

Continuation of SAPS 3M (a) – Preamble to Statement

I, _____ STATE UNDER OATH OR AFFIRM IN ENGLISH THAT:

Paragraph 1

Use as much space as needed in the writing area provided on the right and do not leave open lines

On _____

Day, date, time and exact address of incident

What happened

Who was involved

Any witnesses

Where exactly the deponent was at the time

How did the incident occur

Amount of time involved

Circumstances & distance from suspect(s)

Visibility of surroundings & how force was applied

Deponent's perception of events including feelings, fears and clothing

Full description of suspect(s)
Object used

How object was used against deponent

Are the suspects known to deponent

How can the suspect(s) be identified

Time since suspect(s) last seen

Both Deponent and the Commissioner to initial at the bottom of page So 322.13.1 & SO 327.39

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| | states further under oath or affirms in English : |
| Contact information of witnesses or | _____ |
| Persons who assisted and or to whom first report was made | _____ |
| Description of serious injuries, damages or wounds from attack | _____ |
| Medical attention received | _____ |
| Describe object(s) or other evidence seized or found | _____ |
| Deponent able to identify suspects and or instrument | _____ |
| Did suspect have right or permission to do what they did | _____ |
| Does deponent want investigation | _____ |
| Errors rectified in terms of SO 301.1 | _____ |

I know and understand the contents of this declaration.
 I **have / have no** objection to taking the prescribed oath.
 I **consider / do not consider** the prescribed oath to be binding on my conscience.

“I swear that the contents of this statement are true so help me God”
 OR
 “I truly affirm that the contents of this statement are true”

 DEPONENT’S SIGNATURE

I certify that the above statement was taken down and or commissioned by me and that the deponent has acknowledged that **he/she** knows and understand the contents of this statement. This statement was **sworn/affirmed** before me and the deponents signature / mark / thumb print was placed in my presence at _____ (place) on this the _____ day of _____ (month) _____ (year) at _____ (time).

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| SIGNATURE _____ | ADDRESS _____ |
| PERSAL NUMBER _____ | |
| AND RANK _____ | |
| FULL FIRST NAMES _____ | |
| AND SURNAME _____ | |
| _____ COMMISSIONER OF OATHS | _____ SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE |

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