#### WITNESS STATEMENT

Agency Ref : S001A PF Ref :

Surname : HARROWER Other or previous surname : `

Forenames : Keith DoB : 1961 Age : 55

Occupation : Deputy Senior Investigator Other Occupation : Not Applicable

Police Station : Years Service :

Disclosable address :

Police Investigations And Review Commissioner Hamilton House, Hamilton Business Park, Caird Park, Hamilton.

Post Code: ML3 0QA

This statement was taken :

Date and time : of

By : SELF DICTATED Place : Not Applicable

In the presence of :

I have/the witness signed/refused to sign this and all other pages

It was/not read over to the witness and was/not recorded on Audio tape and/or Video tape

States :

I am Keith Harrower and I am employed as a Deputy Senior Investigator with the Police Investigations and Review Commissioner (PIRC) based at Hamilton House, Hamilton Business Park, Caird Park, Hamilton. I have previously submitted a witness statement in relation to the death of Sheku Bayou in Kirkcaldy on Sunday 3 May 2015.

About 1215 hours on Wednesday 12 August 2015 I attended by arrangement at Stanstead Airport, Essex, England and met with the witness Dr Jason Payne James. Dr Payne James had previously been identified as an expert witness on behalf of Crown and had been engaged to provide an expert witness report in relation to the death of Sheku Bayou. I handed over to him an Expert Witness package consisting of;

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1. Letter of Instruction from the Police Investigations and Review Commissioner

2. A briefing paper for expert witnesses on the circumstances surrounding the detention and death of Sheku Bayoh;

- 3. A copy of the post mortem examination final report;
- 4. Copies of CCTV and video footage;
- 5. Post mortem and other photographs of deceased;
- 6. Neuropathology Report;
- 7. Toxicology Report;
- 8. Drug Control Centre Independent Analysis Report

During the investigation another expert witness, Dr Steven Karch, was also identified to provide an expert witness report on behalf of Crown in relation to the death of Sheku Bayou.

On Friday 14 August 2015 I despatched an electronic expert witness package, contained on an encrypted memory stick, to the home of Dr Karch in the United States of America by DHL courier. This contained,

1. Letter of Instruction from the Police Investigations and Review Commissioner

2. A briefing paper for expert witnesses on the circumstances surrounding the detention and death of Sheku Bayoh;

- 3. A copy of the post mortem examination report
- 4. Copies of CCTV and video footage
- 5. Post mortem and other photographs of deceased
- 6. Neuropathology Report
- 7. Toxicology Report
- 8. Drug Control Centre Independent Analysis Report

On Wednesday 19 August 2015 I attended at the offices of the witness Kerryanne Shearer, Pathologist, at Nine Bioquarter, 9 Little France Road, Edinburgh. I met with Ms Shearer and took possession of a box containing 44 histology slides containing samples taken from the deceased during the post mortem examination. These were labelled F15 542 Bayoh.S H & E 15/05/15. The slides were identified as A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z, AA, AB, AC, AD, AE, AF, AG, AH, AI, AJ, AK, AL, AM (LUL1), AM (LUL2), AM (LUL3), AM (LUL1) PerisLU1, AM PerisLU12, AM Peris LU13.

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About 1115 hours on Thursday 20 August 2015 I attended by arrangement at the home of Professor Nat Carey at a final and met with Professor Carey. This had been arranged through the Bayoh family solicitor, Aamer Anwar as Professor Carey had been directed by the family to provide an expert witness report on the death of Mr Bayou. I handed over to Professor Carey the above listed samples received from the witness Kerryanne Shearer. I also provided to Professor Carey a copy of the PIRC expert witness package which was identical to the package provided to Dr Payne James. The samples were left with Professor Carey for him to complete his work.

About 1503 hours that day I re-attended at Professor Carey's home address and collected the box containing the histology slides. I checked the contents and all was in order. I thereafter left this location to travel back to Scotland.

About 1045 hours on Monday 14 September 2015 I attended at Coatbridge Police Office, accompanied by the witness Alexander McGuire of PIRC, where I met with the witness PS James Young, the National Lead Co-ordinator for Officer Safety Training for Police Scotland. I subsequently obtained a witness statement from him. During this time he handed over to me a certified copy of,

Prod No Probationer Training Officer Safety Training Course Manual

This item was subsequently lodged as a production with PIRC.

This statement is a true and accurate record.

Signed :

(Witness)

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# CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL - NOT TO BE DISCLOSED

Surname : HARROWER Forenames: Keith Alias/known as :

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Dates when unavailable in next 12 months :

Other Confidential Material :