

Children's Panel for Tayside Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968

Form of statement by reporter of grounds for the referral of a case to a children's hearing

(Conditions in Section 32 (2) (a) to (gg) or (i) of the Act)

YVONNE MURPHY McLEAN (dob 10.3.82) 3b Menzies Court Perth

is being referred to a Children's Hearing for Tayside on the grounds of the following conditions:

Section 32(2)(c) - that lack of parental care is likely to cause her unnecessary suffering or seriously to impair her health or development.

ACCEPTED BY CHW AFTER EXPLANATION

and Section 32(2)(d) - that any of the offences mentioned in Schedule 1 to the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1975 has been committed in respect of her or in respect of a child who is a member of the same household, namely an offence involving the use of lewd, indecent or libidinous practice or behaviour towards the child.

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and Section 32(2)(b) - that she is falling into bad associations or is exposed to moral danger.

32(2)(c)
32(2)(d)
32(2)(b)

and may, therefore, be in need of compulsory measures of care in terms of Section 32 subsection (2)(c) (d) & (b) of the Social Work (Scotland) Act, 1968.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

1 That the said child Yvonne Murphy McLean, (hereinafter referred to as the child) was born so far as has been ascertained, on 10 March 1982 and normally resides with her mother Thomasina White or McLean, father Alexander Robertson Murphy and her brothers Christopher McLean and Stephen McLean at the family home 3b Menzies Court, Perth.

ACCEPTED BY CHW

That the child has, on a number of occasions, more particularly on 13 January 1992, 18 February 1992 and 11 March 1992, made allegations that she has been sexually abused by two different persons, one an adult and the other a child, on separate occasions. The child made further allegations of a similar nature on 11 May 1992.

ACCEPTED BY CHW

That the child has given details of the alleged abuse and exhibits a knowledge of sexual behaviour inappropriate to her age and stage of development.

ACCEPTED BY CHW

4 That/..... 19 May 1992
Date

(Reporter)* (On behalf of the Reporter)*

NOTES

At the children's hearing the child or his parents may or may not accept the grounds for bringing the child before the hearing. If the grounds are accepted by the child, and his parents, if present, the children's hearing will discuss and consider with the child and his parents what is best for the child. If any of the grounds are not accepted, the hearing may either discharge the referral or direct the reporter to refer to the Sheriff for a decision as to whether or not any of the grounds exist. If this happens, the child will have to appear before the Sheriff at a later date. If the Sheriff decides that any of the grounds do exist, the children's hearing will then discuss and consider what is best for the child, as if these grounds had been accepted. If the Sheriff decides that no grounds exist the referral will be discharged.

Name: YVONNE MURPHY McLEAN

STATEMENT OF FACTS (continued)

That the child was medically examined following her allegations of sexual abuse on 13 January 1992 and she was found to be non-virgo intacta with three small tears in her hymen.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD THAT SHE WAS MEDICALLY EXAMINED

That the medical evidence found on examination of the child was consistent with some form of vaginal interference having taken place in respect of this child.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

That the child is exhibiting signs of emotional disturbance and social isolation whilst at school, spending a great deal of time on her own or seeking out the company of trusted adults.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

That as a result of the child's accusations of sexual abuse against a particular adult, a Mr McLeod, the child's parents agreed with the child and the Social Work Department that this adult would no longer be allowed to spend time alone with the child as had been the case in the past.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

That the child is scared of the adult mentioned at No. 7 above.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

That the child's parents did not keep to their agreement as between themselves, the child and the Social Work Department in that the child was left on her own in the company of the said adult Mrs McLean for a short period without the knowledge of Mr Murphy. That an incidence of this occurred on or about 9 May 1992.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

10 That the parents voiced suspicions to the Social Work Department that another adult male, a neighbour, may have perpetrated the sexual abuse of the child but failed to ensure that the child stayed away from that persons home.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

11 That the child's parents have not properly exercised their parental responsibilities and the child continues to show signs of emotional disturbance.

ACCEPTED BY CHILD

TO PROOF SEC - 42(2)(c) re - 37(2)(c)

19.5.92

Date 19 May 1992

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REPORTER TO THE CHILDREN'S PANEL FOR TAYSIDE

SOCIAL WORK (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1968

29 JUN 1992

Social Work DEPT.

Notice about Child referred to the Reporter to the Children's Panel

Surname **McLEAN** Christian Names **YVONNE**

Date of Birth **10.3.82** Age **9** School **Northern District**

Home Address **3B Menzies Court, Perth**

Present Address

Social Work Area Social Worker

Reporter's Reference No **3788** Referral No **1, 2 + 3**

PLEASE QUOTE IN ALL COMMUNICATIONS

SWSGS NO **920990804** Dated **21 January 1992**

Reason for Referral **Section 32(2)(d) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968**

Thank you for your report/referral Dated

INFORMATION REQUESTED :

- Please give me more information as specified in the attached note.
- I would be grateful for a report to assist me and any Hearing which may be convened for this child.
- Please submit the report by:
- Note:

HEARING

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- I have arranged a Hearing on at am/pm.
- You are expected/invited to attend the Hearing.
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- I am taking no further action/and have asked the Police to warn the child.
- I am referring the case to the Social Work Department to offer advice, guidance and assistance on a voluntary basis.

THE HEARING DECIDED

- To Discharge the referral under Section 42(2) (c) or 43(2). . . . on
- To apply to the Sheriff for proof of the Grounds Section on
- To continue the case as arranged above, From
- To issue a Supervision Requirement under Section **44(1)(a) place** on **25.6.92**
- To continue the existing Supervision Requirement under Section on
- To vary the Supervision Requirement from Section to Section on
- To terminate the Supervision Requirement on
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Note:

Enclosures

for Reporter ADDRESS OF REPORTER

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Reporter's Reference No 3788 Referral No 2

PLEASE QUOTE IN ALL COMMUNICATIONS

SWSGS NO 920990804 Dated 17 March 1992

Reason for Referral Section 32(2)(d) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968

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SOCIAL WORK (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1968

20 JUN 1992

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Home Address 3B. Menzies Court, Perth

Present Address

Social Work Area Social Worker

Reporter's Reference No 3788 Referral No 3

PLEASE QUOTE IN ALL COMMUNICATIONS

SWSGS NO 920990804 Dated 18 May 1992

Reason for Referral Section 32(2)(c) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968

Thank you for your report/referral Dated

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FORM 10A

Rule 24

Children's Panel for Tayside

Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968

Supervision Requirement

Place

52 Kinnoull Street

PERTH

PH1 5EZ

Date 25th June 1992

A children's hearing for TAYSIDE

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 44 (1) (a) of the Social Work (Scotland) Act, 1968 being satisfied that

Yvonne Mclean dob 10-3-82,
H-a 3b Merzies Court Perth

is in need of compulsory measures of care require him/her * (to reside * in²

~~SE~~* in a place namely³

c/o foster parents named Ourlief
and (to be under the supervision of the Local Authority for Tayside Region *,

*and

(other supervisor)

Subject to the conditions on the back of this form.

(The operation of this supervision requirement is postponed until

~~)* (date)~~

[Redacted Signature Box]

Chairman of the Children's Hearing

[Redacted Title Box]

* Delete as appropriate

CONDITIONS REFERRED TO IN THE FOREGOING SUPERVISION REQUIREMENT OVERLEAF

- ~~** 1.~~ The Child is required to observe the rules of conduct of the Residential Establishment
- ~~** 2.~~ The requirement to reside is subject to the discretion of the Managers of the Residential Establishment to grant leave of absence from time to time
- ~~3.~~ 1. The Child shall notify the Supervising Social Worker prior to any change of address
- ~~4.~~ 2. The Child shall make himself */herself * available to see the Supervising Social Worker as requested and shall make every reasonable effort to conform to directions and to co-operate with advice and guidance from the Supervising Social Worker

3. The child shall reside with foster parents Mr & Mrs Reid, 10 Atker Place, Leuchars - Fife.

Date 25/6/92

[Redacted signature box]

Chairman of the Children's Hearing

[Redacted box]

** Where a supervision requirement requires a child to reside in a residential establishment, conditions 1 and 2 shall be inserted in the supervision requirement

.....(date) This is the supervision requirement to which form 12 *, 13 * of this date as annexed hereto refers..... Depute Reporter

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No CH/29/92

**Social Work
Department**

149-151 Dunkeld Road
Perth
PH1 5AU
Tel 0738 43066

**Social Worker Preparing
Report Mr D MacKenzie**

SOCIAL BACKGROUND REPORT CHILDREN' S HEARING

The following child: -

Surname McLEAN **Date of Birth** 10 03 82

**Christian Names
or Forenames** YVONNE MURPHY **Religion** _____

School Northern District Primary

Address 3b Menzies Court **Occupation** _____

Fairfield

PERTH

is to appear on _____ **Children' s Hearing**
in connection with request for report following referral of Sexual Abuse.

Introduction:

Household Composition:

Thomasina McLean		Mother
Alec Murphy		Father
Christopher McLean		Brother

Yvonne McLean 9 Subject Northern District Primary School

Yvonne's other brother, Stephen resides with foster parents in Dunfermline. He travels home to Perth every second weekend from Friday evening to Sunday afternoon. Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean have cohabited for some 16 or so years.

Extended Family:

A large and close extended family network surrounds Yvonne. Most significant in this are her two half sisters and a cousin. Karen White (having Mrs McLean's maiden name) lives in the Muirton area of Perth, whilst Linda McLean lives in Menzies Court. Yvonne's cousin, Rosemary Clark, lives in the close adjacent to Yvonne's home, at 2f Menzies Court. Yvonne often stays overnight with her cousin.

Home Circumstances:

The family live in a recently refurbished, three bedroomed, ground floor flat in Fairfield. The home is well appointed and is comfortable, Mrs McLean now feeling she has an incentive to look after the home.

He is currently placed with foster carers [redacted]
[redacted] in Dunfermline.

Yvonne:

Yvonne presents herself as a cheery, bubbly young person who loves to talk a lot. When talking she gesticulates in a very adult way. The use of hand and arm gestures in conversation is so unusual in one so young as to make it an outstanding feature of her conversation. The use of such gesturing is better understood with the realisation that Yvonne displays a clear preference for the company of adults. Both her parents and school staff note this point, adding that in relation to peers Yvonne is a loner.

Mrs McLean reports that the only children Yvonne plays with are her cousin, Rosemary Clark's child, and the daughter of her [redacted] sister, Linda, both children being much younger than Yvonne. In school Yvonne is often observed on her own in the playground and also the one walking on her own at the back of the class group. Coupled with this are reports from the school nurse, Rose Henderson, that Yvonne continually seeks the attention and company of herself and other adult staff. Yvonne herself reports that she is bullied. Mrs McLean adds that Yvonne spends a lot of time alone in her bedroom.

As to Yvonne's relationship with her parents, it seems that Yvonne gets on well with them both. She is keen to help her mother in the kitchen; not always successfully reports Mrs McLean. Yvonne and her father do not talk a lot together. Mrs McLean reports that Mr Murphy and she talk very little also. This is not due to animosity. Rather it is just the way that life is led in the home. Mrs McLean says that Yvonne is afraid of her father when he raises his voice. She states that Mr Murphy has never struck Yvonne, relying on his voice to invoke discipline. [redacted]

[redacted] It seemed then that Mr Murphy was prone to let matters get out of hand before exploding with his voice. The result was a 'screaming and shouting match' which a nine year old would find intimidating.

School:

Both/

Both Yvonne and her parents state that she likes school and that there are no problems with Yvonne not wanting to go to school. School staff bear this out saying that Yvonne is a very enthusiastic pupil.

Reference to her detachment from peers has been commented upon above. School staff and the school nurse also express concern that Yvonne has turned up for school inappropriately clad (no warm clothing) and also that she seems not to have had any breakfast. Yvonne has reported that she has to get herself up and out in the morning. In response to this Mrs McLean has said that Mr Murphy gets up each morning for Yvonne and does offer her a breakfast which she sometimes refuses. With regard to clothing, Mrs McLean says that she and Mr Murphy have difficulty in getting Yvonne to wear clean and warm clothing which is available for her.

Another cause for concern is that on one occasion recently Yvonne was at the school gates at 8.00am. The reason for this was not established.

Attitude to Grounds of Referral:

Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy accept that Yvonne has been the subject of sexual abuse.

On 13 January 1992, Yvonne told Mr Collie, Northern District Primary School, that a named ten year old boy had "done it" with her. At subsequent interview she described in detail activity that amounted to penial and digital penetration. Subsequent medical examination established tears in Yvonne's hymen. Medical opinion was that Yvonne had been subjected to some form of sexual activity.

During the course of medical examination Yvonne spoke of sexual abuse being perpetrated by an adult male. This man formerly lived with a sister of Mrs McLean, lives in the flat above Yvonne, and on a Friday evening childminded Yvonne whilst her father was out and her mother was at work. Yvonne spoke of a large erect penis and 'sticky stuff' on her legs. Medical opinion was that an adult penis had not penetrated Yvonne.

[redacted]
[redacted] No police action was taken against either alleged perpetrator. Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean, whilst expressing disbelief that the adult named could have abused Yvonne, gave an undertaking that Yvonne would never again be allowed to be alone with him. [redacted]
[redacted]

Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy contended that Yvonne was naming others in order to protect another [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] Mrs McLean has banned Yvonne from visiting his home. So, whilst it is established that Yvonne was subjected to sexual abuse, the precise details remain unclear apart from what Yvonne herself has said.

On/

On 18 February Yvonne again spoke to Mr Collie stating that in the course of the previous weekend the adult previously named by her had raped her four times. During the subsequent investigation it was established that:-

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- b) Yvonne's recounting of events was contradictory to the extent that the police and the school nurse, Rose Henderson (who interviewed Yvonne), felt that a medical examination was not necessary. The police took no further action. It seems that by rape, Yvonne meant sexual intercourse. She alternated by saying that this took place twenty, four and ten times over the weekend. The circumstances whereby she claimed to be alone with this man were also seen to be untrue. All of this was not seen as a child merely making up stories. Yvonne is clearly communicating something of great importance. The inability at the moment lies with the adults who are trying to understand it and seeking clarification from Yvonne.

Social Work Response:

A child protection case conference was convened on Friday, 24 January, 1992. Yvonne's name was placed on the Child Protection Register, the reason being that she had been subjected to sexual abuse. The present writer holds case responsibility. It was agreed that the school nurse, Rose Henderson, already had a very positive relationship with Yvonne and as such was the best person to engage directly with Yvonne. Consequently, Rose Henderson was appointed key worker. A case conference was not convened to consider the investigation on 18 February 1992.

Since registration the present writer and Rose Henderson have maintained regular contact to discuss and plan intervention. It is the intention that Rose Henderson will facilitate discussion on a one-to-one basis with Yvonne. Both the writer and Rose Henderson will meet with Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean to discuss child care issues.

Matters of particular concern:

- i. That Yvonne has been sexually abused and the short and long term effects that can have.
- ii. That there are questions regarding aspects of Yvonne's care, particularly the household's morning routine in getting Yvonne out to school.
- iii. That Yvonne seems socially isolated in terms of peer relationships.

Summary and Recommendation:

Yvonne has been subjected to sexual abuse. This has involved penetration and may have involved other sexual activities. The writer's opinion is that her parents are unable to offer the appropriate support that would allow Yvonne to deal with this matter. Whilst she has been sexually abused the precise details remain unclear and it is important that Yvonne be given every opportunity to both clarify and make sense of what has happened to her. This support is available from agency personnel now involved with Yvonne.

Other/

5.

Other aspects of Yvonne's life suggest the need for continued support from external agencies. Her social isolation from peers remains unexplained. As a response to this, the present writer is referring Yvonne to a group being set up in conjunction with staff from Polepark Family Counselling Centre, the purpose of which is to encourage peer relationships and promote self esteem in young people who have been abused, neglected or scapegoated. This group will run from 27 April to 24 June.

[redacted] highlighted problems in terms of parental care. Whilst the situation has improved somewhat it still remains a relevant issue.

The present writer would intend that there should be an ongoing involvement with Yvonne and her parents. Circumstances are such that Yvonne's parents willingly engage with social work staff and do not discourage contact with Yvonne. For this reason it is recommended that effective social work intervention could be carried out by the Reporter referring the matter under S.39(2), Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968.

Signed

[redacted]
~~Mr Donald MacKenzie~~ Social Worker
[redacted]

27 February 1992

DJMacK/JMCL

1. SUBJECT CHILD

Unique No: 90010597	Date of Referral: 11 03 92
Surname: McLEAN	Alias:
Forename(s): YVONNE MURPHY	Alias:
Sex (M/F): F	DoB (d/m/y): 10 03 82
Home Address (before removal to Care, Hospital or Place of Safety): 3b MENZIES COURT, FAIRFIELD, PERTH	
Current Address: (if different from above)	
Previous Addresses: 10b Hunter Crescent, Perth	

2. CHILD'S LIVING GROUP

MOTHER OR SUBSTITUTE	FATHER OR SUBSTITUTE
Surname: McLean Alias: Maiden Name: White Forename(s): Thomasina DoB (d/m/y): <input type="text"/>	Surname: Murphy Alias: Forename(s): Alexander Robertson DoB (d/m/y): <input type="text"/>
Relationship to Child: Natural Parent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Hab <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/>	Relationship to Child: Natural Parent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Hab <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/>
If Relative or Other please specify	If Relative or Other please specify

3. OTHER CHILDREN (state relationship to subject child if not full sibling and if non-resident or deceased)

Name	Sex	DoB	Relationship	Location
Christopher McLean	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Brother	As above
Stephen McLean			Brother	<input type="text"/> Foster Carers Dunfermline
Linda McLean	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	sister	
Karen White			sister	34f Ainslie Place, Perth

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT ADULTS (including natural parents if not mentioned in 2)

Name	DoB	Address	Relationship to Child

5. CHILD PROTECTION REGISTER CHECK

Is/was child's name on Child Protection Register?: Yes (since 24 01 92)

If YES, which names?

Latest date of de-registration, if appropriate (d/m/y):

Details of Social Work Department's Records Check:

Child is an open case to Social Worker completing this form. All relevant information available from file

6. AGENCY LINKS

(i) CHILD'S GP

Name: Dr Watt
Address: Drumhar Health Centre
Tel No: 21181

(ii) CHILD'S ~~HEALTH VISITOR~~ School Nurse

Name: Rose Henderson
Address: Drumhar Health Centre
Tel No: 21181

(iii) CHILD'S SCHOOL/NURSERY/PLAYGROUP

Name: Northern District P.S.
Address: Dunkeld Road, Perth
Tel No: 24046

7. REFERRAL

Date of Referral (d/m/y):	11 03 92
Name of Referrer:	Mr A Collie
Agency:	Education
Address:	Northern District Primary School Dunkeld Road PERTH
	Tel No: 24046
Details of Referral:	
<p>Yvonne presented herself at Mr Collie's office, as she had done on previous occasions when wishing to speak about sexual abuse.</p> <p>She told him that Mr MacLeod (nickname 'Nisha'), the same adult referred to in the Appendix B1's relating to referrals on 13 01 92 and 18 02 92, had raped her on the evening of Monday 9 March 1992.</p> <p>She spoke of an erect penis and of ejaculation.</p> <p>Yvonne saying that her mother and father had gone out. When she got in after playing outside, Mr McLeod was in the house to sit with her until one or other parent returned.</p>	
Specific Requests of Referrer:	
<p>That relevant agencies pursue the matter.</p>	
Further action, if any, Referrer proposes to take:	
<p>None at this stage.</p>	

8. POLICE INVESTIGATION OF THIS REFERRAL

(i) Were the police contacted regarding this incident? (Y/N): YES

If YES, Name of Police Officer contacted: Cathy Gunn

Rank: **No:** **Division:**

Office: Community Involvement, Perth **Tel No:** 21141

Time Contacted: **Date Contacted:** 11 03 92

(ii) Please indicate any information given by the police on this family (particularly if they have any knowledge of previous offences or violence within family and/or Schedule I offences):

(iii) Did the police indicate that they would investigate? (Y/N): YES

If YES, if possible give details of investigating Police Officers

Name: **Name:**

Rank: **Rank:**

No: **No:**

Stationed at: Perth **Stationed at:**

Commencement Date of Investigation (d/m/y): 11 03 92

(iv) Outcome (if proceeding please state):

NFA

(v) Known Offenders [Give details of any adult person who has been convicted of any offence against children]

Name: None known

Current Living Address:

Previous Offences: **Date:** **Court:**

Current Offence: **Date:** **Court:**

9. FIRST MEDICAL INVESTIGATION

First Medical Investigation? (Y/N):		No
Dr (Name):		Dr (Name):
Address:		Address:
Tel No:		Tel No:
Date (d/m/y):		Date (d/m/y):
Comment in respect of any injury, nature and extent: (opinion to be provided by medical practitioner)		

10. SECOND MEDICAL INVESTIGATION

Specialist Medical Investigation? (Y/N):		No
Dr (Name):		Dr (Name):
Address:		Address:
Place of Examination:		
Date:		
Were X-rays or photographs taken? (Y/N):		
If YES, by whom?:		
OUTCOME (indicate one of the following):		
Definite Medical Evidence of Abuse		<input type="checkbox"/>
Diagnosis Uncertain		<input type="checkbox"/>
No Indication of Abuse		<input type="checkbox"/>

Written medical comment on 'second stage' examination must be available.
[Attach here but obtain permission before circulating to other systems.]

11. REFERRAL TO REPORTER

Referral to Reporter? (Y/N):	YES
By Whom:	Donald J MacKenzie
Date:	11 03 92
Place of Safety? (Y/N):	No
Outcome (if proceeding please state): Matter to be addressed at Children's Hearing being convened in respect of previous referral	

12. SOCIAL WORK INVESTIGATION

(i) Date Investigation initiated (d/m/y):	11 03 92
<u>Social Work Department Investigating Personnel</u> Investigation carried out by named key worker who is a school nurse :-	
(1) Name: Rose Henderson School Nurse	(2) Name:
Office: Drumhar Health Centre PERTH	Office:
Tel No: 21181	Tel No:
<u>Investigation Co-ordinator</u>	
Name: Donald J MacKenzie Social Worker	
Office: 149/151 Dunkeld Road, Perth	
Tel No: 43066	

(ii) Summary of Action and Outcome of Investigation including an assessment of child and family circumstances.

(a) If appropriate, nature and circumstances of injury and from whom.

(b) If not injury, nature and circumstances of abuse, neglect or risk and from whom including an assessment of risk to child.

[If Place of Safety implemented, include specific reasons and evidence for doing so. State crucial facts, giving dates, place and name(s) of witness(es). State whether facts can be corroborated by witness(es) or whether hearsay. If no specific incident, but general concern for the child(ren)'s safety, list reasons for concern clearly below.]

