

Royal Mail Group

CONFIDENTIAL 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

Statement of: Gary Thomas

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

This statement (consisting of 1 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 11 day of August 2011

Signature

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I am the person named above and I am employed by Post Office Ltd, part of the Royal Mail Group Plc, as an Investigator based in Swindon, Wiltshire. Part of my responsibilities is to investigate suspected criminal offences against our business and its clients.

On Wednesday 20 April 2011, I was present in the conference room at Eastleigh Post Office when Mr Graham Brander, Post Office Ltd Investigator conducted a tape-recorded interview with Mrs Lynette Hutchings. The interview ran from 11.23 hrs to 13.40 hrs and comprised of three master tapes, reference 073451, 073452 & 073453, which I identify as items GDB/5, GDB/6 & GDB/7

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Signature

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Signature witnessed by