



QUEENSLAND POLICE SERVICE
STATEMENT OF WITNESS



Occurrence #: _____

Statement no.: _____ Date: 20/09/2007

Statement of

Name of witness: BERGMAN, Jody Irene

Date of birth: _____ Age: _____ Occupation: Police Officer

Police officer taking statement

Name of police officer: BERGMAN, Jody Irene

Rank: PCSC Reg. no.: 14274

Region/Command/Division: Northern Station: Townsville Property Crime Unit

Statement:

Jody Irene BERGMAN states;

1. I am Plain Clothes Senior Constable currently stationed at the Townsville Child Protection Investigation Unit. I am currently performing duties in the Townsville Property Crime Unit.
2. On the 23rd day of March 2006 a notification was received from Thuringowa Child Safety Office in regards to the complainant child ^{CLF}. The notification was in regards to ^{CLF} having oral sex and intercourse with a number of students on the school oval.
3. As a result of this notification arrangements were made with the complainant child to attend the Townsville Police Station so a formal statement could be obtained. On the 4th day of April 2006 I was rostered to work a 2p to 10p shift in the company of Plain Clothes Constable Vanessa HOLMES. On this day the complainant child attended the Townsville Station. At 2:55pm in the afternoon I activated the recording equipment and commenced a Section 93A statement in the ICARE room at Townsville Juvenile Aid Bureau. The statement was concluded at 3:55pm. The complainant child then left the station.

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(Witness's signature)

(Justice of the Peace (Qual.)/
Commissioner for Declarations's signature)

(Police officer's signature)

CONTINUED STATEMENT OF: BERGMAN, Jody Irene

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE TWO AUDIO & TWO VIDEO S93 STATEMENTS OF COMPLAINANT CHILD ^{CLF}

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF ^{CLF}

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE SCHOOLING RECORDS OF ^{CLF}

4. On the 6th day of April 2006 I was rostered to work a 6a to 2p shift in the company of DS TAYLOR, PCSC KINBACHER and PCC MINER. On this day at 6:35am a Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000 search warrant was executed upon the Boys Dormitory at Shalom Christian College. ^{DFL} ^{DFK} ^{DFM} and ^{DFJ} were present when this occurred. Items of clothing were located and seized belonging to ^{DFL} ^{DFK} ^{DFM} and ^{DFJ} ^{DFL} ^{DFK} ^{DFM} and ^{DFJ} voluntarily accompanied police to the Townsville Station where I conducted interviews with ^{DFM} ^{DFK} ^{DFJ} and ^{DFL} in the company of DS TAYLOR. Support person ^{REDACTED} was present during the interviews. Versions were obtained and ^{DFL} ^{DFK} ^{DFM} and ^{DFJ} were released.

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE ONE RECORD OF INTERVIEW OF ONE AUDIO AND ONE VIDEO TAPE OF ^{DFM}

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE ONE RECORD OF INTERVIEW OF ONE AUDIO AND ONE VIDEO TAPE OF ^{DFJ}

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE ONE RECORD OF INTERVIEW OF ONE AUDIO AND ONE VIDEO TAPE OF ^{DFK}

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5. Police attended Shalom Christian College and made further enquiries. As a result of these enquiries seven other persons were interviewed in regards to the matter. DS TAYLOR interviewed ^{REDACTED} ^{REDACTED} ^{REDACTED} ^{REDACTED} and GBE

I interviewed ^{REDACTED} and ^{REDACTED} ^{REDACTED} and ^{REDACTED} could not provide any information to police. ^{REDACTED} was cautioned

^{REDACTED}

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(Police officer's signature)

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in regards to this matter. REDACTED was cautioned in regards to another matter concerning the complainant child.

- 6. On the 7th day of April 2006 I requested Scenes of Crime officer Peter ABRAHAM to attend the offence location. Under my direction a series of photographs were taken.

I AM ABLE TO PRODUCE A SERIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE OFFENCE LOCATION

- 7. During this time the complainant child had moved. Further enquiries needed to be conducted with CLF so I requested the investigation be forwarded to the police station closest to the child where a second Section 93A statement was obtained.

- 8. On the 17th day of September 2007 I made application to Justice of the Peace John McOULLAN in regards to arrest warrant for DFM , DFK , DFJ and DFL

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J I BERGMAN

Justices Act Acknowledgement

Justices Act 1886	
I acknowledge by virtue of section 110A(5)(c)(ii) of the Justices Act 1886 that:	
(1)	This written statement by me dated 20/09/2007 and contained in the pages numbered 1 to 2 is true to the best of my knowledge and belief; and
(2)	I make this statement knowing that, if it were admitted as evidence, I may be liable to prosecution for stating in it anything that I know is false.
.....	REDACTEDSignature
Signed at Townsville this 20 th day of September 2007	

(Witness's signature)

(Justice of the Peace (Qual.)/
Commissioner for Declarations's signature)

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(Police officer's signature)