(Continuation sheets to be attached)

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[redacted] contacted Donald MacKenzie (SW) to advise that Mr Collie had made a further referral. Yvonne saying that Mr McLeod (previously named) had raped her. Agreed that [redacted] would visit parents. Agreed also that [redacted] and Rose Henderson (key worker) would interview Yvonne @ 1500

16:15 - Telecon [redacted] Donald MacKenzie

a) The interviewee with Yvonne's mother (father not present) sought, initially, to ascertain what had been happening generally in the home in terms of contact Yvonne had with Mr McLeod. The interviewee then moved on to the evening of 09 03 92 specifically.

b) The interviewee with Yvonne found her repeating the allegation as first given to Mr Collie. She did not, however, refer to an erect penis or ejaculation. Yvonne did, however, indicate that penetrative intercourse had taken place on 09 03 92. When asked if it could have been an evening other than 09 03 92 Yvonne was adamant that it was 09 03 92. She then went on to say that similar abuse had taken place on each of the preceding evenings for about 10 days. She named each evening in reverse order ie 'Sunday, Saturday, Friday, etc.'

[redacted] Rose Henderson concluded that, most likely, abuse had not taken place as described by Yvonne. They did, however, feel that by her disclosure Yvonne was displaying emotional disturbance.

16.45 - Supervision - Donald MacKenzie/Martin Donachy (SSW)

Agreed that there were issues in this case that required attention. Agreed that whilst a further child protection case conference was not necessary, a case meeting involving/

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involving all relevant professional staff should be convened.

Agreed also that referral to Dr Christine Smith, Child & Family Psychiatry, Dudhope Unit might be appropriate.

12 03 92

10.30 - Telecon - Rose Henderson/Donald MacKenzie

She has spoken to Community Medical Officer Dr Gray. Dr Gray to speak to Dr Dutton (GP in family practice) re possible referral to Dr Smith, Dudhope.

Rose Henderson to visit parents and ask them to visit Dr Dutton to discuss Yvonne's case.

OUTCOME OF INVESTIGATION

Case Conference? (Y/N): NO

If N, please give reasons:

Investigation suggested that sexual abuse had not in fact taken place. Concerns that were highlighted at previous case conference are being addressed as per the recommendations of that conference. Decision made to convene a case meeting of all relevant professionals, and to consider referral to Dr Smith, Dudhope Unit.

If Conference necessary, notify and/or invite the following within seven days:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Agency</u>
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Social Work Department Investigating Personnel

(1) Signature:

[Redacted Signature]

Mr Donald J Mackenzie

Designation: Social Worker

Date:

(2) Signature:

[Redacted Signature]

Designation:

Date:

Investigation Co-ordinator (signature):

[Redacted Signature]

District/Service Manager (signature):

Child currently on Register. Support Referral to Dr Christina Smith. We need to know why she is producing so many "make screens". [Redacted] 20/3/92.

If Case Conference not necessary, please send copy of investigation together with reasons to Principal Officer (Child Protection)

Please see instructions on reverse

Subject Child (Name in Full)

Unique No

Referral Date

Referral Source

PARE Parent
 SELF Subject Child
 COMM Other Family/Community
 EDUC School/Nursery
 FSOC Field Social Worker
 RSOC Res Social Worker
 SSOC School Social Worker
 FAMC Family Centre

SPCC RSSPCC
 POLI Police
 DOCT GP/Comm Doctor
 HVCN Health Vis/CommNurse
 HOSP Hospital
 TRAN Transfer in
 ANON Anonymous Caller
 OTHR Other

If Other, specify

Date Investigation Initiated

Investigating S. Worker (Code)

Area of Concern Raised by Referral

P Physical Abuse
 N Physical Neglect
 F Failure to Thrive
 E Emotional Abuse
 S Sexual Abuse

Child's Living Group

1 Both Natural Parents
 2 Natural Mother and Step-father
 3 Natural Mother and Co-hab
 4 Natural Father and Step-mother
 5 Natural Father and Co-hab
 6 Single Mother only
 7 Single Father only
 8 Adoptive Parents
 9 Foster Parents
 10 Relative(s)
 11 Children's Home
 12 Other

If Other, specify

DOB of Mother/Substitute

DOB of Father/Substitute

Child/Family Previously Known to Social Work Department? Y/N

Child Protection Register Check (Status)

C Currently on Register
 N Never previously on Register (as far as known)
 P Previously on Register, in Tayside
 O Previously on Register, outwith Tayside

Police Investigation of Referral? Y/N

Outcome of Police Investigation (latest)

NFA No Further Action
 PRO Proceeding
 REF Referral to Procurator Fiscal

First Medical Investigation of Child? Y/N

Second Medical Investigation? Y/N

Outcome of Second Medical Investigation

Y Definite Medical Evidence of Abuse
 U Diagnosis Uncertain
 N No Indication of Abuse

State of Child (by Area of Concern)

C1 Concern Only

P1 Head Injuries, Fractures, Internal Injuries, Severe Burns, Ingestion of Toxic Substances
 P2 Bruising to face, Burns and Scalds
 P3 Cuts, Bites and Bruising to Soft Tissue - limbs and body
 P4 Non-Therapeutic Administration of Drugs
 P5 No Visible Signs

M1 Undernutrition
 M2 Inadequate Cleansing, Clothing and Hygiene
 M3 Combination of two above
 M4 Left Unattended - Poor Supervision

F1 Failure to Thrive

E1 Emotional Abuse - unreasonable shouting at, criticism or blame
 E2 Emotional Deprivation - lack of loving care and stimulation

S1 Penetrative Sexual Contact
 S2 Touching of Genitals, Oral Sex
 S3 Touching of Body, Breasts, Kissing
 S4 Non-touching

Suspected Perpetrator of Abuse, or Cause of Concern (Relationship to Child)

1 Natural Father
 2 Natural Mother
 3 Step Father
 4 Step Mother
 5 Mother's Boyfriend
 6 Father's Girlfriend
 7 Adoptive Father
 8 Adoptive Mother
 9 Foster Father
 10 Foster Mother
 11 Sibling (Male)
 12 Sibling (Female)
 13 Other Relative (Male)
 14 Other Relative (Female)
 15 Professional Carer (M)
 16 Professional Carer (F)
 17 Known to Child/Family (Male Over 16)
 18 Known to Child/Family (Female Over 16)
 19 Known to Child/Family (Male 16 or Under)
 20 Known to Child/Family (Female 16 or Under)
 21 Stranger (Male)
 22 Stranger (Female)
 23 Multiple
 24 Not Known

2nd Suspected Perpetrator of Abuse (optional)

Perpetrator(s) Living with Victim at Time of Abuse or Concern?

Y Yes
 N No
 O One did, other did not
 U Not Known

Referral to Reporter? Y/N

Place of Safety Status? Y/N

Outcome of Investigation

NEY No Evidence of Abuse or Risk
 NOC In View of Circumstances No Conference
 CON Case Conference to Take Place
 TRA Transferred Outwith Region

DATE OF REQUEST

23.03.92

WORKER'S NAME AND AGENCY

Donald J MacKenzie, C&F Team 1, S.W.D. Perth.

LENGTH OF INVOLVEMENT OF WORKER

With this child - 3 months.



LENGTH OF INVOLVEMENT OF AGENCY

INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER AGENCIES?
(Please tick)

SOCIAL WORK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	REPORTER TO CHILDREN'S PANEL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
GP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RSSPCC	<input type="checkbox"/>
HOSPITAL DR.	<input type="checkbox"/>	EDUC. SW	<input type="checkbox"/>
POLICE SURGEON	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	EDUC. PSYCH.	<input type="checkbox"/>
PROC. FISCAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	CLIN. PSYCH	<input type="checkbox"/>
POLICE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OTHER School Nurse	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

PREVIOUS CASE DISCUSSION ELSEWHERE?

(Give brief details) Child Protection Case Conference, 24.01.92

YES/

PREVIOUS CONTACT WITH CSAT

~~YES~~/NO

Date: _____

CLIENT ON CHILD PROTECTION REGISTER?

YES/

Category: Sexual Abuse (certain)

ANY COMPULSORY MEASURES OF CARE?

Referral Made. No date yet set for Hearing.

YES/NO

Section: _____

DO YOU PLAN TO BRING COLLEAGUES? (Please specify)

YES/

Mr Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker
Mrs Rose Henderson, School Nurse & Key Worker
Dr Gray, Drumhar Medical Centre

DOES FAMILY KNOW OF THIS CASE DISCUSSION?

YES/

REASONS FOR REQUESTING CASE DISCUSSION (Please list)

1. Yvonne has now made three disclosures concerning CSA. In the case of the latter two investigation revealed that circumstances could not have been as Yvonne described.
2. Yvonne seems to be socially isolated amongst peers. It seems as if this may be her choice.
3. The attitude and skills of the parents are such that Yvonne is unlikely to be given the opportunity to explore and examine the issues relevant to her.
4. It seems as if Yvonne may need the help and support that can be provided by a specialising professional. She is distressed by whatever has happened and needs

HOUSEHOLD

NAME

AGE

RELATIONSHIP

Alec Murphy
Thomasina McLean
Chris McLean
Stephen McLean

[Redacted]

Father
Mother
Brother
Brother

*Stephen is at home every second weekend only. He is in a foster placement [Redacted]
[Redacted]

SIGNIFICANT INDIVIDUALS OUTWITH HOUSEHOLD

Karen White - (Mrs McLean's first child))
Linda McLean - (Mrs McLean's second child)) Both now have children [Redacted]
[Redacted] Yvonne visits both regularly.
Donald McLeod [Redacted] Formerly living with a sister of Mrs McLean.
Used to "sit" Yvonne. Named by Yvonne.

SIGNIFICANT FEATURES OF FAMILY BACKGROUND

[Redacted]
The present family circumstances are socially deprived.
[Redacted]
She and Mr Murphy have cohabited for some sixteen years.
[Redacted]

MAIN AREAS OF FAMILY DIFFICULTIES

1. Lack of defined rules and boundaries resulting in little or no framework for the children to live by.
2. Lack of parental control in terms of guiding the children, and in terms of knowing how the children lead their lives.
3. [Redacted]
4. Inappropriate ways of ensuring order and discipline:- Mr Murphy has been observed allowing matters to get quite out of hand before reacting [Redacted]
[Redacted]

ANY OTHER COMMENTS

Attendance: J. Sherrard, O.T. (Chair)
C. Smith, Consultant
K. Bowie, Senior Social Worker
F. Clunie, Registrar (Minutes)
A. Collie, Headmaster, Northern District School
R. Gray, C.M.O., Drumhar Health Centre
R. Henderson, School Nurse/Key Worker
D. McKenzie, Perth Social Work Dept.
M. Donachie, Senior Social Worker, Child Care Team

AIMS:

1. Share concerns for Yvonne's present circumstances.
2. To decide if the Sexual Abuse Team should be involved with Yvonne.
3. To advise school on how they can manage Yvonne's disclosures.

BACKGROUND:

Yvonne is an attention-seeking child, often presenting with vague aches and pains to the school nurse. She prefers the company of adults. She is a pseudo-mature, attractive girl with an uncorrected squint. There is general concern among the professionals involved with Yvonne that she is neglected, e.g. her parents have failed to attend on many occasions appointments for Yvonne's physical care.

DISCUSSION:

In January this year, Yvonne made her first disclosure of sexual abuse to Mr Collie, saying that she was sharing a room [redacted] and [redacted] "did it to her". She disclosed one month later that Nisha (boyfriend of her aunt who babysat for her) "raped" her on the settee. In March, Yvonne gave graphic details of the sexual abuse she had experienced. Medical examination showed three small tears in the hymen. Investigation of the circumstances around the last two allegations [redacted]

[redacted] Yvonne appeared confused about the dates and number of times she had been sexually abused. There is also allegation of sexual abuse against [redacted] man in the area. Mum has told the Social Work Department that Yvonne is being discouraged from visiting this man by Mother telling her that she will punish her if she visits him. Mum and Dad are still letting Nisha visit their house if they are present.

[redacted]
One of her brothers, Steven, is in care in Dunfermline [redacted]
[redacted] He appears protective towards Yvonne. [redacted]
is [redacted] living at home. [redacted]

CONCLUSIONS:

1. The sexual abuse investigation needs to be taken further. [redacted]
[redacted]
2. The Reporter should be pushed for an urgent Hearing. The opinion of the case discussion is that Yvonne is unprotected and neglected and may require

3. A network meeting of all the professionals involved with the family could be held if the Social Work Department felt this was necessary.
4. The Northern Counties School is doing a good job with Yvonne and should continue to be available to listen to Yvonne. The school placement should be continued for her if at all possible. If the school wish further consultation, we will be happy to provide this - either by a telephone conversation or a case discussion.

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MEDICAL REPORT ON CHILD COMING INTO CARE

Surname McLEAN Forenames YVONNE MURRAY
 Date of Birth

10	03	82
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 Age 10 Sex F
 Date of Admission Into Care

13	05	92
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 School/Nursery Attended NORTHERN DISTRICT PS.
 Examination Requested By SW Dept Child Accompanied By SYLVIA MILNE
DONALD MCKENZIE DONALD MCKENZIE
 Place of Examination Summer Hill Date of Examination

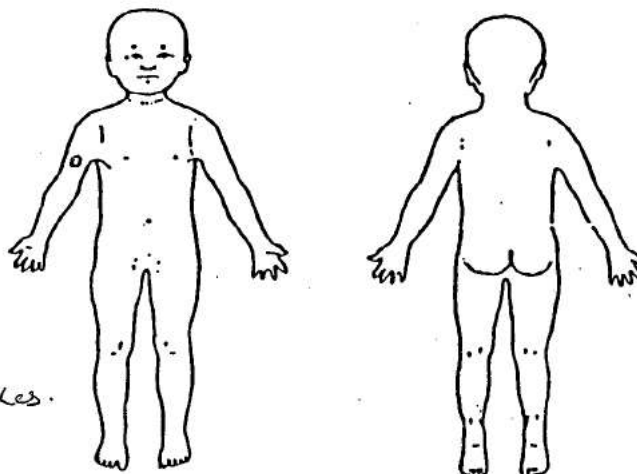
13	05	92
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1 General Physical Appearance of Child

(Note especially any evidence of infection, neglect or injury)

*Possible fingermark
bruise*



*minor normal
childhood scratches.*

2 Measurements Weight 28 Kgs _____ Percentile
 Height/Length 135.5 Cms _____ Percentile
 Head Circumference 49.5 Cms _____ Percentile

Comment

3 Physical Examination (Appropriate to Age and Circumstances)

	N/D/A	Comments
a) Skin and Hair	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
b) Teeth	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
c) Eyes	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<u>intermittent alternating Squint.</u>
d) Ears, Nose and Throat	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
e) CVS	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
f) Blood Pressure (If Applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
g) Respiratory System	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
h) Alimentary System	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
i) Genitalia/Testes (Males Only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
j) Nervous System	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____
k) Locomotion/Posture	<input type="checkbox"/> N	_____

4 Developmental Assessment (Include Information from most recent screening with date if available and give impression from this contact)

Gross Motor

Normal for age.

Fine Motor/Manipulative/Vision

Normal

Hearing/Communication

Normal.

Social/Behaviour

NORMAL - PERHAPS ATTENTION SEEKING.

EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, APPARENTLY POOR.

5 Background Information Available at this Examination

(a) Past Medical History

RECURRING EAR INFECTIONS -
GROMMETS INSERTED 1988

(b) Family History

6 Do you consider this child to be at high risk from HIV or Hepatitis?

Yes

No

Inadequate Information

7 Treatment Required (if any) and note of action taken

Follow-up of squint.

8 Immunisation Status Complete?

Yes No Unknown

Specify _____

9 Further Action Required Including:

(a) Further Investigation of identified or potential medical factors

BED-WETTING.

(b) Further Developmental/Educational Assessment

REQUIRED.

(c) Other

10 Action Taken

Further Appointment
Arranged

Referred to
Specialist
Paediatrician

Social Worker
Informed

Specify _____



Signature of Doctor _____

Name (in block capitals) _____

DR. J. J. GILLINGHAM

Designation _____

GENERAL MEDICAL PRACTITIONER

Time _____

2.00

Date _____

13/5/92.

Please give details of contact made with child's Social Worker/Parent/Foster Parent

SOCIAL WORKER PRESENT.



Memorandum

TO: Deirdre Watson, Area Reporter, 52 Kinnoull Street, Perth

FROM: Donald MacKenzie, SW, Children & Families 1, 149 Dunkeld Road, Perth

OUR REF: DMACK/JDN

YOUR REF:

DATE: 14 May 1992

SUBJECT: YVONNE MURPHY McLEAN (10.03.82), 3b Menzies Court, Fairfield, Perth. Advice of child received into care interms of Sec.37(2) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968.

I wish to advise you that on 13.05.92 a Petition presented by myself in terms of Sec.37(2) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 was duly signed by a Justice of the Peace in respect of the above child, Yvonne Murphy McLean (10.03.82) and that she was thereafter removed to a Place of Safety by myself acting on behalf of Tayside Regional Council.

The reasons why Yvonne was removed to a Place of Safety are as indicated on the attached Petition, namely sub paragraphs (c) and (e) on the Petition form. More particularly the circumstances are as follows:-

On 13.01.92, 18.02.92 and 11.03.92, Yvonne told the Headteacher of Northern District School, Mr Collie, that she had been subject to behaviour that seemed to constitute child sexual abuse. My report dated 27.02.92 refers specifically to what Yvonne said on 13.01.92 and 18.02.92, and I would refer you to that report. I would also refer you to that report as an outline of family and home circumstances.

As stated above Yvonne spoke to Mr Collie again about something that had happened to her. On that occasion she spoke of a Mr McLeod (nickname Nisha) whom she had previously referred to as having raped her on the evening of Monday, 09.03.92. During that conversation she spoke of an erect penis and of ejaculation. The matter was investigated by [redacted] by Mrs Rose Henderson, School Nurse who had at the previous Child Protection Case Conference been appointed Yvonne's key worker. During the course of that investigation Yvonne spoke of penetrative intercourse having taken place on 09.03.92 she went on to say that similar abuse had taken place on each of the preceding evenings for about the previous ten days [redacted] Mrs Henderson concluded that circumstances had been such that it was unlikely that abuse as described by Yvonne had taken place. They did however feel that by her disclosure Yvonne was displaying emotional disturbance

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by someone.

One goal set by myself with Yvonne's parents, to which they agreed, was that Mr McLeod (Nisha) should no longer be allowed to spend time alone with Yvonne as he had done on many previous occasions. On the afternoon of 13.05.92 Mrs McLean told myself and my senior, Mr Martin Donachy, that at some point on Saturday, 09.05.92, she herself had gone out of the house leaving Yvonne in the company of Mr McLeod. Later on 13.05.92 Yvonne told me that she had been left alone in the house with Mr McLeod on either Saturday, 09.05.92 or Sunday, 10.05.92, she could not be clear as to which day it was. She went on to say that "Mum leaves me lots of times with Nisha".

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It seems that Yvonne along with other young girls spends a lot of time in this man's house. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Yvonne has in the past denied that this man has in any way abused her. Mrs McLean tells us that she has made great efforts to try and stop Yvonne visiting this person but on each and every occasion Yvonne has ignored her mother's instruction and has gone into the house. The conclusion drawn from this is that Yvonne's parents do not properly exercise parental responsibilities in terms of their parental care.

[REDACTED]

At the time of advising Yvonne that she was to be received into care she was attending a group organised by this department at the Child & Family Centre at Gowans Terrace. In response to my telling her that she was going to be received into care that evening Yvonne stated the following:-

- a) That she was glad that this was happening. That she didn't want to stay at home any more and wanted to stay in another home. That her mother and father did not look after her and that they didn't care about her.
- b) That everyone bullies her.
- c) That she did not want to see her mother and father either then or in the future. Nor did she want them to attend any meetings that were being held to discuss her circumstances and her future.

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occasion to accompany Mrs Sylvia Milne (Family Helper) to her car parked outside the Child & Family Centre. Whilst in the car park Yvonne spotted the man known as Nisha walking past the Family Centre. It is Mrs Milne's opinion that Yvonne was clearly terrified at seeing this man in the area of the Family Centre. Yvonne immediately ran back into the Family Centre and when Mrs Milne joined her she was very clinging and still clearly afraid at what she had just seen.



MS DEIRDRE WATSON, AREA REPORTER
52 KINNOULL STREET, PERTH

MR DONALD MACKENZIE, SOCIAL WORKER
DUNKELD ROAD RESOURCE CENTRE

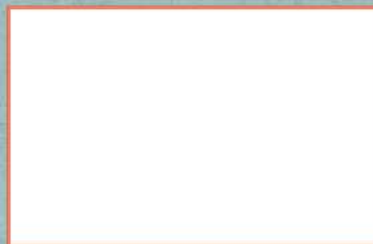
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10 MAY 1992

YVONNE MURPHY McLEAN (10 03 82)
FURTHER INFORMATION TO THAT CONTAINED IN MY
MEMORANDUM OF 14 05 92

The first paragraph on page 2 of my memorandum refers to Mrs McLean having stated that Yvonne was left alone in the house with Mr MacLeod on 09 05 92, and that Yvonne spoke of having been left with Mr MacLeod "... lots of times"

Missing from my memo of 14 05 92 was reference to the fact that on 11 05 92 Yvonne spoke to Mr Collie at Northern District Primary School and told him that in the course of the weekend just past (9/10 May) Mr MacLeod had asked her to take her clothes off.



TAYSIDE REGIONAL COUNCIL - SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT

CASE REVIEWS - CHILDREN IN CARE

SOCIAL WORKER'S REPORT

Please include comments under the following headings:-

Pen picture of the child (including interests as well as physical and emotional attributes);

Summary of Work done since last Review (including frequency of visits);

Suitability of Placement (does it meet the child's needs ? What are his views);

School Report (facts about attainment and potential. Also any behavioural or relationship difficulties);

Health (date of last medical and details of any treatment in addition to description of health);

Contact with natural parents / current home situation / parent's views re future);

Parental Contributions : Has parental assessment form been submitted to HQ ?

Social Worker's views re future action (indicating why any changes in direction has taken place since last review / initial assessment. Also indicate why particular goals are used and link with understanding of child's behaviour).

NAME

ADDRESS

D.O.B.

.....YVONNE MURPHY McLEANc/o Reid, 10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife..... 10.03.82.....

DATE OF LAST REVIEW OR CASE CONFERENCE

.....

DATE OF LAST MEDICAL INSPECTION

.....13.05.92.....

DATE OF LAST SCHOOL REPORT

.....

DATE OF LAST FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT (Form F8)

.....14.05.92.....

Introduction

On 13.05.92 Yvonne was received into care in terms of Sec. 37 (2) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968.

Yvonne is the youngest child of the McLean family. [redacted]

[redacted] Christopher resides at home. Steven resides with foster carers in Dunfermline [redacted]

There have been three Child Protection Investigations carried out in respect of Yvonne. Each of these followed her telling Mr Collie, Headteacher Northern District School, about acts perpetrated on her that would constitute sexual abuse. These were as follows:-

- a) 13.01.92 Yvonne said that while spending the night at the home of a friend of her sister's, the friend's [redacted] child had removed her clothing and penetrated her vagina with both his finger and penis. Later in the same investigation Yvonne named an adult male living

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established that Yvonne had tears to the hymen which lead the Police Surgeon to conclude that she had been sexually abused. No criminal prosecution was brought as a result of this investigation.

