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1 the [REDACTED]---After the charging of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
2 [REDACTED] and other persons, no I didn't.
3 Nothing further.

4 HIS HONOUR: Any re-examination? Your evidence is now
5 completed and you are excused from further attendance.
6 (Witness excused.)

7 <(THE WITNESS WITHDREW)

8 <DALE STEPHEN FLYNN, sworn and examined:

9 Your Honour, my name is Dale Stephen Flynn, I'm a
10 Detective Senior Sergeant presently stationed at the Drug
11 Task Force.

12 MR KIDD: Mr Flynn, have you made some 22 statements in this
13 brief?---I have.

14 I'm going to hand to you copies of those statements together
15 with an index, have you prepared an index identifying
16 each of those statements by reference to the date of the
17 event with which the statements deals, the number of
18 pages, and the date that you signed it?---Yes.

19 Have a look at these documents please, firstly Mr Flynn, can
20 you identify that the first document is the index of your
21 22 statements in the terms that we've discussed?---That's
22 correct yes.

23 Mr Flynn, can you confirm please that you've signed each and
24 everyone of these 22 statements?---Yes, that is correct.

25 Mr Flynn, can you also confirm please, whether the statements
26 are all true and correct?---Yes they are.

27 I tender the statements together with the accompanying index
28 Your Honour.

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30 EXHIBIT V - Index of 22 statements plus 22 statements
31 of Dale Stephen Flynn.

32 MR THOMSON: Your Honour, it has been agreed that I go first.

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1 HIS HONOUR: Yes, Mr Mokbel. Can you hear and see us all
2 right?

3 DEFENDANT MOKBEL: Good morning, Your Honour. Yes, I can,
4 thank you.

5 HIS HONOUR: Yes, thank you. Are we ready to proceed, Mr Kidd?

6 MR KIDD: Yes, Your Honour.

7 <DALE STEPHEN FLYNN, recalled:

8 HIS HONOUR: Yes, thank you, Mr Flynn. If you can go back to
9 the witness box please? I'll just remind you you're
10 still under oath?---Yes, Your Honour.

11 Yes, thank you, Mr Shirrefs.

12 MR SHIRREFS: Thank you, Your Honour. Mr Flynn, on the
13 [REDACTED] 2006 you arrested [REDACTED] at the
14 [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] Is that right?
15 ---I did, yes.

16 Although, when first interviewed, he refused to answer
17 questions he thereafter agreed to participate - certainly
18 in the days that followed - in an operation being
19 conducted by the Purana Task Force?---Yes, he did.

20 In terms of securing his agreement to participate in that
21 operation he was spoken to by officers at the Purana Task
22 Force and also his legal representatives?---Yes, he was.

23 Right. Those representatives being, Nicola Gobbo and Tony
24 Hargreaves?---That's correct, yes.

25 In terms of those from Purana who spoke with him to try and
26 garner his assistance was that yourself?---Yes, it was.

27 At all stages? This is before he participate on [REDACTED]
28 ---Yes, there was one interview, if you like - or
29 conversation - - -

30 Yes - - -?--- - - -with [REDACTED]. It was had between myself,
31 [REDACTED] and Inspector O'Brien.

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1 I asked you in relation to the [REDACTED] earlier whether or not
2 in that first conversation it had been pointed out that
3 in respect of the [REDACTED] information had come back
4 police, a police officer - indeed, a corrupt police
5 officer - to Carl Williams that the [REDACTED] was off and
6 that information had not been relayed or conveyed to
7 [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] and they continued to [REDACTED]
8 that [REDACTED]?---In relation to those details that was
9 not mentioned.

10 That was not mentioned?---No.

11 What was mentioned about the [REDACTED]---Certainly the fact that
12 it was mentioned that [REDACTED] was the one that was
13 [REDACTED] for others and he had been caught and
14 the others had was mentioned.

15 He'd already been charged in respect of the [REDACTED] and those
16 charges were still outstanding?---Yes, they were.

17 Are you talking about information beyond the evidence that you
18 already had against him at that stage? Were you
19 conveying to him in that first conversation you had
20 additional evidence of his [REDACTED] and
21 [REDACTED] beyond that which formed the
22 content of the brief in relation to [REDACTED]?---No.

23 So you're just reminding him that he was pretty much gone on
24 that?---Yes.

25 As he was in relation to [REDACTED]---Ah, yes. I was saying
26 that he had been arrested for that. The evidence against
27 him was very strong and that there are others that we
28 believe were involved that had got off scot-free at that
29 stage.

30 Well after that conversation did he, at that stage agree that
31 he would facilitate your operation?---Yes.