

Witness Name: Jeffrey Paul Brown

Statement No: **WITN07800100**

Dated: (please add) January 2023

## POST OFFICE HORIZON IT INQUIRY

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### FIRST STATEMENT OF JEFFREY PAUL BROWN

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I, Jeffery Paul Brown will say as follows

#### INTRODUCTION

1. Approximately 23 years ago I was employed by the Post Office as a Horizon Field Officer.
2. This witness statement is made to assist the Post Office Horizon IT Inquiry (the 'Inquiry') with the matters set out in the Rule 9 Request dated 3 January 2023 (the 'Request').

#### BACKGROUND

3. I attended a training course to enable me to assist Postmasters both in the Crown and sub post offices to operate the Horizon system.
4. My job was to travel to Post Offices and assist the staff to understand and use the Horizon System.
5. In my view the staff were trained adequately to use the new system.

6. Whilst I was employed as a Horizon Field Officer, I had no knowledge of any complaints.
7. I was also not aware of any defects or bugs in the system.

Statement of Truth

I believe the content of this statement to be true.

Signed:

**GRO**

Dated:

11/01/2023