

THE AIRBORNE INITIATIVE

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PRE-SENTENCE REPORT

Court:	Glasgow Sheriff Court	Date of Court:	23.07.02
Names:	David Thomson	Date of Birth:	09.06.81
Residing at:	40 Glasgow Road, Milngavie, Glasgow.		

Best of Assessment

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Result of Assessment

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We also confirm that, should the Court decide to make a Probation Order with a condition of attendance at the Airborne Course:

A place will be available on the course scheduled to commence on 16 October 2002.

Additional Comments:

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- No more trouble with law
- Stable relationships.
- Employment.
- Financially secure
- Healthy.

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Mr Thomson understands the content and expectations of the Airborne Course and has agreed to participate fully. His Social Worker and the Airborne Initiative Liaison Officer would seek to work intensively with him in the run up to the start of the Course.

It is the opinion of the writer that attendance at Airborne would provide a significant challenge to Mr Thomson's offending pattern and we would look forward to working with him should the Court decide to impose attendance at the Airborne Initiative as a condition of a Probation Order.

Signature:



Name: Drew Graham

Title:

Liaison Officer

Date: 22 July 2002



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**Our Ref: MC/SC
Date: 15th August 2002**

**Kirsty Kennedy
Criminal Justice
Unit 23 Fraser House
Whitegates
Kirkintilloch**



Dear Kirsty,

David Thompson

You are invited to a meeting regarding David Thompson on Monday 2nd September at 9.30am at Milngavie Social Work office. This is the reconvened meeting of the 5th August.

Yours sincerely,

**Marion Corcoran
Social Worker.**

Vicki Nash	• Chief Executive	
Valerie Watts	• Assistant Chief Executive	
John W. Mundell	• Strategic Director	• Commercial
Sue Bruce	• Strategic Director	• Community
George Thom	• Strategic Director	• Development & Environment

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PERSONAL ISSUES

(That may have implications during the trainee's time at Airborne)

Marital Status: <u>Single</u> Married/Divorced/Cohabiting	
No of Children <u>—</u>	Expected Children (Inc. due date) <u>—</u>
HOME ISSUES: (accommodation/relationships/debt etc) HOMELESSNESS IS DAVID'S MAIN ONGOING WORRY AND HAS MADE IT DIFFICULT FOR HIM TO MAKE PROGRESS.	

PERSONALITY

Personality: <u>confident</u> / <u>anxious</u> <u>leader</u> / <u>follower</u> <u>likes company</u> / <u>prefers own company</u>
Attitude: (to authority, Airborne, offending, substances) DAVID GENERALLY RESPECTS AUTHORITY (CONSISTENTLY APPEARS). HE THINKS AIRBORNE WILL GIVE HIM A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO SORT HIS LIFE OUT. HE REGRETS THE TROUBLE HE HAS BEEN IN, BUT FINDS IT DIFFICULT TO AVOID AT TIMES. SUBSTANCES GIVE DAVID A HOLIDAY FROM HIS WORKING.
Motivation: (What are 5 goals you most want to achieve in future life?) • FINANCIALLY SECURE • HEALTHY • NO MORE TROUBLE WITH LAW • JOB • RELATIONSHIPS MORE STABLE
Commitment: (addressing offending behaviour/changing lifestyle/employment) DAVID HAS JUST HAD HIS FIRST TERM OF CUSTODY. HE BREACHED PROBATION BY NOT PAYING COMPENSATION, AND COMMITTED FURTHER OFFENCES JAN/FEB 2002. HOWEVER, HE HAS MAINTAINED CONTACT WITH INCLUSION (VOL. SERV.), CHILD CARE SOCIAL WORKER AND PROBATION OFFICER. WHEN GIVEN OPPORTUNITY, DAVID HAS SHOWN HE CAN COMMIT TO PROGRAMMES (SEE BELOW)

EDUCATION/TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT

Qualifications	<u>—</u>
Training Courses Attended	MILLENNIUM PROJECT, MARYHILL "TOMORROW'S PEOPLE" - 6 MONTH PROGRAMME - DEC - APRIL 2002
Work Experience	<u>—</u>
Are You Currently Employed Or On A Training Scheme?	NO
Have You Ever Been On A Job Search Programme Before?	<u>—</u>
Have You Ever Considered Further Education?	<u>—</u>

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ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Nine weeks residential course from:

To:

Actual leaving date (see case records)

PERSONAL DETAILS

Name	DAVID THOMPSON	Age	18	DOB	8/6/1984
Address	90 PARK VIEW HILL 72 QUEENS DRIVE	Tel No	0141	NI No	[REDACTED]
Next of Kin	[REDACTED]	Relationship	MOTHER		
Address	[REDACTED]	Tel No	0141		[REDACTED]

OFFICIAL DETAILS

Supervising Officer	KIRSTI KENNEDY		
Authority	EAST DUNBARTONSHIRE	Tel No	0141 578 0100
Address	UNIT 23 FRASER HOUSE WHITEGATES KIRKINTILLOCH G66 3BQ	Fax No	0141 578 0101
Name of GP	DR MCGEOR?		
Address	KERSWAND HOUSE SURGERY STATION RD MILNGAVIE	Tel No	0141 956 1005
Benefits Office		Tel No	
Address		Fax No	
Name Of Solicitor	GARRY MCMILLAN	Tel No	0141 204 1904
Address	ST VINCENT TERRACE	Fax No	

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Medical Questionnaire

Medical Report

SER

Care Plan

Court Report

Team Leader:

First Giro Due:

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Probation Order

SCRO

Trainee Declaration &

Training Plan

Date:

Keyworker:

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OFFENCES

Date of Appearance	23/7/02	Summary/Solemn	
Court	GLASGOW Sheriff	Remanded/Bailed	
Charges	ASSAULT THEFT M/V (2000) POOLIE B/PACK		
Previous Sentences Served/Period of Remand	RTA x 3		
Remands	NONE	Sentences	NONE
Outstanding Charges/Warrants/Fines/Appealances			
- B/PROBATION DUMBARTON Sheriff			
- RTA			
- THEFT S/L GLASGOW DISTRICT			

ADMINISTRATION DETAILS

Catering Requirements	
Are You Allergic To Any Foodstuffs?	Yes No
If Yes, please give details.	
Do You Require A Special Diet?	Yes No
If Yes, please give details.	

