

DETECTIVE SENIOR CONSTABLE WALPOLE

Q1 This is an electronically recorded interview between Detective Senior Constable Walpole and Michelle Blewitt at the Queanbeyan Police Station on Saturday, the 5th of June, 1999. Also present is Senior Constable Woods. The time on my watch is 1.27pm, eastern standard time. Michelle, Senior Constable Woods and I are inquiring into your involvement in rescue operations carried out during the 1998 Sydney to Hobart Yacht Race. Do you understand that?

A Yes.

Q2 I intend to ask you some questions concerning your involvement. Those questions will be electronically recorded on three audio tapes as our interview takes place. Do you understand that?

A I do.

Q3 At the completion of the interview you will be given a copy of the interview in the form of an audio cassette. Do you understand that?

A Yes.

Q4 For the record, could you please state your full name?

A Michelle Marie Blewitt.

Q5 Can you tell me your date of birth?

A 14th of the 10th, 1968.

Q6 Can you tell me your current address?

A Wollondilly, Crookwell Road via Goulburn.

Q7 And can you tell me your occupation?

A I'm a paramedic with the ACT Ambulance Service.