- b) 18.02.92 Yvonne said again to Mr Collie that the same adult named in the previous investigation had raped her four times in the course of the previous weekend. A medical examination was not carried out nor were any criminal prosecutions brought.
- c) 11.03.92 On this occasion Yvonne told Mr Collie that the same adult as previously referred to had raped her on the evening of Monday, 09.03.92. On this occasion she spoke of an erect penis and of ejaculation.

At a network meeting convened by this department on 13.05.92 Mr Collie advised that on 11.05.92 Yvonne had told him that in the course of the previous weekend the same man had asked her to remove her clothing.

A specific agreement made with Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean following the Child Protection Investigations was that they should no longer allow this person to be alone in the company of Yvonne. It is known that during Saturday, 09.05.92, Yvonne was left in the company of this man. Yvonne herself states that there have been many occasions when she has been left alone in the company of this man.

[Redacted]
Mrs McLean states that all her efforts to stop Yvonne visiting this man's house have failed and that Yvonne continues to do so.

Health

Yvonne was subject to a reception into care medical examination on 13.05.92. This revealed that generally her health was very good. The examining doctor noted normal childhood bruising plus one bruise on Yvonne's arm that could possibly be the result of pressure being applied by a finger. The examining doctor also noted that Yvonne should be wearing spectacles but it seems that she does not like doing so. It was also noted that although her teeth were reasonably healthy it is some time since she has had any dental treatment. Under the heading of "Further Action Required" the examining doctor noted enuresis and that further developmental/.....

Date

Signature

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developmental/educational assessment was required.

School

Yvonne has been enrolled as a pupil in Leuchars Primary School. The writer has spoken with Mr Marr, Headteacher, and he is aware, in general terms, of Yvonne's circumstances. Mr Collie will inform the meeting as to Yvonne's school history.

Contact with Parents

At this point in time Yvonne has clearly stated that she wishes to have no contact with her parents. Mrs McLean has stated that she will respect Yvonne's wishes in this matter. Mrs McLean has been advised that Yvonne will be given appropriate encouragement to have contact with her parents but that Yvonne is of an age whereby her views will be taken very much into account. Yvonne sees her brother, Steven, as the one family member to whom she is close. Steven shares this view. It is intended therefore that at an appropriate time contact between the two should be facilitated.

Administrative Requirements

The following have been completed -

1. CC2 Reception into Care forms completed with copies to foster carer.
2. Form F8 Parental Contribution completed.
3. Initial clothing grant of £50 given to Mrs Reid.
4. Form A07 Amendment to Records completed.
5. Form F24 Fostering Allowance requested.
6. Contact with Ms Anne Innes, Resource Worker Dundee East, established.
7. Pro Forma letter CC13 sent to -
Director of Education Fife Region
Director of Social Work Fife Region
Fife Health Authority
Director of Education Tayside Region
Tayside Health Authority

Future Plans

If Yvonne is to remain in social work department care for some time it may be in her best interests and those of her brother, Steven, that the two should live in the same placement. Discussion is currently underway to investigate the viability of this.

In terms of the abuse perpetrated upon Yvonne it is suggested that work needs to be done with her that will allow her to express her feelings and thoughts on the matter which in itself would be part of the process of helping her to grow and develop normally with that experience as part of her history.

Signature

[Redacted signature area]

15/05/07

- 2 JUN 1992

RECEPTION INTO CARE MINUTES - YVONNE McLEAN

NAME OF YOUNG PERSON: YVONNE MURPHY McLEAN
DATE OF BIRTH: 10 03 82
HOME ADDRESS: 3B Menzies Court, Fairfield, Perth
DATE OF MEETING: 15 05 92
VENUE OF MEETING: c/o Reid, 10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife.

Present:

S Mackay, Community Assessment & Review Officer,
M Donachy, Senior Social Worker, Dunkeld Road Resource Centre
Mr Collie, Head Teacher, Northern District Primary School
Mrs McLean, Mother
Mrs R Henderson, School Nurse
Mrs Reid, Foster Parent
D MacKenzie, Social Worker, Dunkeld Road Resource Centre.

Apologies:

Mr Marr, Head Teacher, Leuchars Primary School.
A Innes, Resource Worker
Mr Murphy, Father.

Family Details:

Please also refer to A016 Social Worker's Report dated 15 05 92. Prior to being admitted to care Yvonne was living at home with her mother, Mrs McLean, and father, Alex Murphy, with her brother, Christopher [redacted]. Her brother, Steven, resides with foster carers in Dunfermline [redacted] Project. Yvonne's stepsisters, Karen Whyte and Linda McLean live close by her parents.

Brief Case History:

Please also refer to A016 Social Worker's Report dated 15 05 92 -

[redacted]

There have been three Child Protection Investigations carried out in respect of Yvonne. Each of these followed her telling Mr Collie about acts perpetrated on her that would constitute sexual abuse.

These are as follows :

1. 13 01 92 - Yvonne made allegations of sexual abuse against a [redacted] boy. However, later in the same investigation she implicated an adult male living in a flat above. A medical examination carried out in the police station established that Yvonne had tears to her hymen which suggested she had been subjected to sexual abuse. However, no

2. 18 02 92 - Yvonne alleged to Mr Collie that she had been 'raped' by the previously named adult and again no criminal charges followed.
3. 11 03 92 - Yvonne again repeated the above allegation in respect of an incident which was supposed to have occurred on 09 03 92. This time her description was much more graphic and referred to 'erect penis and ejaculation'. No medical was carried out due to contradictory information offered by Yvonne, but a referral was made to the Child and Family Psychiatry Unit at Dudhope House, Dundee, for a specialist opinion. Dr Christine Smith from Dudhope House helped the professionals involved to look at the whole family situation and to broaden out workers' thinking. Previously Mr MacKenzie had viewed the children separately but Dr Smith encouraged him to put all the separate pieces of information together. The staff team at Dudhope House expressed concern at what might be happening to Yvonne and despite the best efforts of her mother she seemed unable to keep Yvonne safe. As a result it was decided to hold a network meeting bringing together past and present professionals who have been concerned with this case.

A network meeting was arranged for 13 05 92 and held at Rosslyn House.

At this meeting Mr Collie advised that on 11 05 92 Yvonne had told him that in the course of the previous weekend the same man had asked her to remove her clothing. It was also noted that Yvonne had been left alone with an adult neighbour from upstairs which was in direct violation of an instruction issued to the parents. It was established while they do not believe this man abused Yvonne, they are accusing another neighbour but similarly have not been able to prevent Yvonne visiting this person either. Following this meeting it was agreed to take a Place of Safety Warrant out in respect of Yvonne as she was unable to be protected sufficiently at home. [REDACTED]

School Report:

Mr Collie stated that Yvonne needs a great deal of help academically and is below average in all aspects of school work. She is constantly losing pencils and is easily distracted. He expressed the opinion that she would require learning support at whatever school she attended. As the class at Northern District School only contained eighteen children, no additional teaching support could be offered.

Mr Collie explained how Yvonne began making her allegations and disclosures. She continually sought adult company and in January 1992 she made her first disclosure to the school secretary who in turn passed on the information. Latterly Yvonne was visiting Mr Collie's office almost daily under various pretences. He acknowledged that due to the complex nature and inconsistency of information it was very difficult to separate fact from fiction when Yvonne described incidents. Yvonne was unable to accurately describe time scales involved. Mr Collie explained that he had tried to keep the whole allegations quiet [REDACTED]

Mr Collie stated that he has had contact with this family for sometime

Date of Reception into Care:

Yvonne was taken into care on 13 May 1992. Mr MacKenzie told the meeting that he had filled in the following forms in respect of Yvonne: CC2, F8, A07, A25 and CC13 x 5.

Placement Address:

C/o Reid, 10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife.

Legal Status:

Yvonne was taken into care under a Place of Safety Warrant under Section 37(2) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968.

Medical Issues:

Nurse Henderson explained that she has dealt with all the children in this family. Yvonne was described as being by far the most passive of all the children. She constantly seeks attention from adults. Yvonne does not enjoy playing with other children. Mrs Henderson explained that Yvonne has eyesight problems. She suffers from a severe squint for which she should wear her glasses. Mrs McLean brought Yvonne's glasses through with her and Mrs Reid agreed to ensure that Yvonne wears her glasses regularly. Mrs Henderson also explained that Yvonne has regularly suffered from ear infections. She has experienced a temporary reduction in hearing in the past. Mrs Reid asked if Yvonne was slightly deaf because she had noticed that Yvonne had ignored her on occasions. It was agreed that Yvonne's hearing should be checked at Leuchars Primary, but it was suggested by Mr Donachy that this examination should be part of a routine examination if at all possible as Yvonne had been subject to several medical examinations recently. It was also noted that Yvonne suffered from enuresis but was not supplied with a buzzer. Mrs McLean claims that Yvonne tended to wet her bed about twice a fortnight on average [redacted] Mrs Henderson stated that otherwise Yvonne was fairly healthy but she regularly complains of 'tummy' pains to seek attentions of adults.

Yvonne was subject to a Reception into Care medical examination at 7.30pm on 13 05 92 at Drumhàr Health Centre which was carried out by a doctor from their own GP Practice. He noted that Yvonne was generally very healthy, but had normal childhood bruising plus one bruise on Yvonne's arm that could possibly be the result of pressure applied by a finger. The doctor also noticed that Yvonne should wear spectacles but is reluctant to do so. It was stated that her teeth require some dental treatment in the near future. On filling out the medical form the doctor placed under the heading 'future action' the issue of enuresis, and that a further developmental/educational assessment was required. The latter would be carried out as routine practice if she transfers schools.

Behaviour/

Behaviour since coming into Care:

Mrs Reid explained that since coming into care Yvonne follows her everywhere and in fact she now jokes that she has a 'shadow'. She always sits very close to Yvonne. She tends not to want to go out to play much with other children although this is improving. She calls in Leeanne, Mrs Reid's daughter, so she can play with her inside. Yvonne has experienced no bed-wetting episodes since coming to stay with Mrs Reid. It was noted that she was tidy and clean around the house. She stated that Yvonne has eaten well since she had moved in but is choosy about what she eats. She has made no comments about her past but appears to be happy in foster care. It was noted that she has made no comments about her mother and father since coming into care. Mrs Reid noticed that when out Yvonne initiates taking her hand in the street.

Education Planning:

While it was acknowledged that it would have been beneficial for Yvonne to remain at Northern District School, this is not possible due to the amount of travelling that would be involved between the foster home and school. It was recognised that by moving schools Yvonne had lost a trusted adult but it was hoped that she would soon make meaningful relationships with her foster family and within school. Yvonne was enrolled as a pupil in Leuchars Primary School and attended for her first day on 15 05 92. The headmaster, Mr Marr, is aware in general terms about Yvonne's circumstances. Mr Collie agreed to 'phone Mr Marr and pass on all the relative information.

Social Work Planning:

Mr McKenzie agreed to visit Yvonne either on 18 or 19 May to do a full clothing check with Mrs Reid to find out what clothes Yvonne still requires [redacted]

[redacted] In addition a Children's Panel will be held on one of the above dates and Mr McKenzie will accompany Yvonne on that occasion. Mr McKenzie intends to maintain as much contact as possible with Yvonne during her first few weeks in care. Yvonne must be given every opportunity to express her feelings about the past and about being in care. Mr McKenzie will then hope to carry out a bridging role to allow Yvonne to begin to relate more to Mrs Reid. He hopes to visit initially twice a week then reduce to once a week, but obviously this plan is dependent on the outcome of the forthcoming Children's Hearing.

Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy were given an explanation of the reason for the Place of Safety Warrant being issued. Mrs McLean was very upset about Yvonne being received into case [redacted] understood why the Department had initiated such proceedings. The meeting was informed that Mr MacKenzie and Mr Donachy had met with Mr Murphy at Dunkeld Road Resource Centre earlier that day (15 05 92) to explain the reasons for taking the Place of Safety and to ascertain his views. Mr Murphy was extremely angry about Yvonne being in care [redacted]

[redacted] Clearly Mr Murphy does not want Yvonne removed and he wishes her returned as soon as possible. He was informed of his legal rights and advised to seek legal advice.

The Social Work plan is for Yvonne to remain in care for some time and hope to establish who is the perpetrator of the abuse. The justification for this is that the Social Work Department is sure she is safe with Mr and Mrs Reid but was unable to secure her safety while at home.

Access and Leave Arrangements:

At this point in time Yvonne has clearly stated that she wishes to have no contact with her parents. Mrs McLean stated that she will respect Yvonne's wishes although it upsets her very much. Mr Murphy stated he cannot accept Yvonne's decision. Mrs McLean has been advised that Yvonne will be given appropriate encouragement to have contact with her parents, but that Yvonne is of an age whereby her views will be taken into account. Yvonne has expressed the view that her brother, Steven, is the one member of the family she is really close to. Steven appears to share this view. He is currently residing with foster parents in Dunfermline. It is intended, therefore, that at an appropriate time contact between the two should be facilitated.

If and when Yvonne requests access with her parents, this will be arranged and contract signed and access visits supervised.

Tasks to be completed:

Mr MacKenzie to give Yvonne appropriate encouragement to make an informed decision about access. The possibility of an access visit between Steven and Yvonne is to be pursued [redacted]

[redacted] Mr MacKenzie will look through Yvonne's clothes with Mrs Reid and arrange for a fostering payment to be made if necessary. Mrs Reid will encourage Yvonne to wear her glasses whenever possible. Mrs Reid will liaise with Leuchars Primary to arrange a routine hearing check up for Yvonne. While Yvonne's bike had been transported through to Fife, Mr MacKenzie agreed to try and obtain a puncture repair kit. It was agreed Mr MacKenzie and Mr Mackay would meet with Yvonne after this meeting to explain the outcome of the meeting and to prepare her for the format of the forthcoming Children's Hearing.

Date of Next Meeting:

Due to the forthcoming Children's Hearing being held to examine the Place of Safety Warrant it was agreed not to set a date for a Review yet.

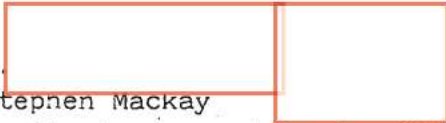
Supplementary Meeting:

Mrs Reid, Mr MacKenzie and Mr Mackay waited behind to meet Yvonne and Leeanne returning from school. Yvonne appeared to have a fairly good first day at school. She is beginning to make new friends and is obviously building up a friendship [redacted] Mrs Reid explained before Yvonne returned from school that she had initially used unacceptable language when she came to stay, but had modified her use of language when checked.

Yvonne/

Yvonne was very interested to hear what had happened at the meeting. She asked who was present and reacted with a facial expression when told her father was not present. She clearly stated she wished to see her mother but not her father soon at her foster home. Mr MacKenzie agreed to arrange this. Yvonne also asked when she was getting to see Steven and expressed a desire for them to be reunited. The full Hearing process was explained to Mrs Reid and Yvonne. Yvonne expressed a desire that she was not in the same waiting room as her mother and father prior to the Children's Hearing. Yvonne appeared to feel a little anxious about the Hearing but felt more prepared as to what to expect.

Signed


Mr Stephen Mackay
Community Assessment/Review Officer.

23 May 1992



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Report Mr Donald MacKenzie

SOCIAL BACKGROUND REPORT CHILDREN'S HEARING

The following child: -

Surname McLEAN **Date of Birth** 10.03.82

**Christian Names
or Forenames** Yvonne Murphy **Religion** _____

School Leuchars Primary

Address (current) c/o Reid **Occupation** _____
10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife.
(h/a) 3b Menzies Court, Fairfield,
Perth.

is to appear on 25.06.92 at 7.30pm PERTH **Children's Hearing**

in connection with Referral under Sections 32 (2) (c)(d)&(b) Social Work

(Scotland) Act 1968

Introduction:

Yvonne is currently in care under Section 40 (8) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968. This followed her being received into care under Section 37 (2) of the Act on 13.05.92. The writer's memorandum to the Reporter dated 14.05.92 sets out the reasons why the Place of Safety was taken in respect of Yvonne.

At a Hearing before the Sheriff on 18.06.92 Yvonne's parents, Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy, accepted the grounds which they had previously denied at the initial Children's Hearing.

Yvonne is the youngest of Mrs McLean's five children. Mr Murphy is the [redacted] father of the three younger children (Christopher [redacted] Stephen [redacted] and Yvonne).

[redacted] Christopher resides at home whilst Stephen is in a foster placement in Dunfermline. [redacted]

Home Circumstances:

Prior to being received into care Yvonne lived at home with her mother, father and brother Christopher. Stephen had an access visit home every second weekend but this was stopped [redacted]

[redacted]

In respect of Yvonne particular concern has obviously focused on the fact that she has been sexually abused and that her parents have been unable and/or unwilling to provide adequate protection. It is the case that Yvonne's parents have consistently stated that they do not believe that the abuser named by Yvonne is responsible. This reflects an unwillingness to accept what the child is saying or to acknowledge the implications for Yvonne of ongoing contact between her and the man she names as her abuser. Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy believe that Yvonne's abuser is another man living close by and their acknowledgement that despite their efforts Yvonne continued to visit this man's house reflects an inability to exercise proper control over Yvonne.

In general terms the home is one in which there is very little in the way of verbal interaction between the household members. Mrs McLean has acknowledged that very little in the way of conversation takes place between herself and Mr Murphy or between the adults and the children or between the children themselves. It seemed that when at home Yvonne spent a great deal of time alone in her bedroom. [redacted]

Mr Murphy has been very much the disciplinarian in the home. Both he and Mrs McLean report that his method of disciplining is to shout very loudly in order to establish control. [redacted]

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In Menzies Court the family are surrounded by a large extended family network. This seems to comprise mainly Yvonne's maternal aunts, their partners, their children and their grandchildren. Unfortunately all of these people seem to take the line adopted by Yvonne's parents regarding who is and who is not the perpetrator of sexual abuse upon Yvonne. It is the case that very much an open door policy exists within the community of Menzies Court and visitors are frequently popping in and out of Yvonne's family home. It is the case also that Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy spend a large part of their time out of the home [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The extent to which one or both of them may be out of the house seems to differ quite considerably according to what they say themselves and to what Yvonne is saying.

Referred to above was the fact that the children seem to a large extent to do "their own thing". A further example of this was highlighted by staff at Yvonne's former school, Northern District, who said that she often arrived for school very early, that on occasion she was poorly clad in cold weather, and that there were occasions when she appeared to be quite hungry. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The writer would contend that these are examples of areas in which it is necessary for parents to assume responsibility and make decisions on behalf of a child which although not necessarily agreeable to the child would clearly be in her best interests. This abdication of responsibility by adults placed upon Yvonne's shoulders the responsibility of making decisions regarding her welfare which she was clearly not mature enough to do. [REDACTED]

Yvonne:

Yvonne is a child who is much more comfortable in the company of adults than in the company of peers. Amongst peers she has been scapegoated and ridiculed over a long period of time. She has adopted many of the mannerisms of adults in terms of much of her language and behaviour. It is unclear which came first, the adult behaviour or the scapegoating. In other words did she adopt this behaviour because of the scapegoating or was the scapegoating caused by this behaviour? Whatever the fact of this may be it is the case that Yvonne is a child who has forgotten how to play and how to make relationships with peers. This has been observed both by staff at schools that she has attended and, most acutely by her current foster carer, Mrs Reid, who has a daughter the same age as Yvonne.

School:

Yvonne started at Leuchars Primary School on 15.05.92 and has just received her first school report. Although generally good the report does state that Yvonne is behind academically especially at maths, but works well in class. When she attended Northern District Primary Yvonne had a very close relationship with Mr Collie, Head Teacher and with Mrs Rose Henderson, School Nurse. It is inevitable that Yvonne will take some time to adjust to being in new school setting.

Present Placement:

Yvonne has settled very well into her placement with Mr & Mrs Reid. Initially, and still to some extent, Yvonne was clinging very closely to Mrs Reid. She is /

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is now prepared to distance herself a little bit and will go out on her bike, etc. after being prompted by Mrs Reid. Yvonne and Mrs Reid's daughter share a bedroom and on a one-to-one basis get on very well indeed. However as noted above Yvonne has to rediscover the pleasures of play and when Mrs Reid's daughter goes out with her own long established friends, Yvonne seems to be left behind. This is Yvonne's choosing not Mrs Reid's daughter's choosing.

Mrs Reid reports that Yvonne seemed to have some difficulty in adapting to a household in which there were set rules and structures within which the roles and responsibilities of adults and children were clearly defined. Mrs Reid noted that Yvonne seemed to be a child who felt that she could do whatever she wanted whenever she pleased and sought to make decisions in respect of herself that in Mrs Reid's opinion lay within the remit of caring adults.

Attitude to Grounds of Referral:

Yvonne continues to talk in some detail about the sexual abuse which has been perpetrated upon her and the fact that people in her family do not believe what she is saying. Yvonne has also spoken about the general level of care that was provided for her. Amongst the comments that she has made are the following which seem particularly indicative of her feelings:

- a) My mum and Dad are never at home. They leave me in charge of the house.
- b) They care more about Nisha (the abuser named by Yvonne) than they care about me.
- c) They dinna care about me.
- d) Don't listen to them they will just tell you lies.

Access:

Arrangements have been set in place whereby Yvonne will have access to her mother and father, and to her brother Stephen. Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy will be taken to Leuchars every second Wednesday to spend time with Yvonne. Yvonne will be taken to Dunfermline every third weekend to spend weekends with Stephen and his foster carers. The matter of access will be the subject of ongoing assessment and will be set in accordance with what seems to be the best interests of Yvonne.

Conclusion:

This report sets out the various concerns that exist in terms of the level and protection being offered to Yvonne by her parents prior to her reception into care. The report has also illustrated the fact that these concerns have existed over many years in respect of the other children of the family. It is the writer's view that social work advice, guidance and assistance should continue to be offered to Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy in order that they can address many of the fundamental issues that give rise to these concerns. It is also the writer's view that Mrs McLean's and Mr Murphy's ability and/or willingness to change in this respect would have to be the subject of careful ongoing assessment. It is known that both parents want their children at home with them. It is hoped that they would be able to take on board the concerns expressed and address these accordingly.

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In the meantime it is the writer's recommendation that Yvonne be made the subject of a supervision requirement in terms of Section 44 (1)(a) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 with a condition inserted therein stating that she should reside in the home of Mr & Mrs Reid, foster carers at 10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife.

If a Children's Hearing make a decision in line with the above recommendation the writer will then proceed to set in place plans for Yvonne's future care. The main points for consideration will be whether Yvonne and Stephen should reside in the same placement, and what resources should be mobilised to help Yvonne.

At the Children's Hearing on 25.06.92 the writer will present the necessary documentation in respect of Mr & Mrs Reid as suitable foster carers.