Clothing/Footwear			
Shoe Size	9	Height	5' 11"
		Chest	M
		Waist	32

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

INCLUSION, VOLUNTARY SECURITY AGENCY OFFERING INTENSIVE SUPPORT TO YOUNG PEOPLE AT HIGH RISK OF OFFENDING, WILL CONTINUE SUPPORTING DAVID DURING PROGRAMME

SUPERVISING OFFICER

Would You Be Willing To:		Yes	No
• Bring your probationer to the start of the course	CAN ARRANGE	☒	☐
• Attend an Open Day		☒	☐
• Attend the Graduation Ceremony		☒	☐

SIGNATURES

Candidate		Date	19/7/02
Social Worker		Date	19/7/02
Liaison Officer		Date	
Suitability:			
Comments:			
Outcome:			

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MEDICAL QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME DAVID THOMSON

The following information will be treated in the strictest confidence.

Please answer the following questions. If the answer is YES then please provide full details.

Have you at any time suffered from the following conditions:

ALLERGIES		GENITO-URINARY		NEUROLOGICAL	
Allergies	YES/NO	Kidney stones	YES/NO	Dizzy spells	YES/NO
Asthma	YES/NO	Pain on urination	YES/NO	Epilepsy	YES/NO
Hay Fever	YES/NO	Sugar/albumin urine	YES/NO	Fainting attacks	YES/NO
				Paralysis	YES/NO
				Severe headaches	YES/NO
CARDIOVASCULAR		MISCELLANEOUS		RESPIRATORY	
Chest pain	YES/NO	Anaemia	YES/NO	Chronic cough	YES/NO
Heart disorder	YES/NO	Anxiety	YES/NO	Pleurisy	YES/NO
High blood pressure	YES/NO	Blood disorder	YES/NO	Pneumonia	YES/NO
Palpitations	YES/NO	Cancer	YES/NO	Sinusitis	YES/NO
Rheumatic fever	YES/NO	Depression	YES/NO	Tuberculosis	YES/NO
		Diabetes	YES/NO		
		General Debility	YES/NO		
		Insomnia	YES/NO		
		Skin Disorder	YES/NO		
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM		MUSCULOSKELETAL		SENSES	
Hernia	YES/NO	Arthritis	YES/NO	Colour blindness	YES/NO
Jaundice	YES/NO	Backache	YES/NO	Ear Disorder	YES/NO
Peptic Ulcer	YES/NO	Back Injury	YES/NO	Eye disorder	YES/NO
Rectal bleeding	YES/NO	Disc disorder	YES/NO	Throat disorder	YES/NO
		Gout	YES/NO		
		Joint/Tendon disorder	YES/NO		
		Rheumatism	YES/NO		

If you have answered YES to any of the questions above, please give full details below.

When was the last time you consulted your doctor?	A YEAR AGO	Date:
Reason:	BROKEN LEG (SUSTAINED JANUARY 2001)	
Are you currently taking any medication or do you anticipate doing so in the near future?		
If YES, please give details:		YES/NO
How many days have you been sick in the last 12 months?		
Do you expect to require time off work for any medical reason within the next 12 months?		YES/NO
If YES, please give details:		

Alcohol Issues: (consumption details, effect on offender/behaviour)	
LINKED TO OFFENDING - EXCESSIVE CONSUMPTION WITH PEERS - CAN GET AGGRESSIVE	
Drug Issues: (consumption details, effect of offender/behaviour)	
1. Are you dependent on drugs? If yes, give details	NO
2. Have you taken any illegal drugs in the past three months? If yes, give details	YES ECSTASY, HASH
3. Are you on prescribed methadone? If yes, dosage	NO
Mental Health Issues:	
NONE REPORTED	

ACCESS TO MEDICAL REPORTS

It may be necessary to obtain a report from a doctor who has treated you. We are required to tell you about your statutory rights regarding access to medical report, which are set out briefly below. You may:

- (a) refuse to allow us to obtain a report;
- (b) ask to see a report before it is sent to us, or, for a charge, obtain a copy from the doctor within six months of it being sent to us;
- (c) Ask for a report you have seen to be altered by the doctor before it is sent to us, or, if the doctor is unwilling to do this, you may add statement of your own.

Please note that the doctor does not have to let you see a report if he believes you or others might be harmed by it.

DECLARATION

I confirm that I have read about my rights under the Access to Medical Reports Act and

I authorise/*do not authorise my doctor to provide a medical report

I wish/*do not wish to see any medical report before it is supplied.

(*delete as appropriate)

I declare that all the information I have given in this form is true and that I have not withheld any material fact.

At Assessment Signature:		Date:	19/7/08
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I am declaring that the above facts are still true. If there have been any changes, I must complete a new form.

Start Of Course Signature:		Date:	
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PRECOURSE INFO

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Signature:

Name: [REDACTED]

Title: Liaison Officer

Date: 22 July 2002



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SOCIAL ENQUIRY REPORT AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ASSESSMENT

Name: David Thompson
DOB: 08/06/84
Address: c/o Travel Inn
West Highland Gate
Main Street

Court: Kilmarnock Sheriff Court
Date of Court: 26/2/01
Report compiled by: Kirsty Kennedy
Social Worker
Criminal Justice

Tel No:

Offence: Theft of a Motor Vehicle

FAMILY DETAILS:

Name	Age	Relationship	Income and Source
David Thompson	16	Subject	Unemployed
[REDACTED]		Mother	Lives in Milngavie
[REDACTED]		Stepfather	Lives in Camtyne
[REDACTED]		Father	Lives in France
[REDACTED]	8	Half brother	
[REDACTED]		Half Brother	
[REDACTED]	8	Half Brother	

General Financial Situation: Mr Thompson has applied for Income Support. His rent is supported by this Department

OFFENDER - FINANCIAL DETAILS:

Income per week: £ 41.35

Source: Income Support

Fines:

Disposable available income:

Expenses	Per Week	Arrears

Introduction

This report is based on one office interview with Mr Thompson at the above address. Reference has been made to substantial records held by this Department and to Ms Marion Corcoran, Social Worker, Children and Families Team. The writer has also consulted Mr Neil Sutherland, Community Service Officer.

