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MG 11 (T)

WITNESS STATEMENT

CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3)(a) and 5B; Criminal Procedure Rules 2005, Rule 27.1

Statement of **Mr Stephen PORT** URN:

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Age if under 18 Over 18..... (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: **Catering Manager**.....

This statement (consisting of 2..... pages each signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated anything in it which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Signature: Date: 19/6/14.....

Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded (supply witness details on rear)

I make this statement in relation to a male I found laying by my front door, the entrance to 59-62 Cooke Street, Barking at about 4am on Thursday 19th June 2014.

On Wednesday 18th June 2014 at about 8.30pm. I left my ground floor flat to go to work at Stage coach Bus Company, West Ham. I worked the 9pm top 3.45am shift. I arrived home at about 4am as I approached my front communal door to the block I saw a male lying on the floor, his head was lying towards the door with his body curved, he was lying on his right side with his left arm sticking up with his elbow bent, forearm back towards his body, I could not get into my door. I tried to rouse him by slapping his face, he didn't wake up but he made a gurgling noise, I lifted him up by putting my hands under his armpits and sat him upright, he was still in the way so I lifted him and put him against the wall by the post-box, he still didn't wake up, it was still dark and he had a hoody on which was covering most of his face, after I had moved him to the seated position by the wall on the floor. I called '999' and told the ambulance operator that there was a young boy it looks like he had a seizure, the ambulance operator asked me if he had a pulse I told them I didn't know. I gave the location, I saw the flashing lights coming and went indoors. I did not wait to see the ambulance crew or the police. I called '999' using my phone number 07903854105, I went to bed and fell asleep.

The male that was lying on the floor by my entrance door. I would describe him as a white male, he looked young, probably early twenties, he was slim build, he was lying down but I would say he was about F510, he was dressed in a dark coloured hoody and dark coloured jeans or trousers. I could see his mouth and his lip was up and I could see his teeth, it is hard to explain, just his upper lip on the left side was up and I think he was wearing a brace but I could not be 100% sure of this.

I have been asked by DC Young as to the location I left the man at and I have shown him that I initially

Signature: Signature witnessed by:

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