

## Statement of Sgt ROBINSON

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**Brief Description:** This statement covers the reporting of WARREN missing by SAUCIS and ELLIS, the creation of the missing persons report, co-ordination of a search by air/water, and recovery of keys.

### Summary:

**Para 3:** About 8.15pm on 23/07/1989 ELLIS attends Paddington Police Station to report WARREN missing.

**Para 4:** Missing Persons report completed and enquiries are conducted (by telephone) to the landline of WARREN and to his employer. ROBINSON then "circulates" WARREN and his vehicle. AMSM not sent until after vehicle located.

**Para 5:** Following day, further conversations with ELLIS who hands to ROBINSON keys. Organises Polair & Water Police to search. States sees vehicle outside 24 Fennek St at Bondi (no such street). Vehicle located outside 24 Kenneth St at Bondi.

**Para 6:** States ELLIS placed the keys "exactly where he had located them" at the base of rocks. States met ELLIS at intersection of Tammarama and Kenneth Streets (do not intersect).

**Para 7:** Searches WARREN's vehicle and locates a wallet and other possessions.

## New South Wales Police

STATEMENT in matter of:  
Ross Bradley WARREN

Place: Paddington Police

Date: 16 July, 1991

Name: Daniel ROBINSON

Address: C/O Paddington Police

Tel No.: [REDACTED]

Occupation: Constable of Police

STATES:-

1. This statement made by me accurately sets out the evidence which I would be prepared, if necessary, to give in court as a witness. The statement 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.

2. My age is 27

3. About 8.15pm on Sunday the 23rd of July, 1989 a Mr Craig ELLIS and another male person a friend of Mr Ellis attended Paddington Police station and told me something.

4. As a result of this conversation I completed a missing persons report and commenced enquiries into the whereabouts of a Ross Bradley WARREN. Enquiries were made to determine if his place of work had any knowledge of his whereabouts and phone calls were made to his home address in Wollongong. These enquiries met with a negative result. Following these enquiries I circulated a description of Ross WARREN and the vehicle he was last seen driving in.

5. The following day I had a further conversation with Mr ELLIS and his friend who told me something and handed me a set of keys. As a result of this conversation I contacted Bondi Police and Police air as well as the water Police and a search was conducted by these units surrounding the area where WARRENS vehicle was located.

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6. The vehicle was located outside number 24 Fennek street, Bondi near Fletcher street. The keys were on a plain ring and there were a number of keys with the key to the vehicle. The key to the vehicle was silver in colour and the remaining keys were bronze and silver. I then attended Tammarama and Kenneth street where Mr ELLIS showed me where the keys to WARRENS vehicle were located. I climbed down the rocks and Mr ELLIS placed the keys exactly where he had located them.

7. I then returned to the Ross Bradley WARRENS vehicle. This vehicle was parked on the southern kerb outside number 24 Kenneth street it was facing west and parked close and parallel. I opened the vehicle and searched it. In the front passenger seat clothes were covered by a towel, I found in the glove box the wallet of Mr WARREN and other personal papers. Clothing was strewn about the vehicle running shoes were on the floor in the rear and a small bag containing clothing was on the back seat. I opened the boot and inside was another bag with clothing.

8. I then locked the vehicle and returned to Paddington Police Station. The personal effects of Ross Bradley WARREN was then handed to Detectives and further enquiries were made in relation to information that had been received at Paddington concerning the whereabouts of Ross WARREN all these enquiries proved negative.

9. The missing persons unit was contacted and informed of the disappearance and further enquiries were then made by detectives in charge of the matter.

Witness:

Signature: