

STATEMENT

Name: ^{Mr Irons}

STATES:

My name is ^{Mr Irons} and my personal details are known to the police. I am making this statement of my own free will and have been offered no indemnities and nothing in return for my account.

I am [redacted] years of age and live at [redacted] I am currently on a [redacted] when I was [redacted]

I grew up in [redacted] and live approximately 500 metres from [redacted] I come from a [redacted] and know a number of people around the community. I frequent a lot of the [redacted] shops around [redacted] one of them being [redacted] Café. [redacted] a [redacted] restaurant next door to [redacted] and I sometimes go to [redacted] to have a coffee and shoot some pool.

About two years ago I met a male I know as [redacted] I met [redacted] through his [redacted] [redacted] and from seeing him out at some nightclubs. We met a few more times and used to talk at [redacted] He and I were just what I would describe as just friends, not particularly great mates. I think that [redacted] was originally from [redacted]

Sometime in late [redacted] 2006, I was at home sleeping and received a call from [redacted] I can't remember the exact date that this happened, but it was around the 27th or 28th. It was around 2.00 pm or so and he told me that he was outside my house. He asked me to come outside to speak to him. I went outside and saw [redacted] standing near the boot of the car, a [redacted] I can't remember what brand it was. [redacted]

[redacted] that night or a couple of days later. I asked him [redacted]

[redacted] I told him that if wasn't home [redacted] and didn't really think much more about it.

The [redacted] I think from memory it [redacted] or so. I remember that when [redacted] I would say. [redacted]

At the start of [redacted] rang me up. It was the first time I had spoken to him since he had [redacted] I was asleep at home and he told me that he was outside my house. I went outside and he asked me [redacted] was again standing outside a [redacted] the same one he was driving when I was later arrested by the police. I don't remember exactly what model or brand it was.

I thought that [redacted] and [redacted]

[redacted] He thanked me and told me that he'd call me again later.

I had seen [redacted] in the days after that but hadn't spoken about [redacted] or anything else, just really said hello and that was it. About 10 or 11 days after that [redacted] called me. I was at home again, sleeping. [redacted] asked me to come and meet him at the [redacted] I know that [redacted] owns that [redacted] and he sometimes hangs out there. I'm pretty sure it's a [redacted]. About 20 minutes later I left home and drove to the [redacted] in my car, a [redacted] coloured [redacted] I thought something was wrong with [redacted] On the phone he sounded anxious to me, he was quick in talking and called the [redacted] I thought that maybe he had been in a fight. I got to the [redacted] and parked my car near the [redacted] closest to the entrance to the [redacted] was outside standing behind the [redacted] near the

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shop. I think his car was facing front in, towards the wall. I opened my door and went to get out of my car, but told me to stay in it and to follow him. looked anxious to me, like he had seen a ghost. He was sort of pacing around and looked really nervous. got into the driver's seat of his car and reversed out of the car park. I pulled out behind him and followed him onto Street. turned right into Street at the traffic lights and then left into Street. I followed him all the way and into the first alleyway on the right hand side.

In the laneway got out of his car. I saw go to the rear left passenger side of his car and earlier the month before. with a black jacket from memory, He came up to me and I got out of my car.

I asked him walked past me, brushed me aside and hopped into his car. He told me not to worry and that he would I went to ask him again but he had already begun to drive off. I knew straight away then that something wasn't right. decided to get into my car and drive off. I drove out of the alleyway and saw that had gone right. I went left down and then left again into Street and then right on Street, heading home. A short time later I pulled into the in Road and was pulled over by the police. While I was speaking to the police they searched and I was arrested and taken to the Police Station, where I was interviewed.

I have been asked by the police if I was paid by for him. I was not and have never been. The time outlined above is the only time that I don't even know why he asked me in the first place.

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The day after I was arrested I saw [REDACTED] Road near [REDACTED] [REDACTED] the restaurant I mentioned earlier. He asked me why [REDACTED] and that he hadn't. I didn't say anything else to him and he walked off. I haven't seen him since.

In the time I have been going to [REDACTED] I have met a lot of people and know a lot of them by face. On a number of occasions I have seen people known to me as [REDACTED] I have been introduced to them in the past but can't remember by whom. I don't hang out with them and have nothing to do with them. Living in [REDACTED] and growing up around the area you can't help but know other people who have lived there for all of their lives. That best describes how I know [REDACTED]

Mr Irons

Statement taken and signature witnessed by me
at 3.03 PM on [REDACTED]/2006 at Melbourne


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I hereby acknowledge that this statement is true and correct and I make it in the belief that a person making a false statement in the circumstances is liable to the penalties of

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