

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA  
GAUTENG LOCAL DIVISION**

**Case no: 2019/445  
Original case no: 1982/139**

**In the matter of:**

**THE REOPENED INQUEST INTO THE DEATH  
OF NEIL HUDSON AGGETT**

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**SUPPLEMENTARY AFFIDAVIT OF DAVID DISON**

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I, the undersigned,

**DAVID DISON**

do hereby state under oath and say that:

- 1 I am an adult male employed as a legal advisor at Emoyeni Media run by Nonhlahla Marvie based 15 Jubilee Road, Parktown.
  
- 2 I have already testified in this matter and provided a statement dated 21 January 2020. I now wish to make a brief supplementary statement that deals with certain aspects that I did not mention in my initial testimony, but which have since emerged as relevant in these inquest proceedings.
  
- 3 I confirm that I, along with Advocate Bizos SC, consulted with Mr Sisa Njikelana ahead of the first inquest proceedings in our capacity as the legal representatives for the Aggett family. I cannot remember the date of the meeting. I think that William Lane was also at this consultation. I cannot recall



if Advocate Kuny was present. We did so to take a statement from Mr Njikelana and determine whether to call him as a witness for the Aggett family.

- 4 At the consultation, I recall that Mr Njikelana mentioned that he saw Neil Aggett being carried by SB officers and that we as the legal team noted this. I do not know why the family's legal team did not pursue with this evidence before the first inquest.
- 5 I further wish to confirm that the legal team for the Aggett family did not lead expert evidence on the issue of why only a solitary fingerprint was found on the grille in Aggett's cell. I do not know why the legal team did not do this. Since I was called up to an army camp, I was not present for the fingerprint evidence on 9 June 1982. I do not know whether the legal representatives inspected the folien which was brought to court that day by Detective Warrant Officer Charl Wynand Lambrecht. In any event, the legal team were not fingerprint experts and would not have known what to look for.
- 6 I finally wish to confirm that on occasion the Aggett legal team did meet at the offices of Priscilla Jana near the Johannesburg Magistrates Court for purposes of holding consultations. I have since learnt that these offices were bugged by the Security Branch.



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**DAVID DISON**

I hereby certify that the deponent knows and understands the contents of this affidavit and that it is to the best of the deponent's knowledge both true and correct. This affidavit was signed and sworn to before me at Parkville on this the 26 day of May 2020, and that the Regulations contained in Government Notice R.1258 of 21 July 1972, as amended by R1648 of 19 August 1977, and as further amended by R1428 of 11 July 1989, having been complied with.

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