Mr Thompson did not report any specific outstanding Court matters, but it would appear there are several yet to come to trial. SCRO information was not made available to the writer in this case. Mr Thompson is currently subject to a supervision requirement via the children's hearing system, this being reviewed on 30 January this year. He is also subject to a deferred sentence in Glasgow Sheriff Court on RTA offences committed last summer. Sentence was initially deferred by Sheriff Rae for 3 months from 8 November last year, and was subsequently deferred again until 8 June, for good behaviour and progress.

Current Circumstances

Mr Thompson is currently residing on a temporary basis in Bed and Breakfast accommodation at the above address. He has resided here for about 6 weeks, having been moved from a more distant establishment after he broke his ankle on 7 January this year. Mr Thompson has lived in Bed and Breakfast establishments since late September 2000 while efforts continue to find him a suitable placement in supported accommodation. It is understood he has interviews for two such projects later this week.

Mr Thompson was officially accommodated in Kenmure St Mary's School until 31 July last year. At this point he moved to supported accommodation in Hillhead, Glasgow. This placement broke down due to his unsatisfactory behaviour on 5 September last year. He stayed with his mother then his stepfather, but was unable to sustain these arrangements.

His mother continues to express interest and concern about his behaviour and how his needs are to be met. The writer understands that she is strongly of the opinion that, at this stage, Mr Thompson should be held responsible for his behaviour and punished accordingly.

Family Background

Mr Thompson's mother hails from South Lanarkshire and his father, [REDACTED], from Greece. They were living in Lesmahagow when Mr Thompson was born in Bellshill, the only child of this union. The family went to live in Greece the following year, but the marriage broke down in 1986 and [REDACTED] returned to Scotland with her son. She moved to live in Crow Road, Glasgow in 1987, staying here for 4 years. By this time she had met [REDACTED] and after they married in 1991, they moved to London. Three boys were subsequently born: [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Mr Thompson is said to have regarded his stepfather as his real father. [REDACTED] appears to have suffered some form of [REDACTED] around 1996 - 1997. She separated from [REDACTED] and in late 1996 returned to Scotland to live with the children. After a reconciliation, the family moved back to London, but the marital relationship continued to be unstable. [REDACTED] came back to Scotland to live in late 1997 with the three younger children settling in Kirkintilloch. They separated again last year.

██████████ assisted her son to trace his natural father in France last year, and he spent holidays at New Year and Easter last year with ██████████. Mr Thompson expressed only positive feelings about his parents and brothers, and it would seem he remains attached to them all despite the difficulties in his relationship with them.

Personal History

Mr Thompson was born by caesarean section, but did not experience any developmental problems as he was growing up. Records indicate that his mother has described him as being an "██████████" from the age of 2 and it would seem she had some difficulties managing him before he went to school. He began his education in Glasgow, and after moving to London (Thamesmead Estate), he attended a further two primary schools. He was generally described as being disruptive in class and disrespectful to adults. In 1995, he transferred to secondary schooling in Woolwich and received good reports during this period. In 1996, when the family moved to North Lanarkshire for a few months he attended a local secondary school and it would seem here his behaviour began to attract specific concern. On returning to London, he displayed considerable problems at home and school and was placed with various foster carers and residential placements in a short space of time from March 1997, after his mother indicated she could not control him. Specific concerns raised about Mr Thompson over this period included his tendency to abscond overnight or for weeks (literally) at a time, with the suggestion that he was frequenting the West End in the City. He was reported as aggressive and abusive, and displaying sexualised behaviour. Mr Thompson remained in Orchard Lodge, an assessment centre, after the rest of the family moved back to Scotland in late 1997.

In August 1998, Mr Thompson moved to Scotland under a supervision requirement. He was immediately placed at Springboig St John's a 'List G' school, since his emotional and behavioural difficulties precluded mainstream schooling. However, these difficulties, and the behaviour mentioned above, persisted and in March 1999, he was placed temporarily in Oakbank School in Aberdeen until a secure placement was obtained at Kenmure St Mary's, Bishopbriggs. In September 1999, he moved to a semi-secure unit, staying there under a supervision requirement until his leaving date in July this year. The same concerns continued to trouble those caring for him, and were added to by escalating involvement in alleged offending. Mr Thompson did not achieve any exam passes, but did have positive work experience prior to leaving school. He did begin a training placement in August, but left this after a few hours. He indicates he is keen to find rewarding employment and will be assisted in this endeavour by Ms Corcoran. He has been referred to the Princes Trust, and Fairbridge, but was unable to start either programme due to his recent incapacity.

Health and Addictions

Mr Thompson broke his ankle on 7 January this year and was in a full leg plaster for 5 weeks. He is deemed unfit for work by his doctor at this time and continues to demonstrate discomfort and pain from this injury. Mr Thompson states he is generally in reasonable physical health and he is adamant that he does not experience any mental health problems. As noted, records suggest he has displayed emotional and behavioural difficulties throughout his childhood. He has been previously been subject to various assessments which suggest his psychological difficulties are linked to his problematic relationships. Mr Thompson admits to having used a variety of illegal drugs during his teenage years. He indicates he drinks

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facsimile transmittal

To:	Kirsty Kennedy	Fax:	0141 5780101
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Re:	Assessment Pack	Pages:	16
CC:			
☐ Urgent ☐ For Review ☐ Please Comment ☐ Please Reply ☐ Please Recycle			

Assessment pack reference David Thomson as promised

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Challenging Offending Behaviour

Information for Social Workers

THE AIRBORNE INITIATIVE INFORMATION FOR SOCIAL WORKERS

Established in 1994, The Airborne Initiative provides a nine week residential alternative to custody for high tariff male offenders aged 18 to 25. Candidates must make a commitment by volunteering to participate as a condition of a probation order and are measured against strict suitability criteria.

SUITABILITY CRITERIA

The Course is targeted at those who:

- Would normally expect a custodial sentence
- Are committed to addressing their offending behaviour
- Do not have a substance dependency

Specifically

- The course is only available to male offenders between the ages of 18 and 25. 26 or 27 year olds may be considered, if all parties agree their suitability.
- Candidates must be suitably healthy in order to participate fully in what is a physically as well as mentally challenging Course.
- Outstanding charges, warrants for apprehension and court appearances all impact upon the learning and progress potential to be gained from the Course.
- Motivation to change is a key ingredient to a successful completion of the Course.
- Candidates must display a commitment to changing their offending behaviour and understand that they must fully participate in all aspects of the course.

