

Witness Name: Stephen  
Grandison  
Statement No: WITN07640100  
Dated: 31ST January 2023

## POST OFFICE HORIZON IT INQUIRY

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### FIRST WITNESS STATEMENT OF STEPHEN GRANDISON

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I, Stephen Grandison, will say as follows:

1. My professional background is shortly after leaving school I worked within a Sheriff Officers department as an administrative clerk. Following this I worked as a counter clerk within the Post Office. During this role I also had a secondment as a Horizon Field Support Officer. Following this I was a production operator with a glass manufacturing company, and I am currently employed as a police custody and support officer with Police Scotland.
2. Due to the long passage of time, I cannot remember any of the training I received as a Horizon Support Officer.
3. The only experiences I can remember was attending at numerous Post Offices to assist and train postmasters and cannot remember any further specifics regarding resources and management.
4. I am unable to give a view regarding training as I would have passed on the training, I received to the sub-postmaster.

5. I cannot remember any advice/assistance given however I would always give the best advice to anyone in any role of any job position that I am in.
6. I was not aware of any bugs or errors within the Horizon IT system.
7. There is nothing further I can think of to assist the Chair in this important enquiry relating to the Horizon IT project. Due to such a long gap of 20+ years it is difficult to remember back to this period of my career.

**Statement of Truth**

I believe the content of this statement to be true.

Signed:

**GRO**

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