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Witness Statement

CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Rules 1981, r.70; Criminal Procedure Rules 2015, r.16.2

Statement of: Catherine Hall

Age if under 18: Over 18 Occupation: Operations Manager

This statement (consisting of 3 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: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 29/08/19

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I am making this statement in relation to a direction from HHJ Goldstone in respect of the IOPC independent investigation into the fatal shooting of Mr Jermaine Baker by MPS officer W80 on 11 December 2015.

I am the lead investigator for this investigation and my deputy is Operations Team Leader Liz Parsons who has worked closely with me on the investigation and assisted in drafting the final report.

The purpose of this statement is to provide HHJ Goldstone with an explanation for an error identified in the IOPC final investigation report. Since the error has been brought to my attention I have reviewed the final report to identify any further errors as a consequence.

The identified error is one of date at paragraph 81 and the header of that paragraph. The correct date should read 10 December 2015, rather than 9 December 2015.

The final investigation report was written with a view to protect the source of some of the information relevant to the investigation, however in order to explain where I have or have not made corrections, I need to explain the following:

a. Sensitive intelligence 1

b. During the investigation I reviewed this information which was received within the NCA between 7 November and 10 December 2015, relating in particular to Mr Ozger and Mr Ozcan Eren and their attempts to source a real firearm, see paragraphs 197, 971.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Signature witnessed by: