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Witness Statement

(CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3) (a) and 5B; Criminal Procedure Rules 2015, Rule 27.1)

Statement of Stephen Harry Cordon – IF/7843/15

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Age if under 18.... over 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18').

This statement (consisting of 4 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 in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

Dated the 18th May 2015

Signature:

Signature

I am employed by IntaForensics as a Computer Forensic Analyst. I obtained a First Class BSc (Hons) Forensic Computing degree at De Montfort University. I have previously worked for Palmer Legal Technologies as a Computer Forensic Associate. Alongside my degree I have received expert witness training in Excellence in Written Evidence and Witness Familiarisation from Bond Solon. I have completed training in the forensic acquisition and analysis tool Encase from Guidance Software to an advanced level and also received accreditation as an EnCase Certified Examiner (EnCE), which is awarded by Guidance Software. I have completed the IntaForensics peer assessed module on the procedural requirements of exhibit continuity and Forensic Imaging of digital media.

In this statement I shall, of my own accord, endeavour to restrict myself to matters that I believe to be factual and when proffering an opinion, will clearly indicate it as such. Throughout my analysis I made contemporaneous notes that report my practices and findings, in both handwritten and electronic form, these are retained in secure storage at my place of work and may be disclosed later if required.

All forensic examinations were conducted in accordance with **Association of Chief Police Officers (ACPO)** Good Practice Guide for Digital Evidence.

IntaForensics have been instructed by **David Parish** of **The Metropolitan Police**, to conduct a Forensic Analysis of the electronic data contained on exhibits **BSG/09** and **RLB/01**; in relation to Metropolitan Police Laboratory reference **CSL/0664/15** (IntaForensics case reference **IF/7843/15**) at the **Nuneaton** laboratory.

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