

New South Wales Police

STATEMENT in matter of: Death of Wayne BRENNAN Place: Darlinghurst Police Station Date: 30 April 1985 **10/9a**

Name: I243 (Surname in capitals) Address: [redacted] Paddington Tel. No. [redacted] Occupation: Part-time cook. STATES:—

1. I am aware that if I sign this statement and any part of this statement is untrue to my knowledge I may be liable to punishment.
2. My date of birth is the [redacted]/44.
3. I am employed at Pete's Beat nightclub as a cook. I prepare snacks and serve them to the customers. I work every night that the club is open which at the moment is five nights, every night of the week except Monday and Tuesday. I start when the club opens at about 6.00pm and work through to the early hours of the morning when the club closes. The time depends on the crowd. I have worked there about three and a half months all up.
4. When I started working at the club I met Wendy Wayne who was one of the dancers in the show and made the costumes etc. Wendy was at the club every night that there was a show on which has been every night that the club is open for the last couple of months. I became quite friendly with Wendy and she used to get a meal off me every night and sometimes we would talk. I have been to her flat in Darlinghurst Road a couple of times for coffee and have been to her workshop in Campbell Street where she makes the costumes. I have not been inside Wendy's flat for about three weeks but on Sunday night a friend of mine and Wendy's named I223 went to see Wendy. I223 knows Wendy and is a performer in the show at the club. She was leaving for Brisbane on the 7.30pm bus on Sunday night and I walked with her from the bus stop in Darlinghurst Road up to Wendy's place because I223 wanted to say good-bye to Wendy. I223 knocked on Wendy's front door, this would have been about 7 or 7.15pm. The door was shut and there was no answer. We thought Wendy must have been out so we just went back to the bus stop and I saw I223 off on the bus. I then walked back past Wendy's and didn't notice anything unusual. This would have been a bit after 7.30pm. I then went back to Pete's beat.
5. I don't know of any one who does not like Wendy. I never saw her fight with anyone and don't know of any enemy's. I declare that no part of this statement is untrue to my knowledge. I know that it may be used in legal proceedings. It accurately sets out the evidence I would be prepared, if necessary to give in court as a witness.

Witness: Judy [redacted]

Signature: I243