Phrase drill

- Q Could you answer the question, please?
- A I don't recall.
- Q Do you remember if you saw the car previously?
- A I don't think so. I can't remember if I did or not.
- Q Can you recall how many people were in the other car?
- A I don't believe I saw anyone other than the driver.
- Q I don't recall whether you answered this or not, but do you recollect what kind of car it was that hit yours?
- A As far as I can recall, it was a Toyota.
- Q Now, at the point that the impact happened, were you injured in any way?
- A I beg your pardon. Have you looked at my medical records at any point?
- Q Yes, I have. I want to hear what took place in the automobile at the time of the accident.
- A I was going the speed limit. I check my rearview mirrors and I saw this car behind me. When I realized he was going to hit me, I tried to brace myself. My head was jerked back and forth and I felt light-headed. His car pushed my car into the intersection.
- Q Was the light red or green for traffic in your lane of travel?
- A I believe the light was red. I was waiting for it to turn green when the accident happened.
- Q Do you recall whether or not your chest hit the steering wheel?
- A I don't think it did. I would think I would have a bruise there, and I don't.
- Q Did you go to the hospital right away?
- A I believe I passed out, because when I woke up I was in the ambulance.
- Q And you were taken to General Hospital; is that correct?
- A That's correct. My wife works there and she wanted to go there.
- Q In reference to the hospital bill, do you know if it has been paid yet?
- A My insurance company has not paid the bill.
- Q I'm sorry. Will you repeat that answer for the court reporter?
- A I said my insurance company hasn't paid the hospital bill yet.
- Q As a result of this accident, have you had to take time off work?
- A Of course. My employer wanted me to come back to work immediately, but it was not possible due to my injuries.
- Q At the present time, are you working?
- A I am not. My doctor doesn't think I'm ready to go back yet.
- Q Since the accident, what are your physical limitations? What are you not able to do now that you used to do before the accident?
- A Well, I used to coach my son's soccer team, and I'm not able to do that now. I used to help my wife with the yard work. I'm not able to do that at this time.
- Q Your wife does that now; is that right?
- A That's right.
- Q I understand she also hires a neighbor to do the yard work; is that true?
- A That's correct.
- Q All right. Do you plan on going back to work soon?
- A As soon as my doctor releases me.