The Airborne staff are committed to developing change in young people. Unfortunately there will be some offenders for whom this becomes too daunting a prospect leading to a premature withdrawal from the Course. We regard each participant who is withdrawn as a reflection, in part, of our failure.

REFERRAL

Referral of suitable candidates may be made by:

- Courts, when requesting an SER – by asking at the same time for an Airborne Suitability Assessment.
- Courts having already considered an SER, by asking for an Airborne Suitability Assessment.
- Social workers, when preparing an SER, in likely custody cases.

ASSESSMENT

Airborne's Liaison Officer will provide an assessment pack on request and this will allow the SER author to carry out the assessment and return the completed pack to Airborne, who will then arrange a telephone interview with the candidate. We will then complete a pre sentence report based on the information received in conjunction with the telephone interview.

The SER author will be responsible for:

- Requesting an assessment pack.
- Working with Airborne's Liaison Officer to ensure reports are compiled in adequate time for the courts.
- Ensuring that the offender understands the explanatory notes 'Information for Trainee's'.
- Ensuring that the candidate reads, understands and signs the relevant documentation.
- Returning the completed assessment pack, at least 2 days prior to the court date, including a copy of the SER and the SCRO.
- Ensuring there is sufficient funding available to purchase a place on the Course, through the ring fenced fund held by local authorities.

Client: David Thompson
DOB: 08/06/1984
DOC: 08/11/2000

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and behaviour management, difficulties with substance misuse are reportedly emerging. Mr Thompson states this is his first appearance before Court. He is assessed as at high risk of reoffending and low risk of causing harm.

Community Service Assessment

Mr Thompson is suitable for Community Service and Mr [REDACTED] Community Service Officer, confirms there is a place available on the local scheme. However, given the level of instability in Mr Thompson's life at present, together with his lack of maturity, it is thought that such a disposal is not viable at this stage.

Other Options for Disposal

In reviewing Mr Thompson's presentation and circumstances, the writer formed the opinion that he is a highly vulnerable young person who continues to require to be "looked after". It is evident that he still lacks the capacity to take full responsibility for his actions and thus would be unlikely to make best use of disposals, such as Probation available to the Court.

It is the writer's understanding that, following the Panel on 2 November, it was decided to recommend that these offences be remitted to the Children's Hearing. As noted, Mr Thompson continues subject to a supervision requirement. Elements of the package he will be offered while under supervision, will include supported accommodation (Blue Triangle); access to training/employment opportunities (Princes Trust) and a programme, based on cognitive behavioural methodology, addressing his offending behaviour and paying particular attention to victim awareness. The writer would also consider such a programme should focus on relationship issues and skills and emotional/behavioural management, and that Mr Thompson should continue to be encouraged to cooperate with a psychological assessment. Overall this package will aim to enable Mr Thompson to develop his capacity for behaving responsibly and living independently.

Conclusion

Given the circumstances, the Court will wish to consider the Panel's recommendation to remit the libelled offences to the Children's Hearing for disposal.



Kirsty Kennedy
Social Worker
Criminal Justice Department

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DEAR SIR/MADAM

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2x500 Cont Crim law (6) & (5) act 1995
602 Sect 50A (1)(b) & (5)
Cont Crim law (6) & (5) act 1995
3x902 Sect 52 (4) & (3)
303 02-JUL-02
701 Cont Crim Proc (5) act 1995
704 Sect 27(1)(a)

DAVID THOMSON 704B

I am writing to request the Report(s) detailed below for the above named accused. The details of the case and continuation are as follows:

Complaints

Case Details

PF: 020016838, 02005921, 00045745B
Case No.: 2002014575 2x

PF Reference.: GL02001683

Police Reference.: PSPAC03810102

Accused Name : DAVID THOMSON (S29617/99M)

Date of Birth : 08-JUN-84 *

Address : 40 GLASGOW ROAD MILNGAVIE GLASGOW

The accused was Remanded in BARLINNIE GLASGOW until 23-JUL-02
Bail having been refused

Reports requested: Social Enquiry and Community Service + Prob Prog Report + 3

I would be obliged if you could supply the Court with the Report(s) at least 24 hrs before the next hearing.

PCS = 2

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Sol: McMillan

Yours Faithfully

AM/Share

Sheriff Clerk Depute

Enc. SCRO = S29617/99M
Copy Complaint
Previous Convictions

Ser by Kirsty Kennedy (26-3-02)

GLASGOW CITY COUNCIL
SOCIAL WORK SERVICES
NOTICE OF REQUEST TO PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS UNIT FOR S.C.R.O. ACCESS

Originating Office Address: Social Work Services,
Glasgow Sheriff Court, Admin Office,
40 Carlton Place (Basement), Glasgow,
G5 9TW

Telephone Number: 0141-429-6830

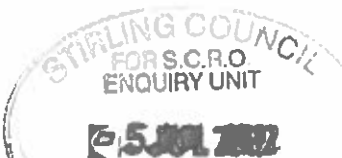
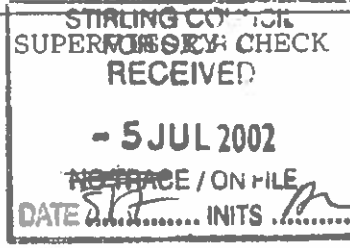
Unique Reference Number: S29617/99M	Social Work Team: 10 JUL 2002
Surname: THOMSON	FRASER HOUSE, UNIT 23 WHITEGATES KIRKINTILLOCH G66
Forename(s): DAVID	
Other Surname(s):	Date of Birth: 09/06/1984
Maiden Name:	Place of Birth:

Reason for Check: Social Enquiry Report (SER) Date of Court: 23/07/2002	Name of Court: GLASGOW & STRATHKELVIN SHERIFF COURT
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Known Addresses	Year from	Year to
40 GLASGOW ROAD, MILNGAVIE, GLASGOW		

