**

Age if under 18: **Over 18** (if over 18 insert 'over 18')

Occupation: **Police Officer**

This statement (consisting of **1** 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: **T Morgan**

Date: dd/mm/yyyy.

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

I have been a police officer for twenty years based at LEICESTER police station. I am the manager of the LEICESTER Bees Rugby Union Junior teams from under 10 to under 14's

I know and can recognise Alex GRANT. He is a white male approximately five feet ten inches, medium build, short dark hair, and local accent. He has the word Stevie tattooed on his neck. I was playing in the match when Alex broke his back and have seen him recover over the last four years. He used to walk with the aid of crutches and then a walking stick, but I have not seen him use them for nearly two years. \_\_\_\_\_ *TM*

His son Adam has played for the under tens team for two years and Alex always come to watch, sometimes with his girlfriend Stevie. \_\_\_\_\_ *TM*

Stevie is a white female approximately 5 feet 6-inch, slim build, long dark hair and wears glasses. On several occasions over the last two years, the last one being two weeks ago Alex has volunteered to referee the under tens match when we cannot get an official referee. Whist refereeing Alex moves about the pitch without any visible signs of pain. He does run the length of the pitch numerous times during a game and after each match he does not appear to have and debilitating aftereffects. \_\_\_\_\_ *TM*

Over the last year Alex has helped with the weekly training sessions every Thursday night at the LEICESTER Leisure Centre where we hire the gym and outside Astro turf pitch. We have several teams that train each week and Alex helps me by taking the under tens and elevens for two hours. He demonstrates running and passing moves, line outs and throws He does not demonstrate any of the exercises that may put pressure on his back for example sit ups.

I am happy for this statement to be used in court and I agree to attend court if required *TM*

Signature: **T Morgan**

Signature witnessed by: *CFO*