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LUNT - TAPE NO.3

This interview is being tape recorded. The interview is being conducted in an interview room at Banbridge Police Station. I am Detective Constable Dickson, South Region CID. Other officers present are Detective Sergeant Carson, South Region CID. The date is Saturday the 10th of May 1997. The time taken from the interview room clock is 1942 hours. Also present is.

SOLICITOR [REDACTED], Solicitor, Portadown.

What is your full name please.

LUNT Wayne David Lunt.

Do you understand you are still here under arrest, in relation to the murder of Robert Hamill.

LUNT Yes.

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I must caution you. You do not have to say anything, but I must caution you that if you do not mention when questioned something which you later rely on in court, it may harm your defence. If you do say anything it may be given in evidence. Do you understand that caution.

LUNT

Yes.

Some articles were seized from you this morning when you were arrested at your house and I have these items here and I just want to talk them through with you. Just to identify them for me. The first item is TH1 which is described as a red, white and blue scarf. Is this the scarf that you were wearing.

LUNT

Yes.

That night, what date again was it, the 27th, the morning of the 27th.

SOLICITOR

Is it a Rangers one.

Is there Rangers written on it.

LUNT No, its.

It's just a red, white and blue scarf. And that is the one that you were wearing that morning.

LUNT Yes.

The other item is TH2 which is an Ascot white/blue trainer.

LUNT Yes.

You are saying that that was the trainer you were wearing that morning.

LUNT Yes.

What sort of trainers are you wearing at the minute.

LUNT Puma.

Puma. They are the same colour, they are white and blue.

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LUNT No well these aren't mine, they are about two years old.

Are they.

LUNT Aye.

Who's are they.

LUNT Well they were mine like a year ago, I used to wear them to work now and again.

What does he work at.

LUNT What.

What does he work at.

SOLICITOR He isn't working now.

What did he work at.

LUNT For the Electricity Board.

SOLICITOR Sorry are you warm enough.

LUNT Yes.

SOLICITOR You were arrested this morning and you weren't allowed sufficient time to even put on a pair of socks, is that right.

LUNT Yes.

SOLICITOR You have no socks on the moment.

LUNT No.

SOLICITOR But you are warm enough, are you.

LUNT Yes.

I am showing you item TH3 now which is an Ascot white/blue trainer, another one.

LUNT I can't really see them.

With the name Ascot on it. Those there. Right I am now showing you item TH4. It is a pair of Mexie Joe white jeans. You were wearing white jeans.

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LUNT It wasn't them ones, it was these ones.

The ones you have actually on you now at the minute.

LUNT Yes.

Another coat again. I am now showing you JH1 which is a blue, white and grey baseball cap. Is that it.

LUNT No. It wasn't the one.

It's not the one.

LUNT No.

So you think the baseball cap is in.

LUNT In the pocket of my coat, well it should be anyway.

That's MK1. Baseball cap possibly in the pocket of MK1.

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LUNT No it's not in that there, it's in my coat
itself, a navy coat.

You had a navy coat on this morning.

LUNT Yes.

And where did that go to.

LUNT I don't know.

Who took it.

LUNT The police took it yes.

The police did take it.

LUNT Yes.

SOLICITOR Where did they take it to, Lurgan.

LUNT Yes. Well they took it whenever they came to
the house. They says to me were you wearing a
coat. I says yes.

SOLICITOR And what was the description of that coat.

LUNT It's a navy coat.

Any make on it.

LUNT It is a Disciple.

Sorry.

LUNT Disciple.

Disciple.

LUNT Yes.

Is that a badge on it.

LUNT No it is just a wee bit of writing on it.

Writing on it. Right okay. I am just showing you MK1 which is a blue and white ice hockey style sports top with a Toronto Maple Leaf of it. Is that the one you were wearing.

LUNT Yes.

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That Sunday morning.

LUNT Yes.

Another pair of white jeans here, MK2. Are those your jeans.

LUNT Yes.

Seven labels were marked on that and seven exhibits were shown.

SOLICITOR So you are missing my client's coat.

There's nothing wrong. It could actually still be in the house for all I know.

LUNT Well they took it out and put it in the bag.

It is probably in our Portadown office. I will have to enquire into that. Right the other things we want to say are, we were chatting to Miss Bradley.

LUNT Yes.

What's her first name.

LUNT

Joanne.

And she also, she states now that you were in her company and that you were round in Jamieson's house. She said that you left the house at one point and went to some alleyway at [REDACTED] and then went back to Jamiesons again. Do you remember that.

LUNT

No I don't remember that there.

Right. Okay but Miss Bradley still insists that she was home for one o'clock and that she left Jamieson's house to go home, that she never went down the town or anything. She went home from there and her mother backs her up on that.

LUNT

Well I definitely think she was with us.

You're saying you think she was.

LUNT

Yes I definitely because there was three of us that went down.

And who are the three again you say were there.

LUNT There was me, Lisa, Heidi, Michelle and the fourth Joanne. There was five of us like four young girls.

Right and Heidi is Heidi Rainey.

LUNT Yes.

SOLICITOR Have you tracked down Heidi Rainey yet.

Yes. She also was spoken to and she said she saw you earlier on in the night but doesn't sort of go on to cover you for later on.

LUNT She was there and I forgot to mention that.

And definitely in your company.

LUNT Yes.

She doesn't mention that. Okay you said, you were about to say something.

LUNT I forgot to mention one other person that I met when I was on my way down. A wee fella called Simon McNally.

Whenever you were walking down the street towards the crowd.

LUNT No whenever I went down into the town centre.

With all the girls.

Yes. At what point, where was he.

LUNT I forget where he was standing but I remember meeting him.

Where's he from.

LUNT He's from [REDACTED] as well and he was also with me when I was arrested.

Did he join your company.

LUNT Yes.

And walked in from [REDACTED] into.

LUNT In with us.

Right. We haven't been able to get the other two girls as yet, but they will be spoken to. Certainly these two that we have spoken to have not corroborated with what you have said.

LUNT Well she was with me, Heidi and Joanne were with me.

Inaudible.

LUNT They were.

Okay is there anything else you want to say.

LUNT No.

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SOLICITOR No thanks.

Anything you want to add or clarify.

LUNT No.

The time is now 1950 hours and I am switching
off the tape.

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