Authorised Signature: <i>Rbw S 274</i> Name: <i>RUBEN F FYLE</i> (in block capitals)
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ADDRESS (02 02) 5, BURN PLACE,
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PENDING CASE DETAILS

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
01/08/00	PSPAD070908/00PPB	01 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 2 02 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 87(1) 03 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 143(1) & (2) 04 PROCURATOR FISCALS REFERENCE NO 1 00045745 GLW SS		

BAIL FROM 11/10/00
DECISION BODY GLASGOW SHERIFF COURT

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
06/12/00	PSPCA015112/00F	01 THEFT		

BAIL FROM 22/10/01 TO 11/02/02
DECISION BODY GLASGOW DISTRICT COURT

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
15/12/00	PSPAD042912/00F	01 MISUSE OF DRUGS ACT 1971 SECTION 5(2)		

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
29/12/00	PSPAD078312/00FP	01 ASSAULT		

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DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
23/05/01	PSPCD042705/01FP	01 THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE 02 WILFUL & RECKLESS DAMAGE		

BAIL FROM 15/01/02 TO 25/01/02
DECISION BODY DUMBARTON SHERIFF COURT

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
20/12/01	PSPAC029412/01FP	01 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 103(1)(B) 02 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 143(1) & (2)		

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
23/01/02	PSPAC038101/02F	01 CRIMINAL LAW (CONSOLIDATION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 50A(1)(A)&(5) 02 ASSAULT	GL02001683 GL02001683 GL02001683 GL02001683	01 NO PROCEEDINGS 02 ASSAULT AGG: RACIST ON BAIL 03 CRIMINAL LAW (CONSOLIDATION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 50A(1)(B)&(5) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL 04 ASSAULT

BAIL FROM 24/01/02
DECISION BODY GLASGOW SHERIFF COURT
CONDITIONS THAT THE ACCUSED DOES NOT APPROACH OR CONTACT ALUM ISLAM OR JARVAL SINGH AND
DOES NOT ENTER ELDERSLIE STREET, GLASGOW.

SCHEDULED COURT APPEARANCE AT GLASGOW & STRAT SHERIFF COURT DEFERRED DIET 09:30 ON 23/07/02
SCHEDULED COURT APPEARANCE AT GLASGOW & STRAT SHERIFF COURT AFTER WARRANT DIET 14:00 ON 02/07/02
SCHEDULED COURT APPEARANCE AT GLASGOW & STRAT SHERIFF COURT NEW DIET 14:00 ON 24/01/02

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PF REF	PF CRIME/OFFENCE
15/02/02	PSPAC028402/02FPB	01 BREACH OF THE PEACE 02 POLICE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1967 SECTION 41(1)(A) 03 POLICE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1967 SECTION 41(1)(A)	GL02005921 GL02005921 GL02005921	01 BREACH OF THE PEACE AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL 02 POLICE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1967 SECTION 41(1)(A) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL 03 POLICE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1967 SECTION 41(1)(A) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL

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		05 CRIMINAL LAW (CONSOLIDATION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 52(1)	GL02005921	05 CRIMINAL LAW (CONSOLIDATION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 52(1) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL
			GL02005921	06 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 27(1) (A)

BAIL FROM 18/02/02 TO 22/05/02
DECISION BODY GLASGOW & STRATHKELVIN SHERIFF

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PP REF	PP CRIME/OFFENCE
20/02/02	PSPAC037202/02	01 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 27(1) (B)		

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PP REF	PP CRIME/OFFENCE
20/03/02	PSPCA043403/02	01 MISUSE OF DRUGS ACT 1971 SECTION 5(2)		

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PP REF	PP CRIME/OFFENCE
10/04/02	PSPAD024904/02	01 BREACH OF THE PEACE	GL02015708	01 BREACH OF THE PEACE
		02 ATTEMPT TO PERVERT THE COURSE OF JUSTICE	GL02015708	02 ATTEMPT TO PERVERT THE COURSE OF JUSTICE
		03 POLICE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1967 SECTION 41(1) (A)	GL02015708	03 NO PROCEEDINGS

BAIL FROM 11/04/02
DECISION BODY GLASGOW DISTRICT COURT

DATE	CASE REF.NO.	CRIME/OFFENCE	PP REF	PP CRIME/OFFENCE
09/06/02	PSPQB027606/02F	01 MISUSE OF DRUGS ACT 1971 SECTION 5(2)		

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DECISION BODY GLASGOW SHERIFF COURT

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DATE	COURT - PLACE & TYPE	CRIME/OFFENCE	DISPOSAL	CASE REF.NO.
01/04/99	GLASGOW CHILDRENS HEARING	01 CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982 SECTION 57(1)	CHG(S) 1 SUPERVISION ORDER	SAB072511/98
01/04/99	GLASGOW CHILDRENS HEARING	01 THEFT BY OPENING LOCKFAST PLACES	CHG(S) 1 SUPERVISION ORDER	SDB008401/99
18/01/01	LANARK SHERIFF SUMMARY	01 THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE	CHG(S) 1 SENTENCE DEFERRED TO 26/02/01, THEN, PROBATION 18 MONTHS, COMPENSATION ORDER £250	PSPUA029606/00
26/11/01	GLASGOW SHERIFF SUMMARY	01 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 2 02 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 87(1) 03 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1988 SECTION 143(1) & (2)	CHG(S) 1-3 SENTENCE DEFERRED TO 26/03/02	PSPAD070908/00FP
02/07/02	GLASGOW & STRATHKELV SHERIFF	01 ASSAULT AGG: RACIST ON BAIL 02 CRIMINAL LAW (CONSOLIDATION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 50A(1) (B) & (5) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL 03 ASSAULT	CHG(S) 1-3 SENTENCE DEFERRED, TO 23/07/02, EACH CHARGE	PSPAC038101/02F
02/07/02	GLASGOW & STRATHKELV SHERIFF	01 CRIMINAL LAW (CONSOLIDATION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1995 SECTION 52(1) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL	CHG(S) 1-5 SENTENCE DEFERRED, TO 23/07/02, EACH CHARGE	PSPAC028402/02FP PSPAB068002/02