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Signed
Mr Donald J Mackenzie, Social Worker

22 June 1992

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1. SUBJECT CHILD

Unique No: 90010597	Date of Referral: 13 01 92
Surname: McLEAN	Alias:
Forename(s): YVONNE MURPHY	Alias:
Sex (M/F): F	DoB (d/m/y): 10 03 82
Home Address (before removal to Care, Hospital or Place of Safety): 3B Menzies Court, Fairfield, Perth.	
Current Address: (if different from above)	
Previous Addresses: 10B Hunter Crescent, Perth	

2. CHILD'S LIVING GROUP

MOTHER OR SUBSTITUTE	FATHER OR SUBSTITUTE
Surname: McLean Alias: Maiden Name: White Forename(s): Thomasina DoB (d/m/y):	Surname: Murphy Alias: Forename(s): Alexander Robertson DoB (d/m/y):
Relationship to Child: Natural Parent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Hab <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> If Relative or Other please specify	Relationship to Child: Natural Parent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Hab <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> If Relative or Other please specify

3. OTHER CHILDREN (state relationship to subject child if not full sibling and if non-resident or deceased)

Name	Sex	DoB	Relationship	Location
Christopher McLean			Brother	As above
Stephen McLean			Brother	foster carers, Dunfermline
Linda McLean			sister	
Karen White			sister	34f Ainslie Place, Perth

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT ADULTS (including natural parents if not mentioned in 2)

Name	DoB	Address	Relationship to Child

5. CHILD PROTECTION REGISTER CHECK

s/was child's name on Child Protection Register?: No
If YES, which names?
Latest date of de-registration, if appropriate (d/m/y):
Details of Social Work Department's Records Check:

AGENCY LINKS

(i) CHILD'S GP
Name: Dr Watt Address: Drumham Health Centre Tel No: 21181
(ii) CHILD'S HEALTH VISITOR CMO
Name: Rose Henderson Address: Drumhar Health Centre Tel No: 21181
(iii) CHILD'S SCHOOL/NURSERY/PLAYGROUP
Name: Northern District P.S. Address: Dunkeld Road, Perth Tel No: 24046

7. REFERRAL

Date of Referral (d/m/y):	13 01 92	
Name of Referrer:	Mr A Collie	
Agency:	Education	
Address:	Head Teacher Northern District Primary School Perth	Tel No: 24046
Details of Referral:		
<p>Yvonne presented herself at Mr Collie's office and asked to speak to him in private. She stated that [redacted] had "done it with me". She then said "Y'know what I mean".</p> <p>This was reported by Mr Collie to Mr Geoff Pearce, social worker [redacted] [redacted] Donald MacKenzie, social worker [redacted] [redacted] spoke to Mr Collie, at which time he confirmed the above.</p>		
Specific Requests of Referrer:		
That matter be pursued by relevant agencies.		
Further action, if any, Referrer proposes to take:		
None at this stage.		

8. POLICE INVESTIGATION OF THIS REFERRAL

(i) Were the police contacted regarding this incident? (Y/N): Yes		
If YES, Name of Police Officer contacted: <input style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>		
Rank: <input style="width: 50px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	No:	Division:
Office: Community Involvement, Perth		Tel No: <input style="width: 70px; height: 25px;" type="text"/>
Time Contacted:		Date Contacted: 13 01 92
(ii) Please indicate any information given by the police on this family (particularly if they have any knowledge of previous offences or violence within family and/or Schedule I offences):		
None		
(iii) Did the police indicate that they would investigate? (Y/N):		
If YES, if possible give details of investigating Police Officers		
Name: <input style="width: 100px; height: 40px;" type="text"/>	Name:	
Rank: <input style="width: 100px; height: 40px;" type="text"/>	Rank:	
No:	No:	
Stationed at: Perth	Stationed at:	
Commencement Date of Investigation (d/m/y): 13 01 92		
(iv) Outcome (if proceeding please state):		
NFA in respect of child. Continuing investigation in respect of adult.		
(v) Known Offenders [Give details of any adult person who has been convicted of any offence against children]		
Name: None known		
Current Living Address:		
Previous Offences:	Date:	Court:
Current Offence:	Date:	Court:

9. FIRST MEDICAL INVESTIGATION

First Medical Investigation? (Y/N): NO	
Dr (Name):	Dr (Name):
Address:	Address:
Tel No:	Tel No:
Date (d/m/y):	Date (d/m/y):
Comment in respect of any injury, nature and extent: (opinion to be provided by medical practitioner)	

10. SECOND MEDICAL INVESTIGATION

Specialist Medical Investigation? (Y/N): YES	
Dr (Name): McPhail	Dr (Name):
Address: Police Station Perth	Address:
Place of Examination: Police Headquarters, Barrack Street, Perth	
Date: 13 01 92	
Were X-rays or photographs taken? (Y/N): No	
If YES, by whom?:	
OUTCOME (indicate one of the following):	
Definite Medical Evidence of Abuse	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Diagnosis Uncertain	<input type="checkbox"/>
No Indication of Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/>

N.B Written medical comment on 'second stage' examination must be available.
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11. REFERRAL TO REPORTER

Referral to Reporter? (Y/N):	Yes
By Whom:	Police
Date:	
Place of Safety? (Y/N):	No
Outcome (if proceeding please state):	

12. SOCIAL WORK INVESTIGATION

(i) Date Investigation initiated (d/m/y): 13 01 92

Social Work Department Investigating Personnel

(1) Name: Mr Donald J MacKenzie	(2) Name:
Child & Family Resource Centre	
Office: 149/151 Dunkeld Road	Office:
PERTH	
Tel No: (0738) 43066	Tel No:

Investigation Co-ordinator

Name: Martin Donachy
 Senior Social Worker
 Office: 149/151 Dunkeld Road, Perth
 Tel No: (0738) 43066

(ii) Summary of Action and Outcome of Investigation including an assessment of child and family circumstances.

(a) If appropriate, nature and circumstances of injury and from whom.

(b) If not injury, nature and circumstances of abuse, neglect or risk and from whom including an assessment of risk to child.

[If Place of Safety implemented, include specific reasons and evidence for doing so. State crucial facts, giving dates, place and name(s) of witness(es). State whether facts can be corroborated by witness(es) or whether hearsay. If no specific incident, but general concern for the child(ren)'s safety, list reasons for concern clearly below.]

(Continuation sheets to be attached)

12.10 Following advice of referral, Donald MacKenzie, Geoff Pearce and Martin Donachy met to discuss referral.

12.45 Donald MacKenzie met [redacted] and agreed procedure for this investigation.

14.06 Telecon - Donald MacKenzie/Mr Collie

Mr Collie confirmed referral. Agreed Donald MacKenzie visit Mrs McLean and take her to school. Mr Collie suggested that he confirms referral with Yvonne in presence of Donald MacKenzie and Mrs McLean.

14.15 Donald MacKenzie met Mrs McLean @ 3b Menzies Court. She agreed to visit school with Donald MacKenzie. [redacted]

14.32 Donald MacKenzie and Mrs McLean in Northern District School with Mr Collie. Mr Collie called Yvonne to his office. She repeating that [redacted] had "done it with her". When asked to say what this meant she said that "he had sex with me". She also said that [redacted] had touched her. She gave details of how she came to be staying in [redacted] house. Donald MacKenzie advised Mr Collie that he wished to involve the police at this stage. Phoned [redacted] [redacted] proposed initiation of 'second stage' medical. Agreed that I take Yvonne and her mother to police station.

Upon returning to Mr Collie's room after calling [redacted] Mr Collie advised Donald MacKenzie that Yvonne had just stated that a man had done things to her. Mrs McLean indicated that she knew who this man was. Agreed that this be discussed further at police station.

15.00 Donald MacKenzie, Yvonne and Mrs McLean at Police Station.

Yvonne interviewed by [redacted] and Donald MacKenzie with Mrs McLean present. The circumstances as related by Yvonne were that:

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About two weeks ago, on the night that 'Jaws' was on TV, she left her home with Karen White (her half sister). The intention was that Yvonne would stay with Karen at her house at 34F Ainslie Place. After leaving the house Karen said they would go to the home of [redacted] Yvonne's parents, therefore, did not know that she had gone to this house.

After watching 'Jaws' on TV, Karen told Yvonne that they would stay overnight in [redacted] house. At approx, 10pm Yvonne went to bed. She was put into a room in which [redacted] was occupying another single bed. The lights were put out and the door closed.

As Yvonne was dozing she felt [redacted] lie on top of her. He had pyjamas on and she her nighty and pants. There is a question as to whether or not he was lying on top of the duvet covering Yvonne or under it. [redacted] told Yvonne that he "wanted sex" with her. She said "No". This seems to have gone on for a little while.

[redacted] then climbed off the bed and removed his pyjamas. He was then "naked". He pulled down the duvet. He then removed Yvonne's pants leaving her wearing a nighty. [redacted] then lay beside Yvonne on the bed and "put his finger in my flower". Yvonne then explained to the interviewers that by "flower" she meant her vagina. She also confirmed that [redacted] finger had penetrated her. Mrs McLean later advised the writer that the language used by Yvonne was that used by her (Mrs McLean) with Yvonne.

Yvonne went on to say that [redacted] then lay on top of her. He penetrated her vagina with his finger. He then "put his willie in my flower". Yvonne stated that [redacted] penis felt "hard and tickly".

Medical examination then carried out during which Yvonne discussed the man referred to in the earlier interview with Mr Collie. Social work staff were not involved in this part of the interview. It seems, however, that Yvonne said that a single man living in the flat above her family home babysat her on Friday evenings whilst her mother was at work and her father was playing dominoes. This man had done the same things to her that [redacted] had done. It seems too that Yvonne spoke of a large erect penis and of "sticky stuff" on her legs. Police and medical reports may refer further to this section of the interview.

By this time Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker, was in attendance at the police station.

Agreed that Donald MacKenzie and Martin Donachy accompany Yvonne and her mother home in order to discuss matter with Yvonne's father, and that further investigative work (interview with child alleged abuser and his mother and adult alleged abuser) be carried out on 14 01 92.

18.10 Return to 3B Menzies Court.

Mr Murphy very silent in his response to news of events. He did agree that Yvonne needed the support of her parents at this time. [redacted]

GENERAL/

GENERAL

[redacted]
[redacted] Chris lives at home whilst Stephen is living in Dunfermline
with [redacted] foster parents. [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

OUTCOME OF INVESTIGATION

Case Conference? (Y/N): YES

If N, please give reasons:

If Conference necessary, notify and/or invite the following within seven days:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Agency</u>
[Redacted]	WPC	Police
Dr McPhail	Police Surgeon	Police
Dr Watt	Family GP	Health
Rose Henderson	School Nurse	Health
Mr A Collie	Headteacher	Education
Dr R Gray	CMO	Health
Martin Donachy	Senior Social Worker	Social Work
Donald J MacKenzie	Social Worker	Social Work
Wendy Sethi	Service Manager	Social Work
Jessie Young	Senior Social Worker	Social Work
Geoff Pearce	Social Worker	Social Work

Social Work Department Investigating Personnel

(1) Signature:

[Redacted]

(2) Signature:

Designation:

Mr Donald J MacKenzie
Social Worker

Designation:

Date:

14 January 1992

Date:

Investigation Co-ordinator (signature):

Mr Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker

District/Service Manager (signature):

N.B If Case Conference not necessary, please send copy of investigation together with reasons to Principal Officer (Child Protection)

JAN. 21 1992

From: Dr A J Watt GP
Drumhar Health Centre
Perth

To:
Admin - Child Protection
Social Work Department
Colonsay Resource Centre
Colonsay Street
Perth

Child(ren) Yvonne McLean Date of Birth 10.03.82.

Address: 3b Menzies Court Fairfield Perth

Number of Contacts: None

Physical Health: Good

Emotional Problems: None Known

Adverse Factors: None Known To Her Parents.

Prognosis: MA

* Please note :- (1) Residency of is Mr J. J. Cunningham

(2) Formerly Factory' Rec. No. of Person
and was at factory at G. Creek of
Attendant B1.

I ~~will~~ will not be able to attend the Conference

Date: 17.1.92..... Signature:

N.B. Copies will be distributed to all members of a Case Conference or Review

copy

From: Dr R Gray CMO
Drumhar Health Centre
Perth

To: Mrs.
Admin - Child Protection
Social Work Department
Colonsay Resource Centre
Colonsay Street
Perth

Child(ren) Yvonne McLean Date of Birth 10.03.82.

Address: 3b Menzies Court Fairfield Perth

Number of Contacts:

I have known this child since school
entry - last seen in 9/91. - He ~~was~~ has ~~not~~
been present on any of the 7 occasions that I have seen her
Actually (he has wanted to attend) I do not
know where he is now with any of the family who
I have known over many years

Physical Health:

None I have met her
I have known her many years

Ⓞ eye - signs of poor vision
Has glue ear & attends SWT - her G.M.
Feel with my eyes a problem I am uncertain
about the present situation.

Emotional Problems:

Adverse Factors:

Prognosis:

I hope to be able

I will/will not be able to attend the Conference

Date: 20/1/92.....

Signature:

From: Mr A Collie Head Teacher
Northern District School
Perth

To:
Admin - Child Protection
Social Work Department
Colonsay Resource Centre
Colonsay Street
Perth

Child(ren) Yvonne McLean Date of Birth 10.03.82.

Address: 3b Menzies Court Fairfield Perth

Observations:

Yvonne often gives the impression of being in a trance. She would sit all day doing nothing.

When she does not (nearly every day) have a pencil, she just sits and waits for someone else to tell me. Every jotter is taken home but never returned to school.

She does not mix with the other children and is often in tears because she is being bullied. Yvonne has been known to tell some tall tales which means the other children ridicule her.

Yvonne is very easily upset. She is always anxious to talk with grown ups. She is obviously emotionally unstable at times.

I ~~will~~ will not be able to attend the Conference

Date:22...1...92..... Signature:

N.B. Copies will be distributed to all members of a Case Conference or Review

In my opinion Yvonne should be placed on the At Risk register.

AKR

APPENDIX B2: CASE CONFERENCE

1 MINUTE

(i)	Conference Type: INITIAL	Date: 24/01/92		
	Subject Child(ren):-	DoB:-		
	McLEAN: Yvonne Murphy	10/03/82		
(ii)	Chair: Mr A J Turnbull Office: Resource Centre 37-39 Colonsay Street Perth Tel No: (0738) 26940	SW District: Perth & Kinross Manager: Mrs B Bridgeford Office: Rosslyn House Perth Tel No: (0738) 21191		
(iii)	Participants Present			
	<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Report Submitted</u> (Y/N)
	Dr L McPhail	Police Surgeon	Div Police HQ Perth	N
	Dr D Protheroe	SCMO	Drumhar Health Centre Perth	N
	Mrs R Henderson	School Nurse	Drumhar Health Centre Perth	N
	Mr A Collie	Head Teacher	Northern District School Perth	Y
	Mr D MacKenzie	SW (Child Care Team)	Perth	Y
	Mr M Donachy	SSW (Child Care Team)	Perth	N
	Mr G Pearce	SW (Child Care Team)	Perth	N
(iv)	Absent/Unable to Attend			
	<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Report Submitted</u> (Y/N)
	Dr A J Watt	GP	Drumhar Health Centre Perth	Y
	Dr R Gray	CMO	Drumhar Health Centre Perth	Y
		Community Involvement Services	Perth	N
	Miss J Young	SSW (Child Care Team)	Perth	N

(v) Summary of discussion etc. (to be read in conjunction with all previous sections)

Mr Turnbull welcomed members and noted apologies. He explained that the meeting was convened in order to consider the referral of 13 January 1992 made by Mr Collie that Yvonne presented herself at his office and stated that [redacted] (no relation) had 'done it with me'.

Amendment to Appendix B1 page 1

Yvonne's other forename is MURPHY and not MURRAY as shown.

Concerns re Yvonne in the past

School

It was noted that since Yvonne started Northern District School staff have been aware of Yvonne being a girl who has not been particularly well looked after at home. It has been difficult throughout to get mother to comply with eye and hearing appointments. Yvonne sought a lot of attention from teachers and school nurse.

The siblings had severe behavioural difficulties in school.

Last summer Yvonne complained of low abdominal pain and was seen by Dr Gray who could not find anything physically wrong which demanded immediate attention. Mrs Henderson visited mum and advised her to take Yvonne to her GP.

Up until last week Yvonne had not said directly what was troubling her but there was a concern that things were not well at home.

Mr Collie added that Yvonne is very much a loner in school. He did not think Yvonne had ever been physically abused by either of the parents but she looks neglected.

Yvonne has never been a problem in the school behaviourwise and is well liked by staff.

Academically Yvonne is not fulfilling her potential at the moment.

Referral

As already noted Yvonne made the disclosure [redacted] to Mr Collie and the investigation began as detailed on Pages 7, 7a and 7b of the Appendix B1.

Following the initial allegation, Yvonne disclosed that a man had also done the same - Mr McLeod who lives in the flat above the family and baby-sits on Friday evenings.

Since then another man has also been mentioned [redacted]

Mr MacKenzie has spoken to Yvonne about Mr McLeod. What she is now saying is that he never actually touched her at any time but did expose himself.

[REDACTED]

These are allegations but police at this stage are not able to pursue the matter any further.

Concern was expressed that when the parents were interviewed they said there was no question that Yvonne [REDACTED] had slept in the same room.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Dr McPhail felt there was a reluctance by the family to believe Mr McLeod would do this. He last baby-sat on the Friday and the police saw Yvonne on the Monday. She was a bit vague about whether he did anything on the Friday.

Yvonne's story was that she thought this man altogether had interferred with her 20 times. She later said she thought it could be 5 times.

Medical - Yvonne

Yvonne had a normal opening in the hymen, 3 small tears in the hymen suggesting a finger was used. A penis has not been used.

Dr McPhail's conclusion is that something is happening to this girl by person(s) unknown. There has been penetration by a finger but not the number of times Yvonne is saying.

Mr MacKenzie felt that one other interpretation as well as the pressure from the family is that Yvonne's comments re McLeod may have been made to protect McIntosh.

[REDACTED]

Mr Donachy advised that there has been rumour around the community but nothing tangible - lots of girls going into the flat with stories of sweets and money being exchanged.

[REDACTED]

Mr Collie believed Yvonne was telling the truth [redacted]

Mr Collie expressed his concern about the number of times Yvonne had been interviewed re this allegation.

Mr Turnbull noted that there was no doubt that Yvonne has been sexually abused although the nature is not known. Clarification needs to be made with the police re outcome of their investigation.

Other children in the household

Mr MacKenzie advised that Yvonne's brother Stephen [redacted] is in the care [redacted] He has a very close bond with Yvonne. [redacted]

When McLeod is baby-sitting Stephen will be there.

REGISTRATION

It was agreed that Yvonne's name should be placed on the Child Protection Register - (Sexual Abuse - Certain).

At this point the parents, Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy, joined the meeting the purpose of which was explained to them as were the decisions taken.

It was stressed to the parents that at no time should Mr McLeod be baby-sitting or should Yvonne have any contact with him. The parents agreed and were also asked to give Yvonne special support at this time.

Regarding [redacted] the parents advised that lots of children go to his house where he gives them money and sweets. In fact, Yvonne and other children were at his house this morning.

It was stressed to the parents that Yvonne needs a clear message that she has not to go [redacted]

The importance of Yvonne wearing her glasses and attending any medical appointment she has were also stressed to the parents. The parents were advised that Yvonne should re-attend the enuretic clinic if felt necessary.

Mrs Henderson agreed to be the key worker for Yvonne given the nature of the allegations and the possible difficulties a male social worker might have addressing them. Donald McKenzie and Mrs Henderson will liaise in order to clarify roles.

(vi)

Recommendations and Agreed Tasks:Person/Agency Responsible:

- | | |
|--|-------------------------|
| 1 Yvonne's name to be placed on the Child Protection Register. | A Turnbull |
| 2 As Social Worker is male School Nurse to be Key Worker so that Yvonne can relate to a female. (Case to be managed by D McKenzie/J Young) | R Henderson |
| 3 If further counselling is seen to be needed that can be discussed. | R Henderson/D MacKenzie |
| 4 Criminal Injuries compensation for Yvonne to be considered. | D MacKenzie |

(vii) Should Child(ren) be referred to the Reporter? (Y/N): Y

If Y ... who will provide Report? Mr D MacKenzie Social Worker

If N ... state reasons why:

Is Child subject to Statutory Care Order? (Y/N): N

(viii) Was concern such that Child has been Registered? (Y/N): Y

Date of Registration (d/m/y): 24/01/92

2 AREA OF IDENTIFIED ABUSE (See Guidelines)

Area of Abuse [1] Sexual Abuse

Level of Certainty: Certain

Area of Abuse [2]
(Optional)

Level of Certainty:

3 IF OUTCOME DEREGISTRATION, REASONS

Please detail below:

N/A

4 OTHER DETAILS

(i) Dissent: None

(ii) Other: -

5 CORE WORKERS

Case Co-ordinator: Mr D MacKenzie

Keyworker: Mrs R Henderson

Office: 149 Dunkeld Road Perth

Office: Drumhar Health Centre Perth

Tel No: (0738) 43066

Tel No: (0738) 21181

Other Core Workers or Agencies involved in Case:

Agency Name or Worker
Name and Designation

Address

Tel No

Mr A Collie Head Teacher

Caledonian Road Primary School 24046

6 NEXT CONFERENCE

(i)	Date of Next Conference (d/m/y):	23/06/92 at 3.30 pm
(ii)	Details of any other agencies or individuals to be invited:	
(ii)	Minute prepared by	Mr A J Turnbull
	Signature:	<div style="border: 1px solid red; width: 200px; height: 30px;"></div>
	Designation:	Assistant Service Manager (Young People) AJT/JMC
	Date (d/m/y):	18 February 1992

CONFIDENTIALITY

The information in this document is confidential to you and must not be disclosed to any other person or agency without the written consent of the Case Conference Chairman.

NOTE TO ADDRESSEES

If you disagree with any aspect of this report you should contact the District Manager immediately in writing. If you agree with the content please return the acknowledgement below.

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Please do not write on this tear off slip

To: District Manager Social Work Department Rosslyn House Perth

I have received a copy of the Minute of the Case Conference held on 24 January 1992 regarding Yvonne McLEAN and agree with the content and recommendations.

