

Statement of Truth

I, John Kenneth Lawson, of 12 Quarry Terrace, Horsforth, Leeds, LS18 4AT make this statement in support of an application by Ian Harris for the removal from the Charges Registry in relation to 1 New Bridge Cottages, Midgehole, HX77AL, of a Notice of Rights under the Matrimonial Homes Act 1967 in favour of a Julie Jackson.

1. When I became aware that the current owner of 1 New Bridge Cottages had made an unsuccessful application to remove the Notice, I undertook the following steps in order to try and locate Julie Jackson, or to find evidence of her marriage to, or divorce from, John Terence Jackson, or of her death.
2. A search of the data bases maintained at www.freereg.org.uk (parish registers) and www.freebmd.org.uk (civil registration index) and www.familysearch.org (multiple records).
3. A search for Grants of Probate and Wills at <https://probatesearch.service.gov.uk/>
4. Search engine searches for Julie Jackson and John Terence Jackson.
5. The searches referred to were conducted between 27 February 2025 and the date of the statement.
6. None of the searches created a positive return for a marriage between Julie Jackson and John Terence Jackson, or evidence of the death of a Julie Jackson connectable to the property at 1 New Bridge Cottages
7. In the absence of any trace of a marriage between John Terence Jackson and Julie Jackson, I have not conducted a search for a decree absolute. That lack of evidence of a marriage in the UK indicating that any such search would be unsuccessful.

I make this statement with full knowledge of the matters referred to in it and I believe that the facts set out in the statement are true.

Signed.....

John Kenneth Lawson

Dated.....23/03/2025.....