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			03 POLICE (SCOTLAND) ACT 1967 SECTION 41(1)(A) AGG: OFFENDING WHILST ON BAIL		
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GLASGOW CITY COUNCIL
*** NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT ***

Address report to be returned: Social Work Services,
Glasgow Sheriff Court, Admin Office,
40 Carlton Place (Basement), Glasgow,
G5 9TW
Tel: 0141-429-6830

1. S.E.R. No: 31168

2. Complaint/Indictment Nos: 00045745B

3. Office sent to : KIRKINTILLOCH
FRASER HOUSE, UNIT 23
WHITEGATES
KIRKINTILLOCH
G66



4. Court Name: GLASGOW & STRATHKELVIN SHERIFF COURT (SUMMARY

5. Ref No: 14724

6. Name of Accused: DAVID THOMSON

7. Sex: Male

8. Address: 40 GLASGOW ROAD

9. D.O.B: 08/06/1984

GLASGOW
G64

10. Date Report Requested
05/11/2001

11. Date Report Required
23/11/2001

12. Date of Court
26/11/2001

13. Coded crimes (Any additional details overleaf):

Theft of Motor Vehicle x 1
Road Traffic Act 1988 Sec2 x 1
Road Traffic Act 1988 Sec143(1)+(2) x 1
Road Traffic Act 1988 Sec87(1) x 1

14. Status: Not known

15. Other reports requested:

16. Form of continuation: Bailed

17. Number of previous disposals: 0

None Libelled

Signed :

P/P J. Boyle

Social Worker

Date : 06/11/2001

Comments

SOLICITOR - MCDOUGALL

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06.11.01

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The Partnership Project

6/11/01

Dear Colleague

Following a discussion with NCH, Apex and Glasgow City Council senior managers, it was agreed that the Partnership Project would have access to S E R requests being administered at Glasgow Sheriff Court. The purpose of this was to screen for young people who may be included in the offending focussed/training programmes of work the Project can offer.

The aforementioned young person, David Thomas..... has been identified as a possible candidate for assessment by ourselves and I would be grateful if you could contact the Project to discuss this in more details.


Practice Manager

Glasgow Partnership Community Justice and Employment Project.



Ronnie O'Connor BA (Hons) Dip Ed
Director

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Social Work Unit
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Our Ref: REVC

Date: 05/11/01

Post Sentence Interview – Case Continued for Reports

Name: David Thompson Date of Birth: 8/6/84
Address: (flat number) 40 Glasgow Rd,
G64 Tel: 0141 956 2958

Date of Court 05/11/01

Report Required For: 26/11/01

In Employment* / Unemployed*
*Circle appropriate

Social Worker: Marion Cochran Area Team: 12 East D'ton

Solicitor: McMillan Address: (in Anderson)

Other relevant information (i.e. contact with psychiatric/addiction services):

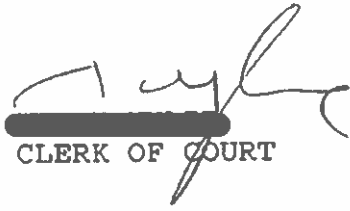
Signed: M. Cochran Date: 05-11-01

CASE NO. 2000154244

SHERIFF COURT: GLASGOW
DATE: 05TH NOVEMBER 2001
SHERIFF: [REDACTED]

ACCUSED: DAVID THOMSON - PRESENT
REPRESENTED BY: [REDACTED]

THE COURT deferred sentence for the purpose of obtaining a
Supplementary Social Enquiry Report (*Previously requested*)
until 26th NOVEMBER 2001 at 09 30 a.m. *before Sheriff Rae*
Bail continued conform to previous Order within


[REDACTED]
CLERK OF COURT

Criminal Justice Team
Unit 23, Fraser House
Whitegates
Kirkintilloch
Tel 0141-578-0100
Fax 0141-578-0101

30/10/2001

The Sheriff Clerk
Glasgow Sheriff Court
1 Carlton Place
Glasgow G5 9DA

Dear Sir/Madam

Re: David Thomson, Dob: 08-06-1984

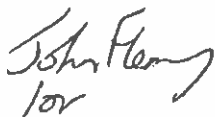
Case No 2000 154 244, Doc 05/11/2001

Sentence was further deferred on this matter on 8 October this year for clarification regarding a Probation requirement to pay compensation.

Dumbarton Sheriff Court Clerk's Department have now confirmed to me in writing that Mr Thomson has failed to make payments as directed towards a Compensation Order (Account No 600196157 in Dumbarton Sheriff Court), which provides requisite evidence for breach proceedings, Furthermore, Mr Thomson has failed to attend appointments with me on 4th and 12th of October at Park View Hotel and on 18th and 26th October at this office. He has not contacted me directly to explain his absences or to make alternative arrangements. He has been advised in writing that I consider these failures to attend appointments with me as representing a further failure to comply with the conditions of his Probation Order. A report is accordingly being submitted to Dumbarton Sheriff Court.

I hope this information is of use to the Court.

Yours faithfully



Kirsty Kennedy
Social Worker - Criminal Justice

<u>Names of Accused</u>	<u>Date of Disposal</u>	<u>Sentence (if any)</u>

00045745/CT/ty56/AD07090800/30 August 2000

Under the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1995

IN THE SHERIFF COURT OF GLASGOW AND STRATHKELVIN AT GLASGOW

The COMPLAINT of the PROCURATOR FISCAL against


HILLHEAD HOUSE
13 HILLHEAD STREET
HILLHEAD
GLASGOW

Date of Birth : 

DAVID THOMSON *B*
HILLHEAD HOUSE *c/o Room 8*
13 HILLHEAD STREET *Parkview Hotel*
HILLHEAD *72 Queens Crescent*
GLASGOW *Govanhill*
Glasgow

Date of Birth : 09.06.84

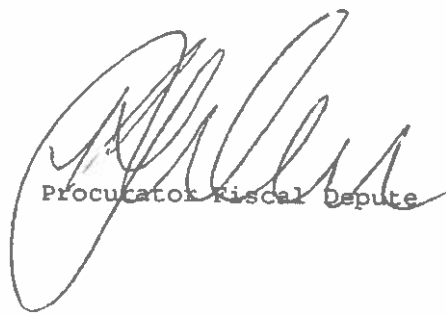
The charge against you is that

(001) on 29 August 2000 at Downanhill Street, Glasgow near Havelock Street you  and DAVID THOMSON did steal motor vehicle registered number G472 SNU