Signature:

Date:

Distribution list:

Dr Watt/Gillingham
Dr McPhail
Dr Protheroe/Dr Gray
Mrs Henderson
Mr Collie

[redacted]
Mr MacKenzie/Mr Donachy

✓ Mr Pearce

Miss Young

Mrs B Bridgeford (District Manager)

Ms H Dempster (Principal Officer - Child Protection)

Senior Co-ordinator (Out-of-Hours Service)

Mrs Sethi

[redacted] (Admin)

1. SUBJECT CHILD

Unique No: 90010597	Date of Referral: 18 02 92
Surname: McLean	Alias:
Forename(s): Yvonne Murphy	Alias:
Sex (M/F): F	DoB (d/m/y): 10 03 82
Home Address (before removal to Care, Hospital or Place of Safety): 3b Menzies Court, Fairfield, Perth	
Current Address: (if different from above)	
Previous Addresses: 105 Hunter Crescent, Perth	

2. CHILD'S LIVING GROUP

MOTHER OR SUBSTITUTE	FATHER OR SUBSTITUTE
Surname: McLean Alias: Maiden Name: White Forename(s): Thomasina DoB (d/m/y):	Surname: Murphy Alias: Forename(s): Alexander Robertson DoB (d/m/y):
Relationship to Child: Natural Parent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Hab <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> If Relative or Other please specify	Relationship to Child: - Natural Parent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoptive Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Hab <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> If Relative or Other please specify

3. OTHER CHILDREN (state relationship to subject child if not full sibling and if non-resident or deceased)

Name	Sex	DoB	Relationship	Location
Christopher McLean			Brother	As above
Stephen McLean			Brother	Foster Carers, Dunfermline
Linda McLean			sister	
Karen White			sister	34f Ainslie Place Perth

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT ADULTS (including natural parents if not mentioned in 2)

Name	DoB	Address	Relationship to Child

5. CHILD PROTECTION REGISTER CHECK

Is/was child's name on Child Protection Register?:	Yes (since 24 01 92)
If YES, which names?	Yvonne Murphy McLean
Latest date of de-registration, if appropriate (d/m/y):	
Details of Social Work Department's Records Check:	
Child is an open case to Social Worker completing this form. <input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="text"/>	

AGENCY LINKS

(i) CHILD'S GP
Name: Dr Watt Address: Drumhar Health Centre Tel No: 21181
(ii) CHILD'S HEALTH VISITOR SCHOOL NURSE
Name: Rose Henderson Address: Drumhar Health Centre Tel No: 21181
(iii) CHILD'S SCHOOL/NURSERY/PLAYGROUP
Name: Northern District P.S. Address: Dunkeld Road, Perth Tel No: 24046

7. REFERRAL

Date of Referral (d/m/y):	18 02 92
Name of Referrer:	Mr A Collie
Agency:	Education
Address:	Northern District Primary School
Tel No:	24046
Details of Referral:	
<p>Yvonne presented herself at Mr Collie's office, as she had done on 13 01 92 when first disclosing sexual abuse.</p> <p>She told him that Mr MacLeod (nickname 'Nisha'), the same adult referred to in the Appendix B1 of 13 01 92 as an alleged perpetrator, had raped her four times in the course of the previous weekend. Mr Collie questioned Yvonne as to the details and then contacted </p>	
Specific Requests of Referrer:	
<p>That relevant agencies pursue the matter.</p>	
Further action, if any, Referrer proposes to take:	
<p>None at this stage.</p>	

8. POLICE INVESTIGATION OF THIS REFERRAL

(i) Were the police contacted regarding this incident? (Y/N): YES		
If YES, Name of Police Officer contacted: <input type="text"/>		
Rank: <input type="text"/>	No:	Division:
Office: Community Involvement, Perth	Tel No:	
Time Contacted:	Date Contacted: 18 02 92	
(ii) Please indicate any information given by the police on this family (particularly if they have any knowledge of previous offences or violence within family and/or Schedule I offences):		
None		
(iii) Did the police indicate that they would investigate? (Y/N): YES		
If YES, if possible give details of investigating Police Officers		
Name: <input type="text"/>	Name:	
Rank: <input type="text"/>	Rank:	
No:	No:	
Stationed at: Perth	Stationed at:	
Commencement Date of Investigation (d/m/y): 18 02 93		
(iv) Outcome (if proceeding please state):		
No further action		
(v) Known Offenders [Give details of any adult person who has been convicted of any offence against children]		
Name: None known		
Current Living Address:		
Previous Offences:	Date:	Court:
Current Offence:	Date:	Court:

9. FIRST MEDICAL INVESTIGATION

First Medical Investigation? (Y/N): NO	
Dr (Name):	Dr (Name):
Address:	Address:
Tel No:	Tel No:
Date (d/m/y):	Date (d/m/y):
Comment in respect of any injury, nature and extent: (opinion to be provided by medical practitioner)	

10. SECOND MEDICAL INVESTIGATION

Specialist Medical Investigation? (Y/N): NO	
Dr (Name):	Dr (Name):
Address:	Address:
Place of Examination:	
Date:	
Were X-rays or photographs taken? (Y/N):	
If YES, by whom?:	
<p>OUTCOME (indicate one of the following):</p> <p>Definite Medical Evidence of Abuse <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Diagnosis Uncertain <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>No Indication of Abuse <input type="checkbox"/></p>	

N B Written medical comment on 'second stage' examination must be available.
[Attach here but obtain permission before circulating to other systems.]

11. REFERRAL TO REPORTER

Referral to Reporter? (Y/N):	To be included in report requested by Reporter in connection with investigation on 13 01 92
By Whom:	
Date:	
Place of Safety? (Y/N):	
Outcome (if proceeding please state):	

12. SOCIAL WORK INVESTIGATION

(i) Date Investigation initiated (d/m/y):	18 02 92
<u>Social Work Department Investigating Personnel</u>	
(1) Name:	Donald J MacKenzie
	Social Worker
Office:	149/151 Dunkeld Road
	PERTH
Tel No:	43066
(2) Name:	
Office:	
Tel No:	
<u>Investigation Co-ordinator</u>	
Name:	Martin Donachy
	Senior Social Worker
Office:	149/151 Dunkeld Road
	Perth
Tel No:	43066

(ii) Summary of Action and Outcome of Investigation including an assessment of child and family circumstances.

(a) If appropriate, nature and circumstances of injury and from whom.

(b) If not injury, nature and circumstances of abuse, neglect or risk and from whom including an assessment of risk to child.

[If Place of Safety implemented, include specific reasons and evidence for doing so. State crucial facts, giving dates, place and name(s) of witness(es). State whether facts can be corroborated by witness(es) or whether hearsay. If no specific incident, but general concern for the child(ren)'s safety, list reasons for concern clearly below.]

(Continuation sheets to be attached)

09.44-

Telecon - [redacted] advising that Mr Collie had telephoned (see 7 above). Agreed [redacted] and Donald MacKenzie visit parents at home.

10.06-

Donald MacKenzie and [redacted] to family home. Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean both at home.

Mrs McLean repeating, as she had done previously to Donald MacKenzie, that since the allegation of 13 01 92 against Mr MacLeod, he, at the instruction of Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean and with his agreement, has at no time been alone with Yvonne. Mr Murphy and Mrs McLean able to recollect their movements during the preceding weekend and gave assurances that at no time could Yvonne have been alone with Mr MacLeod.

Both parents unable to explain why Yvonne was making allegations against Mr MacLeod if they were not true beyond suggesting that she was trying to 'cover up' visits she had made to the home [redacted] against the wishes of her parents. [redacted]

It appeared to [redacted] and Donald MacKenzie that the parents were giving an honest account.

10.36-

[redacted] and Donald MacKenzie returned to police station.

Agreed and arranged that [redacted] interviewed Yvonne with Rose Henderson (School Nurse), who was appointed key worker at the case conference on 24 01 92, at 15.00 on the same day (18 02 92).

19.02 92-

Donald MacKenzie discussed interview with [redacted] and with Rose Henderson. Both agreeing that Yvonne's recollections were so contradictory and unclear that they doubted her disclosure. [redacted] expressed the opinion that Yvonne may have made the/

the statement to Mr Collie in the knowledge that she would gain the attention of various adults. [redacted] did not seek to deny the serious concern that is aroused by Yvonne seeking to do this. Both referred to Yvonne claiming that rape had taken place either four, twenty or ten times. It seems that by 'rape' Yvonne meant sexual intercourse.

Both [redacted] and Rose Henderson agreed that it was unlikely that Yvonne had been subjected to sexual abuse during the preceding weekend. It was agreed not to seek a medical examination.

Rose Henderson and Donald MacKenzie discussed and agreed Rose's ongoing involvement as Key Worker. This to encompass visits to the parents to discuss child care matters such as being up to see Yvonne out to school, cleanliness, and need for appropriate winter clothing, and one to one meetings with Yvonne in school. These one to one meetings would be to assess Yvonne's position and circumstances in the home, and to promote discussion of past sexual abuse.

OUTCOME OF INVESTIGATION

Case Conference? (Y/N): NO

If N, please give reasons:

Investigation suggested that sexual abuse, as disclosed, had not in fact taken place. Concern that exists re this child has been addressed at a recent case conference. The recommendations of that conference are currently being effected. The Reporter is already involved also.

If Conference necessary, notify and/or invite the following within seven days:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Agency</u>
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Social Work Department Investigating Personnel

(1) Signature:

Mr. Donald Mackenzie

(2) Signature:

Designation: Social Worker

Designation:

Date: 21 February 1992.

Date:

Investigation Co-ordinator (signature):

District/Service Manager (signature):

Already (recently) placed on

C. P. Register and tasks from that conference in process of implementation

N.B If Case Conference not necessary, please send copy of investigation together with reasons to Principal Officer (Child Protection)

Tayside Regional Council - Social Work Department

CHILD PROTECTION INFORMATION

COMPUTER INPUT FORM
APPENDIX 01 - REFERRAL/INVESTIGATION

Please see instructions on reverse

Subject Child (Name in Full)

Unique No

Referral Date

Referral Source

PARE Parent
 SELF Subject Child
 COMM Other Family/Community
 EDUC School/Nursery
 FSOC Field Social Worker
 RSOC Res Social Worker
 SSOC School Social Worker
 FAMC Family Centre

SPCC RSSPCC
 POLI Police
 DOCT GP/Comm Doctor
 HVCM Health Vis/CommNurse
 HOSP Hospital
 TRAN Transfer In
 ANON Anonymous Caller
 OTHR Other

If Other, specify

Date Investigation Initiated

Investigating S. Worker (Code)

Area of Concern Raised by Referral

P Physical Abuse
 M Physical Neglect
 F Failure to Thrive
 E Emotional Abuse
 S Sexual Abuse

Child's Living Group

1 Both Natural Parents
 2 Natural Mother and Step-father
 3 Natural Mother and Co-hab
 4 Natural Father and Step-mother
 5 Natural Father and Co-hab
 6 Single Mother only
 7 Single Father only
 8 Adoptive Parents
 9 Foster Parents
 10 Relative(s)
 11 Children's Home
 12 Other

If Other, specify

DOB of Mother/Substitute

DOB of Father/Substitute

Child/Family Previously Known to Social Work Department? Y/M

Child Protection Register Check (Status)

C Currently on Register
 N Never previously on Register (as far as known)
 P Previously on Register, in Tayside
 O Previously on Register, outwith Tayside

Police Investigation of Referral? Y/M

Outcome of Police Investigation (latest)

NFA No Further Action
 PRO Proceeding
 REF Referral to Procurator Fiscal

First Medical Investigation of Child? Y/M

Second Medical Investigation? Y/M

Outcome of Second Medical Investigation

Y Definite Medical Evidence of Abuse
 U Diagnosis Uncertain
 N No Indication of Abuse

State of Child (by Area of Concern)

C1 Concern Only

P1 Head Injuries, Fractures, Internal Injuries, Severe Burns, Ingestion of Toxic Substances
 P2 Bruising to face, Burns and Scalds
 P3 Cuts, Bites and Bruising to Soft Tissue - limbs and body
 P4 Non-Therapeutic Administration of Drugs
 P5 No Visible Signs

N1 Undernutrition
 N2 Inadequate Cleansing, Clothing and Hygiene
 N3 Combination of two above
 N4 Left Unattended - Poor Supervision

F1 Failure to Thrive

E1 Emotional Abuse - unreasonable shouting at, criticism or blame
 E2 Emotional Deprivation - lack of loving care and stimulation

S1 Penetrative Sexual Contact
 S2 Touching of Genitals, Oral Sex
 S3 Touching of Body, Breasts, Kissing
 S4 Non-touching

Suspected Perpetrator of Abuse, or Cause of Concern (Relationship to Child)

1 Natural Father
 2 Natural Mother
 3 Step Father
 4 Step Mother
 5 Mother's Boyfriend
 6 Father's Girlfriend
 7 Adoptive Father
 8 Adoptive Mother
 9 Foster Father
 10 Foster Mother
 11 Sibling (Male)
 12 Sibling (Female)
 13 Other Relative (Male)
 14 Other Relative (Female)
 15 Professional Carer (M)
 16 Professional Carer (F)
 17 Known to Child/Family (Male Over 16)
 18 Known to Child/Family (Female Over 16)
 19 Known to Child/Family (Male 16 or Under)
 20 Known to Child/Family (Female 16 or Under)
 21 Stranger (Male)
 22 Stranger (Female)
 23 Multiple
 24 Not Known

2nd Suspected Perpetrator of Abuse (optional)

Perpetrator(s) Living with Victim at Time of Abuse or Concern?

Y Yes
 N No
 O One did, other did not
 U Not Known

Referral to Reporter? Y/M

Place of Safety Status? Y/M

Outcome of Investigation

NEV No Evidence of Abuse or Risk
 NOC In View of Circumstances No Conference
 CON Case Conference to Take Place
 TRA Transferred Outwith Region

McLean Family

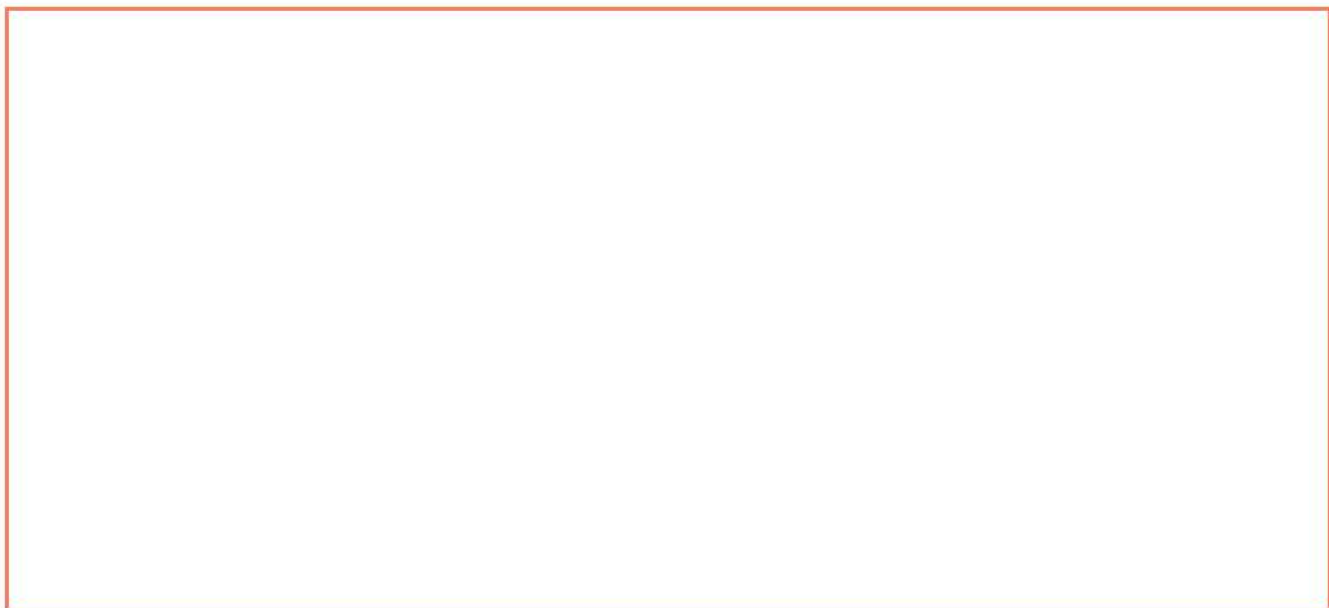
Present: Wendy Sethi, Service Manager
Donald MacKenzie, Social Worker
Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker

Wide range of discussion addressing future plans for assessment and work with Stephen and Yvonne. Following points were agreed -

(10.3.82)

1. Referral to Pole Park to be initiated M Donachy to make telephone contact and D MacKenzie to follow with formal written referral. The purpose of this referral would be for work and support in addressing the three following areas:
 1. Play; Yvonne needs to learn to play and needs to learn to be a child again. Exploration required of the appropriateness of engaging a play therapist.
 2. Disclosure work; this may be undertaken with M Donachy, SSW and a worker from Pole Park Centre. However, this obviously very much depends on whom Yvonne decides she wishes to work with. Particular consideration will have to be the gender issue.
 3. Assessment of future risk and the viability of rehabilitation.
2. Yvonne's placement at foster parents, Leuchars

Medium and long term future decisions with regard to Yvonne cannot take place until the work identified as required with Pole Park has been undertaken and an assessment made. It would certainly be premature to move Yvonne to join her brother Stephen in his placement under the Barnardoes Fostering Scheme. Therefore in the short term Yvonne is to be told that it is not planned for her to go to live with Stephen, and she would only have regular visiting contact with him. This means that her foster placement at Leuchars with Mr & Mrs Reid should continue.





Martin Donachy
Senior Social Worker

CASE REVIEWS - CHILDREN IN CARE

SOCIAL WORKER'S REPORT

Please include comments under the following headings:-

Pen picture of the child (including interests as well as physical and emotional attributes);

Summary of Work done since last Review (including frequency of visits);

Suitability of Placement (does it meet the child's needs? What are his views);

School Report (facts about attainment and potential. Also any behavioural or relationship difficulties);

Health (date of last medical and details of any treatment in addition to description of health);

Contact with natural parents / current home situation / parent's views re future);

Parental Contributions : Has parental assessment form been submitted to HQ ?

Social Worker's views re future action (indicating why any changes in direction has taken place since last review / initial assessment. Also indicate why particular goals are used and link with understanding of child's behaviour).

NAME	ADDRESS	D.O.B.
Yvonne Murphy McLean	c/o Reid, 10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife	10.03.82

DATE OF LAST REVIEW OR CASE CONFERENCE	15.05.92
DATE OF LAST MEDICAL INSPECTION	13.05.92
DATE OF LAST SCHOOL REPORT	19.06.92
DATE OF LAST FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT (Form F8)	14.05.92

Introduction

Yvonne was received into care under Section 37 (2) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968. After the case went for proof at the Sherrif Court, Yvonne was eventually made the subject of a Supervision Requirement under Section 44(1)(a) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 on 25.06.92. A condition of that requirement is that Yvonne resides in the home of Mr & Mrs Reid in Leuchars, Fife.

Summary of Work Done Since Last Review

The main focus of work since the last review has been on stabilising Yvonne's placement with Mr and Mrs Reid, on setting up and maintaining appropriate access arrangements and on formulating plans for ongoing work based on the assessment to date.

Immediately Yvonne's reception into care visits were made at least weekly. The writer continues to have contact with Yvonne on at least a fortnightly basis. In addition to this she has contact with family helpers from the Child and Family Team during access visits with her parents and with Stephen.

Suitability of Placement

At this moment in time the present placement does seem to meet all of Yvonne's needs. Yvonne has expressed the view that in the meantime she wishes to continue living with Mr and Mrs Reid in Leuchars. Mrs Reid is well aware that one of the central issues at this stage in Yvonne's case is that fact that Yvonne seems to have forgotten how to be a child and what play is all about. Mr and Mrs Reid and to a large extent their daughter [redacted] presenting appropriate role models to Yvonne in terms of illustrating that there are duties and responsibilities which are properly allocated to adults in the task of bringing up children. Yvonne albeit slowly is learning that there are things concerning day to day living that she as a child does not have to take responsibility for and that she can be what she is, a child.

School Report

Yvonne's reports from Leuchars Primary School commented that whilst behind in academic terms, particularly in Maths, Yvonne is working very well. The report shows that Yvonne is interested and attentive in all subjects and that her efforts are satisfactory. As well as commenting on her being behind at Maths, the report also highlighted that her handwriting was not at the level expected for her age.

Health

The date of the last medical is stated at the top of this report. At the present time arrangements are in hand for Yvonne to have both an eye and dental check up. In respect of the eye check up, this has been prompted by the fact that Yvonne's present spectacles are very badly scratched and she clearly needs a new pair. The writer has deemed it appropriate that an eye check should be conducted at the same time. Up to now it has always been difficult to persuade Yvonne to wear her glasses. Given the condition of the lenses, wearing them would not benefit her anyway. Hopefully once she has new glasses she will agree to wear them as instructed.

Enuresis is a difficulty for both Yvonne and Mrs Reid. Mrs Reid has taken steps to try and address this problem with the help and support of resource worker, Anne Innes. [redacted]
[redacted]

Date

Signature

Contact with Natural Family

An arrangement has been established whereby Yvonne's parents are taken to Leuchars to visit with her every second Wednesday afternoon. They spend time together in the company of the family helper. Yvonne also has access with her brother Stephen who is in foster care in Dunfermline. The arrangement to date has been that Yvonne was taken to Dunfermline every third weekend and spent from Friday to Monday there. Mrs Reid has some concerns regarding the effect this has on Yvonne's behaviour and whilst it is important for this contact to be maintained the precise arrangements may have to be restructured.

The current situation at home is that Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy are seeking a new tenancy away from the Fairfield area of Perth. At the recent Children's Hearing held in respect of Yvonne, Panel members added their support to Mrs McLean's and Mr Murphy's plan. This statement of support was made in the knowledge that the person named by Yvonne as her abuser lived in the flat immediately above the present home which made the job of protection somewhat difficult. The Children's Hearing along with myself have said to Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy that whilst the obtaining of a new home could indeed be an important step towards Yvonne's return home it is not the only issue for discussion. It is hoped that part of the future work will involve Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy joining with Social Work Staff to discuss issues of care and protection. It is envisaged that these discussions would encompass issues such as rules and structure in the home and how to implement these as well as an examination of what responsibilities should be taken on by adults and not left to children themselves.

Proposed Future Action

The later part of the paragraph above sets out some of what needs to happen in the future. This forms a constituent part of the plan that has been assembled i.e. an assessment of future risk and the viability of rehabilitation. This is one point in a three point plan. The other points are:-

Play - Yvonne needs to learn to play and needs to learn to be a child again. To this end discussions have been held with Pole Park FCC regarding the play therapist situated there becoming involved either in direct work or as a consultant.

Therapeutic Disclosure work - it is felt that Yvonne needs to be given the opportunity to discuss the abuse which has been perpetrated upon her. Again discussions with staff from Pole Park FCC are being undertaken to establish how this might be most appropriately done.

It is felt that all of the above has to take place before any long-term future decision can be made in respect of Yvonne. And because this work requires to be undertaken it is felt that it would be premature to consider a move to bring Yvonne and Stephen together in the same placement.

[Redacted box] [Redacted box]

21/07/92

CASE REVIEWS

Summary of Review Meeting and Recommendations for the Future

Date of Review 22 July 1992 in the Foster Home at Leuchars

Name	Present Address	D.O.B.
YVONNE McLEAN	c/o Reid 10 Aitken Place LEUCHAR, Fife	10.03.82 (10 Years 4 Months)

Section 44(1)(a) Named Place Order

Participants :

Mrs Reid, Foster Carer
Mrs McLean, Yvonne's Mother
Mr Murphy, Yvonne's father
Donald MacKenzie, Social Worker
Hilary Wright, Reviewing Officer

APOLOGIES were received from Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker who was Duty Senior.

