

Telephone Attendance Note

Reference: Local Investigation no. SBE20011.07

Date 8th February 2008

Telephone conversation between Councillor John Tidmarsh and Vanessa Brown (Investigating Officer)

Councillor Tidmarsh and Vanessa Brown spoke on the telephone following on from the meeting held at the Council House the previous day.

Vanessa Brown was able to confirm that the tape recording had been again considered and that Mr. Vicks had acted as agent for Mr Narang (gate business/objector) and he had spoken at the meeting and had stated that he appeared on behalf of Mr Narang who owned the Country Forge Gate Company.

Councillor Tidmarsh agreed that this confirmed his fears that he had mistakenly believed that the businesses were one and the same. Further he confirmed again that he had made a genuine mistake.

As a result of our discussions a number of enquiries were to be made in relation to Mr. Narang's business. They were as follows:

How long had the business been at its present location.

Had the business been purchased from the Cross Roads Garage or had Mr. Narang always been the proprietor.

Did Mr. Narang have any recollection of his dealings with Councillor Tidmarsh.

Concluded that we would meet again in the next few days to deal with all aspects of the allegation.

I, Councillor Tidmarsh confirm that I have read the above and agree its content and I have been given the opportunity to amend) delete and/or add any additional comments.

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Councillor Tidmarsh  
Vanessa Brown (Investigating Officer)

Signed as an accurate record of discussions between Councillor Tidmarsh and Vanessa Brown on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2008.

[ORIGINAL DOCUMENT SIGNED BY COUNCILLOR  
TIDMARSH AND VANESSA BROWN]