(002) on 29 August 2000 on a road or other public place, namely Dumbarton Road and Exeter Drive, both Glasgow you DAVID THOMSON did drive a mechanically propelled vehicle, namely motor vehicle registered number  dangerously and [a] in Dumbarton Road, Glasgow you did drive said vehicle at excessive speed, namely 50 mph, and [b] in Exeter Drive, Glasgow did brake suddenly and thereby cause said vehicle driven by you to collide with motor vehicle registered number , motor vehicle registered number  motor vehicle registered number  and thereafter with a marked police vehicle registered number 

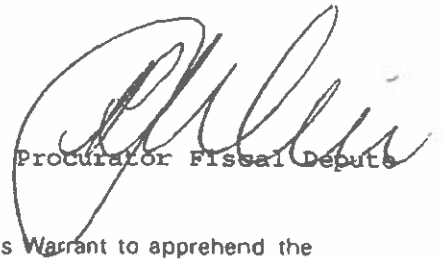
CONTRARY to the Road Traffic Act 1988, Section 2 as amended

(003)/


Procurator Fiscal Depute

(003) on 29 August 2000 on a road, namely Exeter Drive, Glasgow at Dumbarton Road you DAVID THOMSON did drive a motor vehicle, namely motor vehicle registered number [REDACTED] on said road otherwise than in accordance with a licence authorising you to drive a motor vehicle of that class in that you did drive said motor vehicle without being the holder of such a licence;
CONTRARY to the Road Traffic Act 1988 Section 87(1) as amended

(004) on 29 August 2000 on a road or other public place, namely Exeter Drive, Glasgow at Dumbarton Road you DAVID THOMSON did use a motor vehicle, namely motor vehicle registered number [REDACTED] without there being in force in relation to the use of said motor vehicle by you such a policy of insurance or such a security in respect of third party risks as complied with the requirements of Part VI of the Road Traffic Act 1988;
CONTRARY to the Road Traffic Act 1988, Section 143(1) and (2)


Procurator Fiscal Depute

Apprehension
and Search

20 .-The Court grants Warrant to apprehend the said Accused and grants warrant to search the person, dwellinghouse, and repositories of said Accused and any place where they may be found and to take possession of the property mentioned or referred to in the Complaint and all articles and documents likely to afford evidence of guilt or of guilty participation.

Sheriff

Diet

20 .-The Court Assigns
20 , at .m., within the SHERIFF Court-House,
as a Diet in this case.

Clerk of Court.

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FAX MESSAGE



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Website: www.includem.org

To: Social Work Department, Glasgow Sheriff Court,
0141 429 8375

Offending

From: [Redacted], Office Manager

Date: Monday, 01 October 2001



Subject: Court Report - David Thompson, 3 pages including this
page

Accommodation

Dear Sir or Ms,

Please find attached a court report by INCLUDEM Project Worker, [Redacted]
on David Thompson, who appears in court on Monday 8th October 2001. Please
let me know if you don't receive all the pages.



Sincerely,

Medical

Gillian Westwater



Gillian Westwater
Office Manager

Social

INCLUDiEM

Dalton
Flemington Road
Glasgow
G72 8Y6

Name: David Thompson
Date of Birth: 08/06/84
Current Address: Parkview Hotel, Room 8, 72 Queens Crescent, Geyanhill
Date of Court: 08/10/01
Reason for Report: Deferred Sentence
Writer: [REDACTED]

Tel: 0141 641 6789
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Website: www.includem.org

Offending

Includem

Includem is an offence-focused project, which works with 15-18 year old offenders / chaotic young people. Programmes of work are individually tailored and delivered via a high frequency level of contact and included access to the 24 hour, 7 day a week Helpline.

Includem's objectives include promoting safer communities by developing supportive but challenging relationships, enabling young people to examine the attitudes, values and beliefs that inform offending behaviour, whilst addressing contributory factors such as health, housing, education and employment.



Referral

David was introduced to Includem on 27th April 2001 following a decision made by Marion Corcoran, David's social worker, that David required additional assistance to aid him to address the lifestyle and practical issues which have directly contributed to his offending behaviour.

Accommodation

Level of Contact

Contact was established and David and I maintained a high frequency of contact (4-6 times a week, including weekends and evenings). David co-operated fully and has developed an open relationship with myself. At the beginning of June 2001 David began regular weekly contact with an Includem mentor and this also proved to be a positive relationship. On the 6th August 2001, at David's support planning meeting it was agreed the contact would be reduced to 4 Includem contacts a week due to David's progress and the reduction in offending behaviour.



Practical

Response to Contact

David has responded very well to the workers and Includem's approach and has worked hard at addressing the more chaotic variables in his lifestyle. He has participated in a lot of structured, formal work addressing his offending behaviour. His awareness of the contributory factors has increased over the 5 months he has been working with Includem.



Social

David has developed a much stronger understanding of how his alcohol use and peer relationships increase the risk of offending behaviour and has taken steps to change these existing patterns to reduce offending behaviour. David has also re-established regular contact with his Mother and Stepfather and has worked hard to maintain this. His Mother reports David as being considerate and concerned regarding some recent family health problems. Further to this David has been actively considering college options. His motivation to deal with issues and engage in the work programme has increased steadily since Includem's involvement, evidenced by David accepting increased responsibility and acting on his own decisions.

Based on the work I have done with David his risk of re-offending has reduced over the time we have been working together, due mainly to his developing awareness and understanding of the contributory factors and consequences of his offending. His family are more supportive and David utilises and accesses Includem's support effectively.

Assessment and Conclusion

Includem will continue to have a minimum of 4 planned contacts a week with David. A proportion of this contact will be planned and offence-focused. We will also be working with David to secure more stable and longer-term accommodation. We will continue to respond to any crises and David can access us through the 24 hour Helpline. David's work with Includem is not time limited and his work with us will continue to be reviewed every weeks.


Project Worker
01/10/01.





