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## Post Office Ltd

## Witness Statement

Criminal Justice Act 1967, Section 9; Magistrates Court Act 1980, sub-section. 5A(3)(a) and 5B: Criminal Procedure Rules 2005, Rule 27.1

Age if under 18 Over 18 (If over 18 insert 'over 18')

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

Dated the 4<sup>th</sup>

day of April

2012

Signature

I have been employed by, Royal Mail Group (formally known as the Post Office and Consignia) since 1989. Post Office Ltd employs me as a Security Manager and my duties include the investigation of crimes committed against Post Office Ltd by its staff and its agent's employees. I have held this position for 12 months.

I was present with Stephen BRADSHAW on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2011 when Khayyam ISHAQ the sub postmaster of Birkenshaw Post Office branch was interviewed at Bradford South Delivery Office Ripley Street Bradford BD5 7RS.

Mr ISHAQ requested Legal Representation and Mr Musa PATEL (Solicitor) attended on his behalf. Mr ISHAQ signed form GS001 (Identifying Mark SB/1). Mr ISHAQ declined to have a Post Office friend present during the interview and signed form GS003 (Royal Mail Employees Rights to a Friend at an Interview or Search).

The interview was tape-recorded and commenced at 11:11 hours and concluded at 12.55

Signature

Signature witnessed by

POL 011 (Side A)

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Continuation of statement of

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hours. The interview, which covered two tapes were given the unique reference numbers 071401 and 071402, the master tape seals were signed by Mr ISHAQ and the tapes sealed in the presence of Mr ISHAQ.