

**WITNESS STATEMENT**

Criminal Procedure Rules, r27.2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s.9; Magistrates' Courts Act 1980, s.5b

Statement of: BAXTER, JACKIE

Age if under 18: OVER 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: POLICE OFFICER

This statement (consisting of 1 page(s) 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.

Signature: BAXTER Date: 05/12/2015

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

I am currently posted to the Road crime investigation team based at Chadwell Heath, Romford, Essex. I was previously attached to the main CID Office within the Borough of Barking and Dagenham.

Whilst posted to Barking and Dagenham CID in 2014, I recall an incident where the lifeless body of Mr Moshud AHMED was discovered on waste ground at Riverside Cottages, Barking . The Homicide Assessment Team attended the scene and deemed it to be non suspicious. I was tasked by my supervisor to create a crime report by using the data provided by the officers who attended the scene.

I also recall that a family liaison officer was assigned and I accompanied the Officer in attending the family home of Mr AHMED's family, this was with a view to identify Mr AHMED's last known address.

Prior to Mr AHMED's body being found, the lifeless body of Mr Gabriel KOVARI was also found in the Barking area. This incident was the subject of an investigation by uniformed officers, I understand that it was treated as a sudden death. My involvement was that I was tasked to liaise with the undertakers where his body was repatriated and to confirm whether or not any clothing went with him. This was negative.

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A short while after the body of Mr KOVARI was discovered, the lifeless body of Mr Daniel WHITWORTH was found in Barking Abbey . A suicide note was found stating that it was his fault that Mr Gabriel KOVARI had died. DC SLAYMAKER was assigned as a Family Liaison Officer in the case. I assisted DC SLAYMAKER when he accompanied the family to the location where their son had been found and I was also present when a statement was taken from the partner of Mr WHITWORTH.

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