



ANNEX A USE OF FORCE

Local
Reference No.

STAFF STATEMENT

ESTABLISHMENT: BROOK HOUSE IRCDATE: 13-05-17

DETAINEE

NAME: D687CID NUMBER: 754978H

OFFICER

NAME: CHRIS DENNEHYGRADE: D.C.M.

The use of force must only be used when it is:

Reasonable in the circumstance**An absolute necessity****No more force than necessary****Proportionate to the seriousness of the situation**

Your statement must set out what happened; give details of your part in the use of force, any restraints/locks you applied and how the incident was finally resolved. It must give details of who authorised the use of force, as well as attempts made to de-escalate throughout the incident.

Your statement must be completed independently of other staff involved in the incident.

If C&R or MPR was used, please tick your primary role:

Supervising Officer ☐Head / Number 1 ☐Right arm ☐Left arm ☐Leg Officer ☐☒ HANDCUFF OFFICER

Have you been C&R basic refreshed in the last 12 months?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Have you been attended an MPR refresher in the last 6 months?

Yes ☐ No ☐



The Type of Force Used:

Were Personal Safety Techniques Used?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Were C&R Techniques Used?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Were MMPR Techniques Used?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Defensive Options	<input type="checkbox"/>	Guiding Hold	<input type="checkbox"/>	Figure Four Arm Hold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Push	<input type="checkbox"/>	Isolating the Arm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Head Support	<input type="checkbox"/>
Knee Strike	<input type="checkbox"/>	Arm Hold/Lock	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mandibular Angle	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kick	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wrist Flexion/Lock	<input type="checkbox"/>	Detainee – Prone	<input type="checkbox"/>
Punch	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thumb Flexion/Lock	<input type="checkbox"/>	Detainee – Supine	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Inverted Wrist Hold		Detainee – Seated	<input type="checkbox"/>
		APPLY CUFFS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Restraint Recovery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Were any additional restraints used?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Who authorised their use?		
Hand Cuffs		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D.C.M C. DONNELLY.		
Baton		<input type="checkbox"/>			

Please provide as much detail as possible below, including:

Before the incident (i.e. what led to the incident, any de-escalation techniques used), during the incident (i.e. what types of force were employed and why), and after the incident (i.e. where the detainee(s) were relocated to and any injuries sustained).

I, DCM Chris Donnelly, was on duty at Brook House IRL, Watwick, on Saturday 13-05-17 as Oscar 2, in charge of detainee Reception/Discharge and B wing. At approx 13.30 I was informed that a detainee I know to be **D687** (CID 7549784) was in discharge waiting room toilet, with a ligature around his neck. He was in the waiting room awaiting a suitable crew move to The Verne IRL. I went to speak to him with some other officers. He was sitting on the toilet of the detainee discharge toilet, with a white ligature around his neck, saying he did not want to go to the Verne – it was too far away from his family. He would not desist or remove the ligature, despite several DCO's, myself and DCM Farrell trying to persuade him. Duty Director Dan Haughton arrived and