Summary Discussion + Goals / Tasks for the Future (Goals to be listed separately)

NOTE - Reports for the review were not presented until the time of the review and a placement agreement meeting had been set up prior to the review but the Homefinder had not kept the appointment so a placement agreement still has to be made.

BACKGROUND

Yvonne was received into care on 13 May by a Place of Safety Warrant following a series of allegations of sexual abuse perpetrated against her and her parents failure to comply with instructions issued to her parents about protecting her. She was placed with Mrs Reid and has remained there since that time.

A Reception into Care Meeting was held on 15 May when the following tasks were identified .

Mr MacKenzie was to help Yvonne make an appropriate and informed decision about access. The possibility of access between Stephen and Yvonne was to be pursued [redacted] with whom Stephen is placed. Mr MacKenzie was to check Yvonne's clothing with Mrs Reid and arrange for a fostering payment to be made if necessary. Mrs Reid undertook to encourage Yvonne to wear her glasses and to liaise with Leuchars Primary School to arrange a routine Hearing check for Yvonne.

Yvonne's bike had been taken to her but it needed to be repaired. Mr MacKenzie undertook to get the equipment for this.

Yvonne's case was subsequently heard for proof by the Sheriff and the proof hearing found that there was a case to answer. Yvonne was subsequently placed on a Supervision Requirement Section 44(1)(a) Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 naming Mr and Mrs Reid as her place of residence. The Order was made on 25 June this year.

Yvonne is a slim child of average height. She is described as being old for her years, a demanding child who needs a lot of attention and who is tiring at times because of this. She thrives on adult attention and has to be actually pushed to go out and play. Her foster mother does not describe her as a normal 10 year old and her Social Worker feels that Yvonne feels the need to make decisions beyond what is normal for a 10 year old. For instance, Yvonne seems to feel she has the total responsibility for her own welfare, over her bedwetting for instance, about which she is very concerned and feels she has to find a solution. Her anxiety level about issues such as this is much higher than the Social Worker and foster mother would expect in a normal child.

She coped very well with the proof hearing and it was felt that she found it all a bit of adventure as she got a great deal of attention.

This is borne out by the fact that she needs to be with her foster mother all the time and talks all the time. Mrs Reid describes her as a child asking lots of questions to which she requires a Yes or No answer which is difficult as some of her questions are not amenable to Yes or No answers.

Mrs McLean says that Yvonne was like this at home, talking to herself a lot and not willing to go out to play very much. She apparently was being bullied and scapegoated at school in Perth as well as in the immediate neighbourhood of her home.

When Yvonne does go out to play and becomes absorbed she enjoys herself. She likes to go out on her bike and until she becomes absorbed goes in and out quite frequently needing a lot of reassurance.

Her relationships with her peers are difficult as she tends to make fun of children playing so they often will not play with her. She likes to be in charge and it was noted that before her coming into care she preferred to play with younger children with the exception of one friend of her own age.

Her behaviour it is felt reflects an underlying lack of confidence and insecurity and confusion.

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Signed

Signed

(Reviewing Consultant)

Date

6 August 1992

Feedback re Resources to Assistant Director (Field Work Services) via Area Field Work Manager.

HEALTH

Yvonne is described as a slim child of average height although she appears tall against the children in her class in Perth. She is sleeping alright and Mrs Reid has noticed no sign of nightmares. She eats everything she is given which is different from her experience at home where her mother described her as picky. She is not as slow at eating her meals as she was when she first came into care.

Her emotional health is of course a great concern to everybody but people are encouraged by the fact that she has told Mrs Reid what has happened to her, wanting reassurance that it wasn't her fault. She also apparently repeated her story to Mr Reid.

SCHOOL

Yvonne's school report indicates that she is working hard at school. Mr MacKenzie has informed the school of the intending plans for Yvonne and will communitate with them once school returns after the holidays.

ACCESS

Yvonne sees her mother and father on alternate weeks on a Wednesday at Leuchars. She also sees her brother once every three weeks at his foster home, although she was very disruptive according to her foster parent after the last visit to Stephen and Mrs Reid indicated that she felt Yvonne was not keen on going for the weekend again to Dunfermline. The siblings are close but perhaps do not require residential access. It was therefore decided that day visiting would be better but there were difficulties about transport which need to be worked out.

Yvonne has also indicated that she wants to see her niece and nephew, Gary and Tammy and it was hoped that they could go through to Leuchars with Yvonne's parents to see her. She doesn't want to see her oldest brother or sister.

Access with Yvonne to her parents is supervised. A decision was made that access to Stephen will be discussed with Stephen's foster parents and a decision made about day access and transport.

COUNSELLING

Recognising the need for good and active counselling in this situation a meeting has been held with Polepark Family Counselling Centre who believe that they can work with Yvonne and also with the family on assessing the risk to Yvonne, helping her to deal with the abuse and on helping her parents to protect her. The matter of whether a worker for Yvonne should be male or female has been discussed and it has been decided that direct work whould be done by a woman. Polepark are therefore going to identify a female worker to work with Yvonne, possibly the Play Therapist as she needs work on learning to play as well. If the Play Therapist cannot be involved she will be used on a consultative basis.

Polepark are also keen that the foster parents are involved and also want to meet both with foster parents and parents. A meeting is therefore to be arranged with all concerned soon and it is to be hoped that this programme will begin before school starts in August.

Mrs Reid has not previously been involved with polepark and it was pointed out to her that her involvement would be very important and she indicated that she understood what would be required of her and willing to undertake the task.

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PLACEMENT

In view of Yvonne and her brother both being in care discussion has taken place about whether they should be together at the moment. However, the Social Workers have decided that as Yvonne has issues about being in care to sort out as well as dealing with the abuse perpetrated on her, she needs her own space and therefore a separate placement at the moment. She is therefore to remain in this placement at this stage, at least until the end of the year.

The foster parents however are going on holiday in mid August for a week and Yvonne will need to go to an alternative placement during this time and a Hearing will need to be called in order to facilitate this. It is to be hoped that the Homefinders can identify a suitable placement quickly.

CONCLUSIONS

Yvonne has had some very difficult experiences. She is a child who is exhibiting many of the behaviour problems of children who have been inappropriately treated by adults and not protected by those who are responsible for her welfare.

Her future needs to be decided but decisions cannot be made until full assessment of her parents' ability to protect her and of the risk involved for her in returning home is made.

The tasks identified were therefore -

- 1 Details and meetings in respect of Polepark Family Counselling Centre's involvement are to be worked out.
- 2 Access with Stephen is to be discussed with his foster parents by Donald MacKenzie and day visits recommended with transport being worked out.
- 3 Yvonne is to have an eye test and needs new glasses.
- 4 Mr and Mrs Reid are going on holiday for a week in August and an alternative foster placement is to be found for that week and a Children's Hearing requested to authorise this temporary change.
- 5 It was felt that some of the assessment tasks needed to be completed by the time of the next review in order that Yvonne has some idea about where her future lies.
- 6 A placement agreement needs to be made timeously.
- 7 The next review will take place on 28 October 1992 at 10.00am in the foster home.

DISTRIBUTION LIST

Mr and Mrs Reid, Foster Carers

Donald MacKenzie, Social Worker, Dunkeld Road Resource Centre (with a copy to be gone over with Yvonne's parents)

Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker

Ann Innes, Resource Worker, Kirkton, Dundee

Wendy Sethi, Service Manager (Children and Families)

Betty Bridgeford, District Manager

Records, Rosslyn House

DMACK/JDN

16 January 1992

Mr A Murphy and Ms T MacLean
3b Menzies Court
Fairfield
PERTH

Dear Alec and Thomasina

This letter is to confirm that a child protection case conference will be held to discuss Yvonne and her circumstances on Friday, 24 January 1992 at Colonsay Resource Centre. You are asked to come to Colonsay for 1.30pm.

Invitations to the meeting are sent to your own doctor, the school doctor and nurse, Mr Collie (police), Dr MacEhail (who carried out the medical). I will be there as will Martin Donachy my senior. The meeting is chaired by Wendy Sethi, who is the Service Manager, Children and Families.

Yours sincerely

Mr Donald J MacKenzie
Social Worker



20 FEB 1992

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10 February 1992

Mrs T McLean & Mr A Murphy
3b Menzies Court
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Tel 0738 26940

Dear Mrs McLean and Mr Murphy

As you know, a Child Protection Conference was held on 24 January to discuss the referral made about concerns for Yvonne.

This Conference, attended by the various caring agencies, decided that Yvonne should be placed on the Child Protection Register.

The Child Protection Register assists the caring professions to work and plan together, with the family, in order that concerns can be understood and tackled in the best possible way.

Every case is reviewed within 6 months and the date for review of Yvonne is 23 June 1992 at 3.30 pm at the Resource Centre, 37/39 Colonsay Street, Perth. You should discuss with your social worker nearer the time about arrangements for attending this meeting.

It is hoped that through working together the risk can be reduced to allow Yvonne's name to be removed from the Child Protection Register.

If you have any queries please contact Mr A J Turnbull on (0738) 26940.

Yours sincerely



Assistant Service Manager
(Young People)

cc Mr D MacKenzie SW (Child Care)
Child Protection Admin



Memorandum

TO: MRS JOYCE THEWLIS, SENIOR SOCIAL WORKER
YOUNG PEOPLE'S TEAM, COLONSAY.

FROM: MR MARTIN DONACHY, SENIOR SOCIAL WORKER CHILD CARE 1
149/151 DUNKELD ROAD, PERTH

OUR REF: MD/JMCL

YOUR REF:

DATE: 18 MARCH 1992

SUBJECT: CASE TRANSFERS

Further to our recent telephone conversation and previous correspondence I am writing to you again to raise the matter of cases which require to transfer to the Young People's Team. Transfer of certain of these cases is becoming a matter of urgency.

2.


18 March 1992

Mrs Joyce Thewlis, Senior Social Worker, Young People's Team.




(c) X Yvonne McLean:

Younger sister of the above two.

Yvonne is only 10 years old and is currently on the Child Protection Register. 


 I would appreciate the opportunity to discuss it with you further.



 Please get in touch with me if you wish to discuss this matter further.

Thanks for your help in this matter.



26 MAR 1992

CS/RR

Date dictated: 23.03.92
Date received: 23.03.92
Date typed: 24.03.92

Child & Family Psychiatry
Dudhope House
15 Dudhope Terrace
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Phone: 0382-204004

Mr Donald McKenzie
Social Worker
Child Care Team
Dept. of Social Work
Dunkeld Road
PERTH.

Dear Mr McKenzie

RE: YVONNE McLEAN, dob 10.03.82.

Further to my telephone call to you yesterday, we discussed Yvonne in the Sexual Abuse Team meeting today.

We have arranged a case discussion on Yvonne on Tuesday, 28th April at 10.30 am in this department. You will notice that we have moved from Dundee Royal Infirmary to Dudhope House.

I enclose a preliminary information form, which I would be most grateful if you would complete and return to us in advance of the case discussion, so that we can be up to date regarding information about Yvonne.

Please feel free to invite any other professionals who are involved with Yvonne, who could contribute to the case discussion. I think it would probably be very helpful if Ms Henderson, Key Worker, could attend and, given the Child Protection implications of this case, you may feel that it would be helpful to have your Senior along to the meeting as well.

I hope these arrangements are satisfactory, and I shall look forward to seeing you on the 28th April.

Yours sincerely

DR CHRISTINE SMITH
Consultant Psychiatrist

Please find attached our "preliminary information" form following your request for a case discussion to be held on

Tuesday, 28th April at 10.30 am

Please complete the form and return it as soon as possible; this will help us to use the discussion time available more efficiently.

It is not necessary to give full identifying details of the family, as we can use the code number in the top right hand corner for later reference.



DJMacK/JMCL

08 May 1992

**Social Work
Department**

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Tel 0738 43066

Dear

CHRISTOPHER McLEAN [redacted] STEPHEN McLEAN [redacted]
and YVONNE McLEAN (10 03 82). HOME ADDRESS:
3B MENZIES COURT, FAIRFIELD, PERTH.

You will have already received notice, by telephone or other personal contact, of a network meeting involving staff from the various agencies who have ongoing contact with any or all of the children, or have had a working involvement in the past. This meeting has been convened by, and will be chaired by, Mrs Wendy Sethi, Service Manager, Children & Families.

A meeting was recently held with staff at the Child and Family Psychiatric Unit at Dudhope, Dundee. The focus of this discussion was Yvonne; in particular, how effective intervention could be provided in the light of evidence showing that she has been sexually abused. [redacted]

[redacted] What became apparent during discussion was the need for a network meeting of all involved in order to share information and examine jointly the circumstances of the children's lives: to look at why these children have become involved in the care system, what the concerns are, what the common factors might be, etc.

Given that this will be quite a large meeting in terms of numbers, Mrs Sethi felt it would be useful for each of us to bring to the meeting some thoughts in response to the above issues and your involvement in them.

The meeting will be held in the Child & Family Resource Centre, 149/151 Dunkeld Road, Perth, at 10.30am on Wednesday 13 May 1992. I look forward to seeing you then.

Yours sincerely

Donald J MacKenzie
Social Worker

Distribution List:

✓ Mr Collie, Head Teacher, Northern District School

✓ Mrs Rose Henderson, School Nurse, Drumhar

✓ Perth Police

Mrs Joyce Clark, Senior Residential Social Worker, Nimmo

✓ Mrs Cathie Bishop, Social Worker, Dunkeld Road

✓ Mrs Wendy Sethi, Service Manager Children & Families

✓ Mr Martin Donachy, Senior Social Worker, Dunkeld Road

✓ Mr Donald MacKenzie, Social Worker, Dunkeld Road

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AP Dr Gray, CMO, Drumhar Health Centre

Mr Rhod Napier, Senior Resource Worker, Colonsay

AP Miss Jessie Young, Senior Social Worker, Dunkeld Road.



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15 May 1992

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Dear Dr Jones

**CHILDREN IN CARE OF THIS AUTHORITY
CHANGE IN CIRCUMSTANCES**

Name YVONNE MURPHY McLEAN DOB 10.03.82
Address 3b Menzies Court, Fairfield, Perth
School Northern District School, Perth
Doctor Dr Dutton, Drumhar Health Centre, Perth

I wish to advise you of the following change(s) in circumstances in respect of the above child.

Yours faithfully,


Mr Donald J Mackenzie
Social Worker 

Received into/~~Discharged~~ from care on 13.05.92 and placed with
Mr & Mrs Reid, 10 Aitken Place, Leuchars, Fife

Transferred to _____ Date _____

New School Leuchars Primary School Date _____

New Family Doctor Dr Johnson, Leuchars Practice Date _____

Other Information _____



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14 May 1992

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Dear Dr Smith

Child Protection Registration
Yvonne McLean (10.03.82.) 3b Menzies Court Perth

A Network Meeting was held in the Social Work Department Dunkeld Road on 13 May 1992 regarding Yvonne McLean, which resulted in her being taken into care. The chairman decided that this meeting would also incorporate the Child Protection Review which was due to take place in June and the minute for this will be forwarded in due course.

Please note that the Child Protection Review scheduled to take place on 23 June 1992 is now cancelled and the next Review will take place on 12 November 1992 at 3.30 p.m. at the Resource Centre Colonsay Street.

Should you have any further queries, please contact Mr D McKenzie, Social Worker at 43066.

Yours sincerely

Copies to: ✓ Mr D McKenzie SW Dunkeld Rd
Mr M Donachy SSW Dunkeld Rd
Mrs W Sethi SM Rosslyn Hse
[redacted] - Admin

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W Sethi (Mrs)
Service Manager (Children & Families)

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17 June 1992

Mr A Murphy and Mrs T McLean
3b Menzies Court
Fairfield
PERTH

Dear Alec and Thomasina

ACCESS BY YVONNE AND STEPHEN TO YOU

I have arranged for Moira Ferguson (Family Helper) to take you to Leuchars next Wednesday, 24.06.92, for a visit to Yvonne.

Could you come to the office for 2.30pm.

I intend that this arrangement should continue every second week in the meantime, that is every second Wednesday.

If you have any problems about this please let me know.

I have made arrangements for everyone to meet at a "halfway house", i.e. the social work office in Kinross. Because of the arrangement for you to visit Yvonne every second Wednesday I thought it would be best if you were to meet with Stephen in the weeks in between. In other words, see Yvonne one week, and Stephen the next. Stephen has said that he would like both of you to attend these visits.

Because a Wednesday seems to suit you for visits to Yvonne, I propose that a Wednesday should also be the day to visit Stephen. So, one Wednesday you would visit Yvonne and the next Wednesday you would meet with Stephen. The first meeting with Stephen, therefore, would be on Wednesday, 1 July 1992. If you come to this office for 2.30pm then Moira Ferguson, Family Helper, will take you to Kinross.

This arrangement is subject to both Yvonne and Stephen agreeing to it, and to this department continuing to assess what access is felt to be in the best interests of both children.

Yours sincerely

Mr Donald J MacKenzie

cc. To) Donald McKenzie

18 JUN 1992



Memorandum

TO: Steve Mackay, Community Assessment & Review Officer
Colonsay Resource Centre

FROM: Wendy Sethi, Service Manager (Children & Families)

YOUR REF:

OUR REF: WS/IW

DATE: 16 June 1992

SUBJECT: YVONNE McLEAN

Thank you for sending me the Minute of the meeting held on 15. 5. 92 regarding Yvonne McLean.

There is no mention within the Minute that Yvonne is also on the Child Protection Register. You have mentioned the investigations but I think it is also important to note that she was placed on the Child Protection Register - check date with Dorothy and Jean.

The Child Protection Review Case Conference for Yvonne has been fixed for 3.30pm on Thursday 12 November. As it has now been agreed to combine In Care Reviews with Child Protection Reviews where children are in care, I would be grateful if you could liaise with Hilary Wright on this matter.

Thanks!





CG/WAM

21 July 1992

Martin Donnachy
Senior Social Worker
Social Work Department
Dunkeld Road
PERTH

**Social Work
Department**

Polepark Family
Counselling Centre
3 Fleuchar Street
Dundee
DD2 2LS

Tel 0382 642271

Dear martin

Thank you for referring Yvonne McLean to us. I enclose our standard referral form for you to let us have basic information. Please return it to us along with any case conference reports, social background reports or social information that is available and we will arrange a meeting as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely



Colleen Gibb
Depute Head

Enc



23/07/92.

POLEPARK FAMILY COUNSELLING CENTRE

Referral Information

<u>CHILDREN</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>CURRENT ADDRESS</u>	<u>IF NAME ON C.P. REGISTER STATE CATEGORY</u>
Yvonne McLean	10 03 82	c/o Reid 10 Aitken Place Leuchars Fife	Sexual Abuse (certain)

MOTHER/MOTHER FIGURE

Thomasina (Tam) McLean
3b Menzies Court, Perth.

FOSTER CARER

Eleanor Reid

FATHER/~~FATHER~~~~FIGURE~~/~~COMAD~~

Alex Murray
Menzies Court, Perth.

FOSTER CARER

Mike Reid

OTHER MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Christopher McLean

OTHER IMPORTANT PEOPLE FOR CHILDREN/FAMILY

1. Stephen McLean (brother) in foster care in Dunfermline.
2. Tammy & Gary McLean (Niece and Nephew)
3. Donald McLead (Nisha) (Named abuser)

ANY PREVIOUS CARERS

-

OTHER AGENCIES/WORKERS INVOLVED

hool - Leuchars Primary

DATE OF CASE CONFERENCE(S)

24 01 92

CHILD(REN) REFERRED TO REPORTER?

YES/~~NO~~

DATE: 27 02 92

GROUNDS OF REFERRAL

32(2)(b), (c) and (d)

PROOF HEARING?

YES/~~NO~~

DATE: 18 06 92

MAIN AREA OF DIFFICULTY IN THIS CASE?

Helping Yvonne's parents to develop their thinking so that they can work with concepts of child development, child care and child protection.

WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO IN THIS CASE?

1. Play: Yvonne needs to learn to play and needs to learn to be a child again.
2. Therapeutic Disclosure work: Yvonne needs the opportunity to put together her thoughts and feelings in a way that will allow her to make sense of the issues.
3. Assess the future risk and the viability of rehabilitation.

WHAT IS THE PLAN?

To establish a change agent system that will address the above three points in an efficient and effective manner.

HAS THE FAMILY BEEN INFORMED OF YOUR CONCERNS? YES/~~NO~~

HOW DOES THE FAMILY SEE THE PROBLEM?

Yvonne's parents cannot understand why she has said what she has.
 Yvonne knows that she is not believed.
 Parents acknowledge above, however, and see that Yvonne is very disturbed about something.

WHO ELSE HAVE YOU ASKED TO HELP IN THIS CASE? (State any previous services received by family)

Dr Christine Smith, Child and Family Psychiatry. One consultative meeting held.

REASON FOR REFERRAL NOW?

The demands of the case and the needs of Yvonne are such that the resources of Polepark FCC in terms of staff expertise, and the practice of working more intensively with clients than can be done by the referrer, offer the best opportunity for helpful intervention.

PLEASE INFORM FAMILY YOU HAVE ASKED US TO HELP? DONE

WORKER
 Donald J MacKenzie, Social Worker

MANAGER
 Martin Donachy, Senior

Dunkeld Road
 BASE Resource Centre

COLLEEN GIBB, DEPUTE HEAD, POLEPARK FCC,
3 FLEUCHARS STREET, DUNDEE.

DONALD MACKENZIE, SOCIAL WORKER,
149/151 DUNKELD ROAD, PERTH

DMacK/JMCL

23 JULY 1992

REFERRAL IN RESPECT OF YVONNE McLEAN

Following our discussions, please find enclosed a completed
referral form in respect of Yvonne.

I look forward to hearing from you with your thoughts and
suggestions regarding effective intervention.



Deirdrie Watson, Area Reporter
52 Kinnoull Street, Perth

Donald MacKenzie, Social Worker
Dunkeld Road Resource Worker, Perth

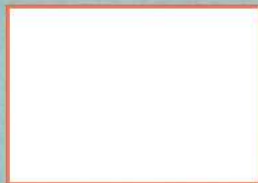
DJM/CD

20 July 1992

YVONNE McLEAN,
TEMPORARY CHANGE OF ADDRESS

I wish to advise you that between 14.08.92 and 22.08.92 I will have to make alternative care arrangements for Yvonne, who is the subject of a supervision requirement under S44 (1) (a) with a condition as to place of residence. Yvonne's carers, Mr & Mrs Reid, have made arrangements for a holiday between the above dates and are unable to accommodate Yvonne.

I would be grateful therefore if you would arrange a children's hearing so that panel members can be asked to add an additional condition. This to be to the effect that during the above period, Yvonne be required to reside at an address that I will provide at a hearing.



