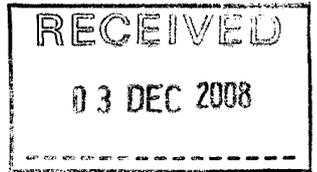


STATEMENT OF WITNESS



STATEMENT OF SHELLEY LIGGETT

DATED THIS

DAY OF

2008

I, SHELLEY LIGGETT, declare that this statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that if it is tendered in evidence at the Inquiry, I will 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.

1. The Inquiry has disclosed a number of documents to me. Where I make specific reference to a document in my statement I have given the number of the relevant page.
2. I was born in Portadown and I have lived there all of my life.
3. I have read my statement to the police dated 26th May 1997, [page 9180 – 9182], to refresh my memory. This reminds me that in April 1997 I worked at the Mandarin House Chinese Restaurant in Portadown. I cannot really remember but I am reminded that Tracey Clarke also worked there at the time. Tracey was only an associate of mine, and I would not have called her a close personal friend or even her best friend to go out with.
4. I knew Pauline Newell and her sister Tracey McAlpine (née Newell) through working in a fruit shop with Pauline and I went to school with Kelly Lavery, but in those days I only saw her every now and again. I do not even see any of these people around anymore; our paths have definitely taken us in different directions. Since the events of 26/27 April 1997, I have not seen Tracey McAlpine in years and have not stayed in touch with her. After the murder of Robert Hamill, I did not really go out because the events and the violence put me off.