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SUPPLEMENTARY SOCIAL ENQUIRY REPORT AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ASSESSMENT

Name: David Thomson
DOB: 08/06/84
Address: C/o Park View Hotel
72 Queens Drive
Glasgow

Court: Glasgow Sheriff Court
Date of Court: 08-10-01
Report compiled by: Kirsty Kennedy
Social Worker

Tel No:

Offence: Theft of Motor Vehicle, Con RTA x 3

FAMILY DETAILS:

Name	Age	Relationship	Income and Source
David Thomson	17	Subject	Unemployed

General Financial Situation: Mr Thomson is in receipt of State Benefits

OFFENDER - FINANCIAL DETAILS:

Income per week: £42-00

Source: Income Support / JSA

Fines: £ 240 at £5 per week

Disposable available income:

Expenses	Per Week	Arrears

SER: David Thomson
DOB: 08/06/84
DOC: 08/10/07

Introduction

Mr Thomson is known to the writer via supervision of his current Probation Order. This was imposed by Kilmarnock Sheriff Court on 26 February 2001 and immediately transferred to Dumbarton Sheriff Court. Reference has been made to Unit Records.

Mr Thomson also continues to be subject to a supervision requirement, made by the Children's Panel, and has an allocated social worker, Ms Marion Corcoran, of the Children and Families Team, Milngavie. Ms Corcoran works with this Authority on a part time basis. Given Mr Thomson's needs and lifestyle, it was felt expedient to allocate supervision of the Probation Order to the Criminal Justice Unit and thus provide Mr Thomson with access to a named worker throughout the week. The writer liaises regularly with Ms Corcoran and also with M██████████ of Includem. It is understood██████████ is submitting a separate report.

Behaviour

Mr Thomson has, to the writer's knowledge and belief, been charged with one offence since being placed on Probation. This related to an alleged RTA incident committed in May this year. Given Mr Thomson's previous frequent pattern of offending behaviour the writer would consider a solitary new charge as evidence of considerable effort and commitment on Mr Thomson's part to change or control his behaviour.

Compliance with Other Conditions of Probation

Mr Thomson was placed on Probation for stealing a car, with an additional requirement to pay £ 250-00 compensation to the victim. According to the Sheriff Clerk at Dumbarton, Mr Thomson has only paid £10-00 towards this Compensation. He is now to be cited to a Means Enquiry Court. Proven failure to pay Compensation as ordered will clearly constitute a breach of the Probation Order.

Mr Thomson has generally complied with the writer's instruction in terms of keeping appointments with her, although one failure to attend without reasonable excuse has led to a formal written warning.

Change of Circumstances

Mr Thomson's circumstances remain largely as they have been in the past year. That is, he remains in need of secure accommodation and formal training or employment.

Mr Thomson was residing in Bed and Breakfast accommodation in the West Highland Gate Travel Inn in Milngavie when placed on Probation. He was placed in the Lion Hotel, Bishopbriggs in May this year after being asked to leave West Highland Gate due to unacceptable behaviour on his part. Unfortunately, Mr Thomson was subsequently asked to leave the Lion Hotel for similar reasons in August this year. He stayed with his stepfather temporarily before going to visit his natural father in France for a fortnight. Mr Thomson was then placed at the Parkview Hotel, his current address.

SER: David Thomson
DOB: 08/06/84
DOC: 08/10/07

Various referrals to supported accommodation projects have been pursued by Ms Corcoran but, for a number of different reasons, Mr Thomson has not, as yet, secured a place in any project. Mr Thomson has a potential offer of a place with YMCA Cumbernauld's supported tenancy project. He also has a formal interview on Wednesday this week with Dorothy McCall House in Glasgow, run by Blue Triangle.

Progress

Mr Thomson was placed on Probation with his criminogenic needs identified as homelessness; constructive activity; drug and alcohol misuse; peer influence and other long-term relationship difficulties. The writer did express concerns that Mr Thomson lacked the maturity to take full responsibility for his actions and would therefore be unable to benefit from a Probation programme.

His accommodation difficulties have been addressed as related above. He was referred to Includem, who provide intensive, focussed support to young people who are offending, from April this year, and [REDACTED] has attempted to assist Mr Thomson to explore his other difficulties in a highly structured way.

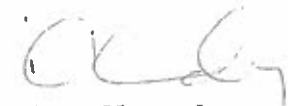
Mr Thomson was also offered a time-limited substance use education package by Mr [REDACTED] of East Dunbartonshire Addiction Service between February and April this year. Unfortunately it would not seem that this has, to date, been of much benefit to Mr Thomson. The problematic incidents which have occurred since April this year have been linked to excessive alcohol use on Mr Thomson's part. He does not, however, seem to believe his pattern of alcohol use is problematic.

Conclusions

Mr Thomson's circumstances have been largely unchanged since he was placed on Probation and his progress otherwise, for example in relation to controlling his alcohol use, has been limited.

His compliance with the conditions of his Order has been acceptable in general. However, he has not made payments to the Compensation Order and will be cited to a Means Court.

Mr Thomson has been charged with one offence since being placed on Probation. The writer is of the opinion that this is very positive, given the unsatisfactory state of Mr Thomson's circumstances and his previous involvement in offending behaviour.



Kirsty Kennedy
Social Worker

4 October 2001



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Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: David Thomson (D.O.B.8.6.84)

I refer to your request for the Advice of the Children's Hearing with respect to the above named and enclose the relevant documentation for the adjourned diet on **Wednesday 8 November 2000.**

Yours faithfully,

L. Macfadyen
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SECTION 49(1)(B)/ 49(3)/49(6)

Advice to Court

AT *2-4 Luggiebank Road, Kirkintilloch*

ON *2 November 2000*

A Children's Hearing for East Dunbartonshire

Considered the case of *David Thomson (D.O.B. 8.6.84)*

Referred for advice by the Court at *Glasgow* **on** *11 October 2000*

The Children's Hearing interviewed the child/parent(s)/relevant person and Representative(s), considered written reports submitted, and heard verbal submissions.

The Children's Hearing then elected to advise the Court in the following terms, viz:-

That David's case should be remitted back to the children's hearing for disposal for the following reasons:

- *To allow a through care plan to be put in place, to address issues in connection with offending behaviour, victim awareness, employment and housing issues.*
- *To build bridges with family members*

Chairman of the Children's Hearing

L. Macpherson

Reporter