Janet Smith, SRW,
Dunkeld Road Resource Centre

Donald J MacKenzie, SW,
Dunkeld Road Resource Centre

DM/CD

16 July 1992

YVONNE McLEAN (10.03.82)
NEED FOR CARERS TO COVER HOLIDAY PERIOD

Yvonne's present carers, Eleanor and Mike Reid in Leuchars are to be on holiday from Saturday 15 August 1992 to Saturday 22 August 1991. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This puts us in the position of having to place Yvonne elsewhere for that particular week. This memo, therefore, constitutes a request for an alternative placement for the above period.

Just to be additionally awkward, could I remind you that I am on 3 weeks leave from 31 July 1992. I would be grateful if you could get back to me before then if possible.



DJMack/JMCL

11 February 1992

FIRST CLASS

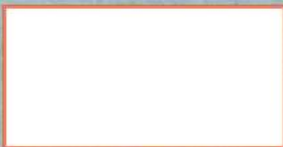
Mr A Murphy and Mrs T McLean
3B Menzies Court
Fairfield
PERTH

Dear Alec and Thomasina

I would like to meet you to discuss the care of Yvonne and to discuss the report that has been requested by the Reporter. As you know, Yvonne's name was recently placed on the Child Protection Register. At the Case Conference it was agreed that Rose Henderson, School Nurse, would be closely involved in working with Yvonne.

So that we can discuss all these issues I would ask you to come to this office at 12 noon on Friday 14 February 1992. If this is not suitable please let me know.

Yours sincerely



Donald J MacKenzie
Social Worker

DJMacK/JMCL

8 March 1992

Mrs T McLean
3b Menzies Court
Fairfield
PERTH

Dear Thomasina

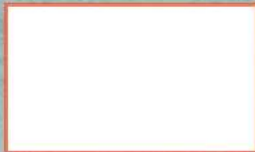
I have been digging out some information and have found out that Yvonne may be entitled to a payment under the Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme.

This is a Government scheme for paying compensation to people who have been the victim of a criminal offence. Although nobody has been charged for abusing Yvonne, it has been proved that she was abused by one or more people. In other words, she has been the victim of a serious criminal offence even though nobody has been charged.

This means that Yvonne may be eligible for a *cash* payment under the Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme.

So that we can talk about this, and fill in the necessary forms, could you come to see me, at this office, at 12 noon on Tuesday 17 March 1992. If this doesn't suit you please let me know.

Yours sincerely,



Donald J MacKenzie
Social Worker

MS DEIRDRE WATSON, AREA REPORTER
52 KINNOULL STREET, PERTH

MR DONALD J MacKENZIE, SOCIAL WORKER
149/151 DUNKELD ROAD, PERTH

DJMack/JMCL

12 MARCH 1992

YVONNE MORPHY McLEAN, (10 03 92)

I refer to my telecon of 11 03 92 and confirm that Yvonne made further allegations of sexual abuse to her head teacher, Mr Collie.

The matter was investigated by [redacted] and Rose Henderson (School Nurse) appointed key worker by the recent Child Protection Case Conference). The result of this was no further action by the police. The opinion of the investigators was that there was doubt as to whether abuse had taken place as described by Yvonne. Both investigators felt, however, that Yvonne is greatly disturbed by life circumstances, a part of which is past sexual abuse and these disclosures are a means of communicating.

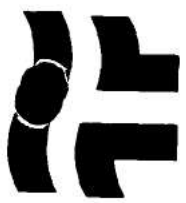
I confirm, too, that you will ask me for an updated report in respect of this matter.

[redacted]

Donald McKenzie
14a, Dumbell Road
Perth.

29.6.1992
URGENT.

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Tayside
Regional Council

21 JUL 1992

With Compliments

**Social Work
Department**

h. Baird Karwan

Tayside House
Crichton Street
Dundee
DD1 3RN

Tel 0382 23281



Rowan Alba
Association

10b James Street, Perth, PH2 8LZ
Tel/Fax: 01738 451186

Dear Ray,

I hope Rowan-Alba can be a
constructive time in Yvonne's life, and I am
happy to welcome her.

I am not entirely satisfied with the only place available for her but I
hope we can overcome any difficulties.

Regards



With Compliments

Copy by
Ray.

April 12, 1999

Dear Yvonne:

Thank you for your referral, and for giving me the opportunity to meet with you and Ray.

Having met you, I am happy to offer you a place within the Rowan Alba scheme.

Please feel free to contact me as soon as possible and we will make arrangements for your moving in day to Coll Place.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours

Sincerely,

IW/JT

07 May 1999

Perth & Kinross Council
Social Work Services
Colonsay Resource Centre
37-39 Colonsay Street
PERTH PH1 3TU

Tel 01738 626940
Fax 01738 440765

COPY

Yvonne McLean
28 Coll Place
North Muirton
PERTH

Dear Yvonne

A quick note to say I will see you on Thursday 13 May around 5pm. I will remember to bring the cheese.

Take care. See you Thursday.

Yours sincerely

Irene Wilson
Social Care Officer



PERTH &
KINROSS
COUNCIL

Social Work

Fax Message

To JAN STEWART

From Ray McGILLIVRAY

Tel No (01738) 626940

Fax No 451186

Fax No (01738) 440765

Page(s) including this one 7

Date 9.4.99

Colonsay Resource Centre 37 - 39 Colonsay Street North Muirton Perth
PH1 3TU

Message

Jan, Very many thank for giving the
time to see you on yesterday.

I enclose the referral which I trust
you will find in order.

I shall give you a call in 5 min
to confirm receipt of same -

Have a good week end!

Raymond -





Rowan Alba Association

REFERRAL FORM FOR WOMENS SCHEME

All information in this form will be used in contributing to the assessment of individuals applying for accommodation, and will be treated in the strictest of confidence.

1.0. APPLICANT'S PERSONAL DETAILS

Surname McLean.....

First Name..... Yvonne.....

Address..... c/o Greyfriars Hostel
PERTH
.....

D.O.B 10.03.82.....

2.0. REFERRING ORGANISATION

Name of person making referral ... Ray McGillivray.....

Organisation..... Joint Social Work Services and Housing Perth & Kinross

Contact Address..... Greyfriars House
..... Princes Street PERTH.....

Telephone number.....

3.0. HOUSING HISTORY

Please give full details of applicant's housing over the past five years, listing addresses, names of landlords, reasons for leaving etc. Please start with where the applicant is currently staying.

DATES	ADDRESS AND NATURE OF HOUSING	REASONS FOR MOVING
Present	Greyfriars Homeless Hostel. Perth	
	McDonald Court. Perth	

4.0. Why does the applicant want/need to move from their address?

Yvonne not ready to move to independent accommodation...Present.....
situation at Grefriars is not conducive to Yvonne 'moving on'.....
.....

4.1. Has the applicant applied for rehousing with any other organisation?

-
.....

4.2. If yes, how soon is the applicant likely to be rehoused?

-
.....

5.0. DETAILS OF INVOLVEMENT WITH SOCIAL WORK

5.1. Name of Social Worker (if any)

Self - Ray McGillivray.....

Address..... c/o Grefriars Hostel. Princes Street. Perth

.....

Telephone number.....

5.2 How long has the applicant been involved with Social Services?

..... Since 13 January 1992

5.3. What has been the reason for this involvement?

..... Child Protection Issues

6.0. HEALTH

6.1 Does the applicant experience any health or mobility problems?

..... Breathlessness during exersion - poor diet

6.2. Please give details of any medication currently being taken by the applicant.

..... None aware of.

6.3. Does the applicant experience problems in relation to alcohol? Has she ever sought help for these problems?

..... No

6.4. Does the applicant experience any mental health problems?

..... Not diagnosed

7.0. GENERAL

7.1. Is the applicant currently receiving support /services from other groups/organisations? If yes, please list type, source and frequency of support.

..... No

7.2. Will the above support services continue if the applicant is accepted by Rowan Alba Association?

Yes

7.3. Does the applicant receive support from family, partner, or any other source?

Minimal - to be encouraged.

7.4. Is the applicant employed? If no, is she in receipt of or entitled to state benefits? Can the ability to pay for accommodation be demonstrated?

Not employed - at full time college/training

7.5. Has the applicant ever been convicted of a crime? If yes, please give details.

No

7.6 Has the applicant ever been convicted of arson?

No

7.7 Has the applicant been advised of the nature of the accommodation and support that Rowan Alba may be able to offer?

Yes - fully advised.

8.0. OTHER COMMENTS

Please make any other comments that you consider may be helpful, such as background circumstances, specific housing requirements and details of support needs. In particular, an indication of how well the applicant would be suited to shared accommodation would be very useful.

See attached sheet.

Yvonne was accommodated by Social Work Services for 5 years. This followed a breakdown of the home situation and incidents of sexual abuse by a family friend. Her difficulties in placement included attention seeking behaviour and issues around her poor self of sense and identity.

Yvonne returned home to the care of her mother and stepfather when she was 15 years of age and although this was a fairly successful reconciliation her mother decided to move down south when Yvonne was 16 and it was necessary for Yvonne to join her. Unfortunately this move did not work out, Yvonne's relationship with her stepfather was poor, and there was no extended family network.

While on a visit to relatives in Perth Yvonne's mother left Yvonne in the care of an aunt and following an allegation by Yvonne of inappropriate touching by her uncle Yvonne was asked to leave.

Yvonne is a very vulnerable young woman who may require extra support in settling within an established group.

COMPLETED BY

[Redacted Signature Box]

.....(SIGNATURE)

R. J. MCGILLIVRAY

.....(PRINT)

DATE

09.04.99

.....

Lay.



ROWAN ALBA ASSOCIATION

10B JAMES STREET, PERTH.

TEL/FAX 01738 451186

Reg. No. 2530R(S)

24 MAR 1999

93-3-99

Dear: Colonsay Team.

There will be spaces available at Rowan Alba by 28th March and I am currently seeking referrals.

Short assured tenancies are provided for a 6 month period, then if appropriate, on a monthly basis to a maximum of 18 months. Sonas is for single women with no dependants.

I can be contacted at the above number, either for more information, or to start the referral process.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours

Sincerely,



*** ACTIVITY REPORT ***

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CONTACTS

SUMMARY AND ACTION

Date, Type, Name of Contact and Reason for Contact

Client's Name: Yvonne McLean

DOB:

URN: 90010597

4.4.99 RM/JT	Yvonne seeking access to Greyfriars. Spoke with her and confirmed she is unable to return home. [redacted] improper sexual touching allegation from Yvonne [redacted]
8.4.99 RM/JT	Visit Jan with Yvonne. Good interview – Place available.
9.4.99 RM/JT	Faxed info for Rowan Alba. Application form – see copy.
19.4.99 RM/JT	Assisted by Jan (all monies to Greyfriars paid) + £11.65 in advance to Jan.
20.4.99 RM/JT	Spoke with Yvonne. All ok appears to have settled.
21.4.99 Tc for Jan RM/JT	Who spoke with [redacted] PERKIN COLLEGE along with Yvonne. All appears ok although Jan didn't take Yvonne's from her as it wouldn't leave her enough. I thought she would have. Spoke with Irene who will make contact with Yvonne and network with Jan (1x week for 2 months).
23.4.99 Tc from Jan RM/JT	Concern expressed from residents in Yvonne's house. Follows them around – spooked – “they called me Mrs Peppercorn at Greyfriars – because when I got angry I threw pots and pans around. Informed Jan that this was not the case – Yvonne required to be talked to. She will call at house today at 2pm. Will ask Irene if she can attend.
Later	[redacted] Jan will call on her own.
23.4.99 IW/JT	Phoned Jan Stewart (Rowan Alba) – left message.
26.4.99 IW/JT	Tc from Jan Stewart (Rowan Alba). Have arranged to meet Jan and Yvonne tomorrow at James Street (Tues). Will discuss tomorrow different roles.
27.4.99 RM/JT	Tc from Jan. Yvonne not returned for 2x nights. Missed College. Found her at friend's house – advised her re meeting later. She thought it was at 12.00. Advised Jan and gave her Yvonne's mobile number. Yvonne presented as dejected and untidy – strong smell of dope in house – unclean condition.
27.4.99 IW/JT	Went to Rowan Alba as arranged. Yvonne did not turn up. Jan Stewart (Rowan Alba) spoke to Yvonne on the telephone. Jan arranged with Yvonne to meet her today (Wednesday) at College. Have arranged to go along with Jan to see Yvonne.

Date, Type, Name of Contact and Reason for Contact

Client's Name: Yvonne McLean

29.4.99 IW/JT	Met Yvonne along with Jan Stewart at College as had previously been arranged. Yvonne looking well. She had returned to Coll Place the previous evening and stayed o/n. Have arranged to see Yvonne on Thursday 6 May at Coll Place for a visit. It was agreed between Jan, Yvonne and myself it will be short term input from myself as Jan has her own support and programme set up.
6.5.99 IW/JT	Phoned Jan Stewart for an update on Yvonne. She is doing fine. Returning to Coll Place in the evening and attending College regularly.
6.5.99 IW/JT	Visited Yvonne this evening. She appears to be quite happy where she is staying. Has a pretty active life. Spent quite a lot of time chatting about her past. Have arranged to see Yvonne next Thursday 13 May and we are going to be cooking tea. Have written to Yvonne to give her a quick reminder about above date.
7.5.99 IW/JT	Phoned Jan Stewart to give her an update on my visit to Yvonne.
14.5.99 IW/JT	Visited Yvonne this evening. We made tea (macaroni cheese). Yvonne appeared to be quite pleased to have company. Arranged to see Yvonne on Thursday 20 May. Meeting 20 th cancelled.
21.5.99 IW/JT	Met Yvonne from College today. Went back to Coll Place. Yvonne appears to be doing ok. No major issues at present. Arranged to see Yvonne on Thursday 27.
3.6.99 IW/JT	Tc from Jan Stewart (Rowan Alba) expressing concerns about Yvonne. She has no food, money and hasn't been staying at Coll Place. Not attending College either. Went round to Coll Place to see Yvonne. She wasn't in. Contacted Jan. Have arranged a meeting for Tuesday 8 June with Jan, myself and Yvonne. I have arranged to see Yvonne on Friday 4 at 2pm.
4.6.99 IW/JT	Met Yvonne this afternoon at Coll Place. She is looking well. Has been accepted for the College course on Beauty Care. Had an interview for a position as a Clerical Worker at the George Lane. She is waiting to hear the outcome. Advised Yvonne to stay at Coll Place as the alternative would be Greyfriars. Yvonne certainly not keen on returning there. Her mum is up from England for the w/e.
9.6.99 IW/JT	6 weeks review held today at Coll Place. Issues raised – Budgeting cooking, shopping, College, staying at Coll Place.
9.6.99 IW/JT	Yvonne would like assistance with regards to shopping. This was agreed that I would assist Yvonne with this on a Monday once she has her money.

CONTACTS

SUMMARY AND ACTION

**Date, Type, Name of
Contact and Reason
for Contact**

Client's Name: Yvonne McLean

DOB:

URN:

11.6.99 IW/LW	Notes at Colonsay for typing.
14.6.99 IW/LW	Didn't meet Yvonne as arranged as she wasn't at college.
16.6.99 IW/LW	Have written to Yvonne to arrange to meet her on Monday 21 st to go shopping.
17.6.99 IW/LW	<p>Phone call from Yvonne saying she couldn't get into the house at Coll Place as it had been double locked. Yvonne was phoning from her aunt's house.</p> <p>Yvonne claiming she isn't very happy staying there (Coll Place) as the other 2 residents are smoking dope and are having boyfriends around. Yvonne saying she had spoken to Helen (the woman who is in charge) whilst Jan is on holiday about what is happening at Coll Place.</p> <p>Took Yvonne round to Coll Place to see if she could get in. Yvonne managed to get into the house.</p> <p>Contacted Helen (Edinburgh office) to let her know what Yvonne is saying. Helen will be in Perth on Friday all day 18th will speak to her then.</p>
21.6.99 IW/LW	<p>Phone call from Yvonne this morning to say that her food from her cupboard and freezer had been used over the weekend.</p> <p>Arranged to see Yvonne this morning to go shopping.</p> <p>Met Yvonne this morning. She has been staying with her aunt Jeanette. Yvonne is unhappy staying at Coll Place.</p> <p>Took Yvonne shopping. Took all her shopping back to her aunt's house. Have advised Yvonne to get in touch with Jan Stewart on Jan's return from holiday tomorrow.</p> <p>Have arranged to see Yvonne on Friday.</p>

Date, Type, Name of
Contact and Reason
for Contact

Client's Name: Yvonne McLean

DOB:

URN:

22.6.99 IW/LW	Phoned Jan Stewart. Gave her an update on Yvonne's situation. Jan will be speaking with her manager re situation at Coll Place and will let me know what decision they have made.
24.6.99 IW/LW	Phone call today to Ray McGillivray from Yvonne's aunt Jeanette. Auntie saying that Yvonne is not happy with having me (Irene) as her worker. It was explained to her auntie that I wasn't a Social Worker and did not need to be involved with Yvonne. It was to benefit Yvonne on a time limited basis to enable and support Yvonne in helping her to settled into Coll Place. Auntie's reaction was one of surprise when told what my role was with regards to Yvonne.
25.6.99 IW/LW	Spoke with Jan Stewart and gave her an update as to what had been said by Yvonne's auntie. Jan unaware of this. Told Jan that I would be withdrawing. Jan ok with this. Have arranged to see Yvonne today and will explain to her why I am on holiday.
8.7.99 IW/LW	Phone call from Yvonne's auntie Jeanette, saying she hadn't seen Yvonne since Sunday and was wondering if she was alright. Told her I would check this out for her. Spoke with Jan Stewart (Rowan Alba) to let her know that auntie Jeanette had contacted me. Jan checked out as to whether <i>SAW CHECKED OUT AS TO WHETHER YVONNE'S WHEREABOUTS.</i>

IW/LC

sent 6th Nov

3 November 2000



Social Work Services

Perth & Kinross Council
Education and Children's Services
Colonsay Resource Centre
37-39 Colonsay Street
PERTH PH1 3TU

Tel 01738 626940
Fax 01738 440765

Income Support Department
Benefits Agency
Mill Street
Perth
PH1 5HZ

To Whom it May Concern

I understand you have received a claim for income support from Yvonne McLean, 35 Grampian Court, Perth. Yvonne is presently attending Perth College. She is a young person who has been estranged from her family for a number of years.

Due to the circumstances surrounding the family, Yvonne needs to live independently, therefore needs to support herself financially.

If you require further information with regards to this claim, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above number.

Yours faithfully



Irene Wilson
Social Care Officer

IW/LW

Perth & Kinross Council
Education & Children's Services
Colonsay Resource Centre
37-39 Colonsay Street
PERTH PH1 3TU

6 November 2000

Tel 01738 626940
Fax 01738 440765

Miss Yvonne McLean
35 Grampian Court
PERTH

Dear Yvonne

Please find a copy of the letter which I have sent to Income Support.

Yours sincerely

Irene Wilson
Social Care Officer

COPY

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Note for worker please make this statement when speaking to Young People
"This information will not be passed out to anybody else without your consent"

March 03 -

SELF-REFERRAL FORM

SURNAME McLean McLean McLEAN	GENDER <input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F
FIRST NAMES Yvonne	DOB 10.3.82
ADDRESS(ES) c/o GRAMMIE 70 LASKY CT. 20 MEDZIES COURT, LEONARD	(2) [Redacted] <i>St Anne's with</i>
[Redacted]	Yvonne - 0793332171 (Nov 03)
TYPE (eg foster, residential school, family home etc) Living with her sister and 3 children	
TELEPHONE [Redacted]	[Redacted]
EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS	
LINDA (Lammie) - SISTER [Redacted] - from 21/11/01	mobile [Redacted] s/02
LOOKED AFTER/PREVIOUSLY LOOKED AFTER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	
WORKER DETAILS (if relevant)	
NAME Irene Wilson (life Skills) Anne Wood (previous Worker) [Redacted]	
.....TEL..... 626940	

Bedshire Housing

[Redacted]

SELF-REFERRAL FORM contd.

CURRENT SITUATION. Yvonne seen by duty worker. Yvoone has been accepted to go to college at the end of August to do a clerical course. Initially, wanted help with filling in a bursery form which the project helped her with.
She picked up info about the project and said she would come in for the drop in Tues.

ANY ACTION AGREED

Yvonne to be allocated a worker

HOW DID YOUNG PERSON HEAR OF THE PROJECT?

Through the careers service

TYPE OF CONTACT (eg phone, home visit, office visit)

Office Visit

WORKERS NAME...Sarah..... DATE

15.6.00.....



Housing &
Community Care

Housing & Community Care
Director Dave Roberts

Miss Yvonne McLean
1f Menzies Court
Fairfield
Perth

Homeless Advice Centre
68-86 Scott Street, Perth, PH2 8JW
Tel 01738 Fax 01738

Contact Hazel McDonald Ext
Direct Dial (01738)

E-mail

Our ref */HM

Your ref

Date 12 January 2005

Dear Miss McLean

Housing (Scotland) Act 2001 - Homeless Persons Notification of Decision

I refer to your application for re-housing in accordance with the above legislation submitted on 10 November 2004. Based on the information provided by you and further enquiries, Perth & Kinross Council has reached the following decision:

- a) You cannot be considered as being threatened with homelessness as defined in Section 24(4) of the above Act.

This decision has been reached on the basis that you have secure accommodation at the above address and there is no immediate threat to you to leave. The Housing (Scotland) Act- Section 24(4) clearly states "a person is threatened with homelessness if it is likely that they will become homeless within two months".

In these circumstances Perth & Kinross Council is under no statutory obligation to provide alternative accommodation for you.

If you do not agree with this decision you are entitled to submit a written appeal to the Allocations & Homeless Manager at the above address. Any such appeal should be received within twenty-one days of receipt of this letter and should clearly outline the grounds on which you consider this decision unreasonable.

I am sorry if this is a disappointment to you.

Yours sincerely

Susan Nicoll
Senior Homeless Persons Officer

Office Use Only	
Enrolment received	_____
Student ID No:	_____

FE Student Enrolment Form - Session 2003-2004

Please complete all relevant sections of this enrolment form carefully in **black ink** and in **block capitals**. If you have any problems completing the form, please ask a member of college staff who will assist you. Please tick (✓) where appropriate. Once you have completed the form, please ensure that you have checked all details carefully, read the declaration on page 3 and signed the relevant section.

1. Enrolment Details (Please note that this form cannot be processed unless the following course information is complete)

Course Code	Year of Course	Course Title
_____	_____	_____
Campus Site	Faculty/Unit	Student Start Date (eg 10 Apr 02)
_____	_____	_____

2. Personal Details

X Surname/Family Name(s) MCLEAN First/Forename(s) YVONNE MURPHY

Preferred Name YVONNE Previous/Maiden Name N/A

Title MISS Male (M) / Female (F) Date of Birth 10th MARCH 1982

(eg Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr/Prof/Rev) (eg 27 April 1971)

3. Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA) Registration Details

If you do not supply your Scottish Candidate Number (SCN, formerly SCOTVEC/SQA number) you may be issued with a new number which would not show on future Certificates any achievements gained under your other number.

