

**WITNESS STATEMENT**

Criminal Procedure Rules, r27.2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s.9; Magistrates' Courts Act 1980, s.5b

Statement of: WALTON, ANDREW

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

Occupation: FIRE OFFICER

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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: A WALTON

Date: 04/07/2018

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

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This statement is in addition to a statement I made to police on the 25<sup>th</sup> January 2018 regarding my involvement in the fire at Grenfell Tower on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

Regarding my statement made on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2017 I would like to make the following amendment:

On page 11 of my statement I refer to a 7(2)d familiarisation visit taking place at Grenfell Tower whilst I was temporarily attached to North Kensington Fire Station as Station Manager. I stated that this visit took place under the Regulatory Reform Order, however I would like to confirm that it is in fact under the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004, Section 7(2)d. I became aware of this discrepancy on June 19<sup>th</sup> 2018 when I re read through my statement in the presence of Hannah LOUGHER, from the LFB Grenfell Tower Investigation team, in preparation for my attendance as a witness at the Grenfell Tower Enquiry.

In addition to this, on page 13 of my statement I refer to an email that I sent to Hammersmith and Fulham, Kensington and Chelsea Fire Safety Regulation Team. I exhibit this email as ANW/9.

I also now exhibit a further email that I sent to Greg ASHMAN, Group Manager attached to the London Fire Brigade Grenfell Tower investigation Team, in November 2017, explaining that I had sent the email to the Fire Safety Regulations Team. I exhibit this email as ANW/10.

Signature: A WALTON  
2018

Signature witnessed by: