

Video run-around of ELLIS

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Brief Description: On the 02/08/2001, Craig ELLIS attended Marks Park Tamarama, with Detectives PAGE, DAGG & INGRAM. With the assistance of the video unit, an electronically recorded interview was conducted with ELLIS regarding the disappearance of Ross WARREN. Points covered in the interview was the location he found WARREN's car, the location he located WARREN's car keys and where he first met WARREN at Marks Park. A transcript of the video interview will be obtained at a later stage. This statement also covers added information regarding the statement made by Craig ELLIS on the 25/09/2000.

Summary:

Para 3.: Statement made on the 25/09/2001 true and correct relating to the disappearance of Ross WARREN.

Para 4.: But wishes to add further to the statement made on 25/09/2001, that in paragraph five of this statement he stated he did not know the phone number of [REDACTED] Redfern. Now believes the phone number was possibly [REDACTED]. Also stated that he does not remember talking to Phillip ROSSINI on the night WARREN disappeared.

Para 5.: That on the 02/08/2001, freely participated in a electronically recorded interview (on video) with Detective DAGG regarding the disappearance of Ross WARREN.

Para 6.: That during the interview he indicated a location he found WARREN's car. This being outside number 25 Kenneth Street Tamarama. That he was also shown a photocopy of a colour photograph of a brown Nissan Pulsar. That this vehicle was WARREN's and the one he located in July 1989. The car is shown in the photograph as parked in a suburban street, ELLIS states that this is not were he found WARREN's car. Investigators believe that this location may possibly be near the old Bondi Police Station.

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STATEMENT in the matter of:
Suspect death of Ross WARREN

Place: Paddington
Police Station
Date : 2 August 2001

Name: Craig Howard ELLIS
Address: [REDACTED], Darlinghurst
Occupation: Accountant

Tel. No.: [REDACTED]
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 for prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

2. I am 34 years of age.

3. On the 25th of September 2000, I made a statement to Police regarding the suspected death of my friend Ross Bradley WARREN. This statement is a true and correct version of my knowledge relating to the events leading up to and after Ross WARREN disappeared.

4. I wish to add further to this statement. In paragraph five (5), I stated that when I was living in [REDACTED] REDFERN I could not remember the phone number at the time. I now believe the phone number was possibly [REDACTED]. I also wish to add that on the night that Ross disappeared I do not remember talking to a Phillip ROSSINI regarding Ross.

Witness:



Signature:



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STATEMENT (continued) in the matter of: Suspect death of Ross WARREN
Name: Craig Howard ELLIS

5. About 11.35am on Thursday the 2nd of August 2001, I returned to the Kenneth Street Tamarama, near to the location were I had located Ross's car in July 1989. I freely participated in a video interview with Detective Senior Constable DAGG. Whilst speaking to Detective DAGG he asked me a number of questions and I answer those questions which I believe was recorded electronically on video tape.

6. During the course of the video taped interview I indicated a location near the corner of Kenneth Street and Marks Street Tamarama. This area is near the driveway of a block of units being number 25 Kenneth Street Tamarama. I was also shown a colour photocopy of a photograph depicting a brown Nissan Pulsar. This is definitely Ross WARREN's car which I located in Kenneth Street in July 1989. The only difference I can see in the photograph is the location that is depicted with the car. This is not the location were I found Ross's car. I have signed and marked this photocopy as Annexure A and is attached to this statement.

7. During the electronically recorded video interview with Detective DAGG, I was asked a number of questions and I freely answered those questions which I believe were recorded electronically on video tape. This recording is a true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Witness:

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DAGG
D/S/C
2/8/01
Paddington

Signature:

Craig Howard Ellis

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Annexure A

Camp Area
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