Please enter your SCN Not Known Not Registered

4. Address Details

X Permanent Home Address Address Line 1 <u>1F MENZIES COURT</u> Address Line 2 <u>FAIRFIELD AVENUE</u> Town <u>PERTH</u> Postcode (UK only) <u>PH1 2TD</u> Country (if not UK) _____ No. of years resident in the UK <input type="text" value="2"/> <input type="text" value="2"/> Home Phone number (including STD/area code) <u>N/A</u> Mobile Phone Number <u>07748672546</u> E-mail Address _____	Term Time Address (only if different from 'Home Address') Address Line 1 _____ Address Line 2 _____ Town _____ Postcode _____ Phone number (including STD/area code) _____ Car Registration No _____
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Emergency Contact

X Emergency Contact Name LINDA MCLEAN

Relationship to You SISTER

Emergency Address (Only if different from home address) 7D LESLIE COURT

Address Line 2 FAIRFIELD

Town PERTH

Postcode (UK only) PH1 2TD

Emergency Phone Number (including STD/area code)

Emergency Mobile Phone No.

Employer/Sponsor Details

Name of Employer/Sponsor _____

Address Line 1 _____

Address Line 2 _____

Town _____

Postcode (UK only) _____

Country (if not UK) _____

Phone number (including STD/area code) _____

Employer Rating (please tick)

13 Funding/Employment Status Details (Please tick appropriate box for your Employment Status immediately prior to starting this course)

Education (School/HE/FE/Other)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Part-time Permanent Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unemployed – not officially registered	<input type="checkbox"/>
Full-time Permanent Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Part-time Temporary Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unemployed – officially registered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Full-time Temporary Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Skillseeker/Training for Work	<input type="checkbox"/>	Months Unemployed	<input type="checkbox"/>

14 Marketing (To assist Marketing it would be helpful if you let us know how you heard about your course.) (see code list 5)

Please select the appropriate code from Code List 5 and enter it here. Other _____

Please use appropriate code to indicate the 4 most common sources which prompted you to contact Perth College.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>

I would like to be kept informed of future courses and services which may be of interest to me.

15 Student Declaration

Personal Data The information you have supplied will be treated in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 and will only be processed where we are obliged to do so by Law, for statistical reporting, eg Funding Councils (and to Awarding Bodies for Certification Purposes).

Liability for Payment of Fees I acknowledge that I am personally liable to Perth College for payment of tuition fees. In the event of any fee-paying authority or other person or body not making payment on my behalf, I undertake to make payment of the full amount due to Perth College.

I confirm that the information I have given on this form is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, complete and accurate. I understand that if I have made a false or misleading statement, or have omitted significant information, Perth College may terminate my registration.

By signing this declaration, you agree to the processing of your personal data as described above and to abide by the rules and regulations of Perth College.

Signed Y. McLean

Date 31/08/02

16 Authorisation For Enrolment By Academic Staff

ESF Supported Course? Yes No SOCRATES Exchange? Yes No

I confirm that the key fields have been checked and I Authorise the Enrolment of this student.

Signature _____ (Tutor/Adviser) Date ___/___/___

Print Name _____ Faculty/Unit _____

17 Office Use Only - Payment Details

Method of Payment Cash Cheque Credit Card Debit Card Invoice Other Exempt

Tuition _____ Other (please indicate) _____ Total Fees _____

Discount Reason:

Income Support	<input type="checkbox"/>	Invalidity/Incapacity/Sickness	<input type="checkbox"/>	Disability Benefit	<input type="checkbox"/>
Working Families Tax Credit	<input type="checkbox"/>	Widowed Mother's Allowance	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jobseekers Allowance	<input type="checkbox"/>
Housing Benefit	<input type="checkbox"/>	One/Lone Parent Benefit	<input type="checkbox"/>	Discretionary Fee Waiver	<input type="checkbox"/>

Student Records

Data Validated
Validated by _____

MIS

Data entry to SITS
Entered by _____
Date _____

FE Appendix – Code Lists

Use these lists to complete the sections on the other pages of this form

Code List 1 - Ethnic Group		
Code	Description	
10	Scottish	White
11	English	
12	Welsh	
13	Irish	
14	Any other White background	
15	Any Mixed background	Mixed
16	Indian	Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British
17	Pakistani	
18	Bangladeshi	
19	Chinese	
20	Any other Asian background	
21	Caribbean	Black, Black Scottish or Black British
22	African	
23	Any other Black background	
24	Any other background	Other Ethnic background
00	Information refused/Not known	


Code List 2 – Category of Student	
Code	Description
01	School Based S3
02	School Based S4
03	School Based S5
04	School Based S6
05	Student on Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP)
06	Student on other 'access course' for Higher Education (all modes) (other than 'conventional' SCE/GCE/GSCE studies)
07	Student on European Exchange (eg ERASMUS, COMETT)
08	Student on YT/Skillseekers/New Deal/Modern Apprenticeship
09	Student on other Government Training Scheme
10	Full-time College based not included above
11	Permanent or Temporary Employment
12	Registered unemployed – receiving jobseekers allowance
13	Registered unemployed – not receiving jobseekers allowance
14	Not registered unemployed but not working
98	Any other category not listed above

Code List 5 – Marketing	
Code	Description
A	Perthshire Advertiser
B	Courier and Advertiser
C	Other Newspapers (please specify)
D	Prospectus/Leaflets
E	School/Careers Service
F	Employer
G	Family/Friends
H	Poster/Handbills
I	Careers Convention
J	Open Day
K	Mailshot
L	Radio
M	Bus Advertising
N	Other (please specify)

Code List 3 – Source of Finance of Fee for Student	
Code	Description
03	Local Education Authority (LEA) in England or Wales, Welsh Office or Department of Education Northern Ireland (DENI)
04	Research Councils or Department for Education and Employment (DfEE)
05	Government Training Credit eg Skillseeker, Modern Apprenticeship
06	Local Enterprise Company (LEC)
07	Public Bodies (not specified elsewhere eg other HM Government Departments, Armed Forces, Health Boards and British Council
08	European Union Funding
09	Other Overseas Funding (including Overseas Governments, Industry, Commerce, Universities, etc)
10	UK Industry and Commerce
14	Self Financing Student (home rate, includes EU)
15	Scottish Local Authority Bursary
16	New Deal
17	Individual Learning Account
22	Fee Waiver – Full-time non-advanced
23	Fee Waiver – income support
24	Fee Waiver – low income with no benefits
25	Fee Waiver – Islands Authority fee waiver (excluding Orkney and Shetland)
26	Fee Waiver – cost borne by college
27	Fee Waiver – jobseeker
28	Fee Waiver – incapacity benefit
29	Fee Waiver – severe disablement allowance
30	Fee Waiver – housing benefit
31	Fee Waiver – working family tax credit
32	Fee Waiver – disabled person tax credit
33	Fee Waiver – Special Needs (DPG 18) student
34	Fee Waiver – Asylum Seeker (part-time)
35	Orkney and Shetland Islands Authority
98	Other
99	Not known

Code List 4 – Other Qualifications (qualifications held on entry)	
Advanced qualification	
Code	Description
01	1st or Higher Degree
02	Membership etc of professional institution
03	Higher National Diploma, HE Diploma, Teaching Diploma or equivalent
04	SVQ/NVQ: Level 4 and above
05	gSVQ/gNVQ: Level 4 or above
06	Higher National Certificate or equivalent
07	Other advanced qualifications
Non-Advanced qualification	
Code	Description
08	Certificate of Sixth Year Studies (CSYS)/Advanced Higher
09	SVQ/NVQ: Level 3
10	gSVQ/gNVQ: Level 3
11	Complete of 'access course' (other than 'conventional' SCE/GCE/GCSE studies)
12	SVQ/NVQ: Level 2
13	gSVQ/gNVQ: Level 2
14	SVQ/NVQ: Level 1
15	gSVQ/gNVQ: Level 1
16	Other SQA Non-advanced Diploma or equivalent (including OND, SND)
17	Other SQA Non-advanced Certificate or equivalent (including ONC, SNC)
99	Other non-advanced qualification (inc Access 1, 2 and 3 of Higher Still)

The Furniture Project (Tayside)



Unit 7, South Duchope Mill
73-89 Douglas Street
Dundee
DD1 5AN

Phone : 01382 904 800
FAX : 01382 522 520
E-Mail : mail@tfpt.org.uk
Website : www.tfpt.org.uk

Please Fill in all sections and in Block Caps to help speed the processing of the referral:

Office Use Only Client Number _____ Referrer Number _____

Section One - Client Contact and Personal Details

Title : MISS First Name : YVONNE Surname : MCLEAN

Address Line 1 : 1F MERRIES COURT Phone # : _____
Line 2 : PERTH Mobile # : 0
Line 3 : _____ Access Via : Stairs Lift

Post Code : PH1 2TD

House Type : Maisonette Semi Multi Flat Floor Number : 1st

Marital Status : SINGL Number of Adults : 1 Number of Children : 1

AGE Adults : 22 F Children : 2 M/F _____ M/F _____ M/F _____ M/F

Section Two - Client Circumstances

Urgent ? Client Aware Of Referra : ? Home Visit Made ? Benefit Advice Given ?

Social Fund Application Brief Reason for not applying Client Signature & Date

Not Applied Waiting Yvonne has had a social fund grant before her son required a bed, Y. McLean 28/05/04

Successful Rejected

Section Three - Client Requirements

Brief Reason For Referral

Yvonne requires a bed for her son Kyle as she is encouraging Kyle to sleep in his own room and he has grown out of his cot which is no longer safe for him.

Furniture Project (Tayside) ** Please specify quantities **

Bed Settee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Single Bed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dining Table	<input type="checkbox"/>
Easy Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	Double Bed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dining Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 Seater	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chest Of Drawers	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wall Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 Seater	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bed Side Cabinet	<input type="checkbox"/>	TV Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bunk Beds	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wardrobe	<input type="checkbox"/>	Coffee Table	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other items _____

Section Four - Referrer

Agent Name GD PROJECT SOCIAL SERVICES Organisation Name GD PROJECT

Title PROSECUTOR Fax Number _____

Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

Address FIRST FLOOR, 25 SCOTT STREET Signature & Date See Peers 28/05/04
PERTH
PH1 5EH

To comply with The Data Protection Act 1998, your client must sign the referral form giving us permission to enter his or her details onto our computer records system. If this is not present we will be unable to proceed with the referral.



16th June 2004

Sarah Preece
Project Worker
The GO Project
First Floor
25 Scott Street
PERTH
PH1 5EH

BBC Children in Need Appeal

c/o PKAVS Ltd
The Gateway
North Methven Street
Perth PH1 5PP

Tel: 01738 567076

Fax: 01738 440717

Dear Ms Preece

KYLE McLEAN

Thank you for your letter of 4th June 2004 requesting a grant on behalf of the above-named child.

I regret that we are normally unable to approve any requests for furniture, but would refer you to The Furniture Project (Perth), telephone 01738 628268, who may be able to assist with the provision of a second-hand bed.

With regard to the request for bedding, we usually only provide funding where there is a medical reason and special materials are required; if the family home has been subject to fire/flood, or if the family have had to flee the home due to domestic abuse/violence. We would suggest that your client looks into the possibility of purchasing second-hand items, good quality bed-linen often being available from such outlets as the Red Cross charity shop in particular. You may also wish to approach Home-Start (Perth) telephone 01738 638847 to enquire whether they have any bed guards which have been donated to them.

Should you fail to access bedding or rails from any other source we may again review the request, but would ask that you complete our application form, copies of which are enclosed.

Yours sincerely



Area Distributor

Encs:



4 June, 2004

BBC Children In Need Appeal
c/o PKAVS Ltd
The Gateway
North Methven Street
Perth
PH1 5PP

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing to request that you consider supporting one of the children whose mother works with the GO Project. Yvonne McLean has been working with the GO Project for the past 4 years. Yvonne's date of birth is 10/03/82 and her son Kyle's is 11/05/02. After a chaotic childhood spent in care and moving in and out of temporary accommodation Yvonne has settled with her son in a tenancy which she is working hard to maintain. Yvonne is also working towards completing courses in Further Education in order to improve her employment prospects and thus her ability to support her son on her own.

After experiencing Kyle's erratic sleeping pattern Yvonne is encouraging Kyle to settle in his own bed and room at night. Yvonne has also attended various parenting classes with a view to learning new skills in parenting. Yvonne has recently decorated a bedroom for Kyle and has run into difficulties completing the room through lack of funding. Kyle still requires a bed, rails and bedding. Yvonne's income is £85.14. This amount is made up of weekly income support and child benefit payments.

I understand that you have very kindly supported Kyle in the past and would request that you consider supporting him in this next phase of his childhood. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any further information or clarification regarding Yvonne or Kyle.

Yours sincerely,

[Redacted signature box]

Sarah Preece
Project Worker

08 OCT 2003



6th October 2003

Lisa Lorimer
The Go Project
1st Floor
25 Scott Street
PERTH
PH1 5EH

BBC Children in Need Appeal

c/o PKAVS Ltd
The Gateway
North Methven Street
Perth PH1 5PP

Tel: 01738 567076
Fax: 01738 440717

Dear Ms Lorimer

KYLE McLEAN, 1F MENZIES COURT, PERTH

We are in receipt of your application for a grant on behalf of the above-mentioned child, dated 3rd October 2003. According to our records Kyle received a grant of £60 on 6th June 2002 and in accordance with Children in Need guidelines we are unable to approve a further grant in this financial year.

We regret that we are unable to be of assistance in this instance but trust that you will be able to access funding from an alternative source.

Yours sincerely



on behalf of Area Distributor
Children in Need Perth & Kinross



BAGRI
FOUNDATION

80 Cannon Street
London
EC4N 6EJ
Tel. 020-7280-0000

5/7 DEC 2003

9th December 2003

Jill Cowan
Go Project
Perth & Kinross Care Leaver's SIP
First Floor, 25 Scott Street
Perth PH1 5EH

Dear Ms Cowan

Thank you for your letter addressed to the Bagri Foundation.

Whilst I admire your efforts to obtain funds on behalf of Yvonne so that she may purchase cleaning resources such as a Hoover, I regret that our current long-term involvement in other equally deserving causes will prevent us from taking on any new commitments for some time.

I wish you all the best in obtaining support for this very worthy cause.

Yours sincerely,



K J Gatehouse
Director

17th July 2003

Met Y for a coffee. All going ok. She is starting college in August. Still with JK. He and his son are living with Y.

8 August 2003

Spoke to Y on Friday 8th August. Has split from partner but is concerned about possibility of violence. T/c to (Domestic Abuse Liaison officer, Perth Police. Accompanied Y to Police Station to meet with

Y stated that she is thinking of moving to Corby. Agreed to look into this for her.

11th August 2003

T/c to housing at Corby. Requested app forms (to be sent here) Also, Y can request to be put on transfer list through her Housing Association.

T/c to Y. Had a quiet weekend. No contact from JK.



	with her she agreed that it would only inflame what is already a volatile situation if any approach was made [redacted] regarding the calls. Yvonne to contact her service provider to see if anonymous calls to her number can be blocked.
11.11.02	Yvonne struggling to cope again today. Made appointments with Health Visitor but did not keep it, also missed tenancy support. Did however meet up with [redacted] Colonsay who is also concerned about what is happening with Yvonne and Kyle. [redacted] to set up a network meeting for Yvonne later this week.

24/03/03 Yvonne has been having a Y.P and has informed Raifield Housing Association who have told her that the Y.P must leave or she will lose her tenancy. Yvonne has asked the Y.P to leave and encouraged her to move into Greyfriars where a room was kept for her. However, the Y.P has moved out and moved back in repeatedly. Yvonne wrote a letter to the Y.P to explain the predicament. Yvonne has been advised to have her locks changed as the Y.P has lost her spare key.

24/03/03 Called Yvonne re. Stevie to see if she wanted me to visit him with her. Yvonne would like Kyle to meet Stevie

04.10.02	[redacted] Colonsay and [redacted] Homestart are to try meet up with Yvonne next Wednesday. Yvonne has agreed to this meeting going ahead and is to await a phone call from Judy to arrange the time.
10.10.02	Meeting with home start went well and Yvonne is to meet with them on a regular basis. She is still short of cooker and fridge for flat and this is causing a major hiccup with her moving in. Date for review for community care grant will not be fixed until next week when the reviewing officer returns.
15.10.02	Yvonne has been referred to the tenancy support worker [redacted] by her health visitor. Meeting arranged for Monday, 21.10.02 at 12.30 At Yvonne's request Callum is also to attend as this is her first meeting with a strange worker.
16.10.02	Attended local benefits agency office with Yvonne for review of her Community Care grant decision. Result of review due in about 5days.
21.10.02	Meeting with tenancy support worker went well and Yvonne has agreed to work with her. Arrangement is that they are to meet twice weekly to start with then take it from there. Buttle Trust application form completed and to be sent off along with a supporting statement from Callum.
23.10.02	Yvonne has today been awarded a community care grant of £810 following the appeal. After discussion with her it was decided to withdraw her application for a grant to the Buttle Trust. Message left on trust answering machine and email also sent this date to confirm cancellation.
08.11.02	Yvonne attended and stated that she was not coping at all. She said that her house was in a mess and that she was not coping at all with Kyle. [redacted] tenancy support worker contacted and to see Yvonne on Monday to discuss extra support. Messages left for Freda Stewart (Health Visitor [redacted]) and for [redacted] Colonsay to contact Callum regarding the situation. Yvonne also disclosed that she has been receiving annoying telephone calls to her mobile. She suspects that it may be [redacted] who is responsible but as was pointed out to her there is no way of proving this. After discussing the matter

	<p>has made further application for a budgeting loan.</p> <p>Yvonne openly admits to being depressed and to the fact that she is generally not coping with life particularly Kyle.</p> <p>Referral has already been made to Social Work, first meeting to be arranged.</p> <p>Yvonne's health visitor also contacted.</p>
20.09.02	<p>Yvonne has intimated that she would like to take part in the Coping with Children's Behaviour Group run by the Early Intervention Team (639991) at Fairfield Community Centre starting next Tuesday 24th.</p>
27.09.02	<p>Yvonne has been granted £400 for a budgeting loan.</p> <p>She attended the group run by the early intervention team and apparently really enjoyed it. She has managed to get Kyle a place in the creche at Fairfield twice weekly for two hours.</p> <p>She has met with Social Work [redacted] [redacted] at Colonsay and is happy to work with her on parenting skills etc.</p> <p>She is admitting to struggling to cope with everything that is going on in her life at present and seems to be keen to access help whenever it is offered.</p>
01.10.02	<p>Yvonne has had contact from Kyle's father who wishes to have some form of contact with Kyle. Apparently he is now prepared to admit being the father and has offered Yvonne financial assistance.</p> <p>Yvonne was given the telephone contact for Family Mediation Tayside for advice on parental contact and it was also discussed that she may wish to contact her solicitor on the subject. She also intimated her intention to speak to the Child Support Agency regarding the matter.</p> <p>Yvonne has a new partner who is aware of the current situation.</p>
02.10.02	<p>Yvonne recognises the need for extra support with Kyle and managing to sustain her tenancy of her new flat. She is however adamant that she will not work with anyone from CATH.</p> <p>Fax sent this date to Social Fund Review Officer requesting another date be set for her review interview regarding her community care grant having been refused.</p> <p>Debbie from early intervention [redacted] is to contact this office to see if there is any further support that they can offer.</p>

Yvonne McLEAN

13.08.02	Yvonne currently top of Fairfield Housing list. Is getting delivery of bedding pack from furniture project. Brother Stevie has not booked prison visit for Thursday 15.08.02 so alternative will have to be looked for. No reply from Yvonne's telephone.
15.08.02	Contacted Yvonne and informed her that visit not on. Suggested that she comes in to prepare a letter for Stevie and that we will post it off for her.
16.08.02	Yvonne has been allocated a house from Fairfield Housing Association and has arranged appointment with Go for Monday 19.08.02 at 12.00hrs.
19.08.02	Yvonne attended at Project and completed Community Care Grant Application forms. Supporting letter completed by myself and put in with application form.
20.08.02	From [redacted] Fairfield Housing Association [redacted] - Yvonne's tenancy will commence as of 09.09.02. [redacted] concerned that Yvonne will continue to receive support from Go and was reassured regarding this. [redacted] requested that I be present when Yvonne signs lease.
23.08.02	Yvonne once again expressed concern over her brother Stevie and his failure to book a visit for her. She has started a letter but has yet to finish it for posting.
27.08.02	Yvonne today signed agreement for flat at 1F Menzies Court, Perth. Referral made to furniture project this date.
29.08.02	Information from Yvonne that she has been turned down for a community care grant apparently they illustrated six points as to why. Yvonne was asked to come in with the letter so that we could help her appeal this decision but so far she has been unable to do so. No reply from her phone this morning. Yvonne attended and an appeal letter against refusal of community care grant was made up (copy in Folder [redacted] in Worker1 called YVONNE APPEAL). She is to seek a back up letter from her health visitor to help push it. She has stated that if she is refused the grant she will then apply for a budgeting loan.
19.09.02	Still no reply from her appeal for community care grant. She

Record of Contact Form

Young Person Name Y. WOODS

Date	Details
4/12	UNABLE TO MAKE APPOINTMENT THROUGH ILLNESS. IS TO VISIT DOCTOR & REARRANGE APPOINTMENT.
13/12	Y. TO ARRANGE WITH ROSEADDE TO EMPTY FLAT IN BALLANTRAE PLACE.
18/12	Y HAS BEEN COPING WELL BUT FEELS NOT WANTING MEDICAL MOMENT. SMIU HAS TO GET STUFF OUT OF BALLANTRAE PLACE.
1/3	Y. HAS HAD OFFER OF FLAT IN LESLIE COURT WITH APPROX 50% CANT. SMIU HAS REGISTERED WITH FAIRFIELD H.A. & PERTH A.
7/14	ROSEADDE HAS SUFFLED STUFF FOR Y & WILL DECIDE SAME FOR HERSELF Y WISHES.
14/7	BABY LYLE ALEXANDER MELBAND BORN OVER WEEKENDS. Y TO CHECK HOUSING LIST STATUS WITH P.H.A.
5/6	Y. DOING FINE LYLE PUTTING ON WEIGHTS. IS TO CALL IN FRIDAY 7/6.
13/6	Y. UPSET RE HOUSING SITUATION NOT BEING RESOLVED. LETTER 26 TO HOUSING ASS. 18/6 Y. NOW TOP OF HOUSING LIST.
19/6	Y. TO MEET MENTOR [redacted] HERE WGD 26/6 FOR 1ST TIME.
28/6	T/c from Margaret Wilson [redacted] duty SW. Incident last night. Phoned Y. - no answer
	T/c [redacted]
1/7	T/c to Y. Will pop in tomorrow
2/7	see detail record
3/7	[redacted] called. Will send out invite to Post Natal Support Grp