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STATEMENT in matter of: Place: Crookwell Police
Death of John Gordon HUGHES..... Station.....
 Date: 3 MAY 1991.....

Name: RICHERS, Daryl Raymond
 (Surname in capitals)
 Address: Police Station, Crookwell..... Tel. No.
 Occupation: Constable of Police.....STATES:-

This statement made by me accurately sets out the evidence which I would be prepared, if necessary, to give in Court as a witness. The statement 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.

My full name is Daryl Raymond Riches and I am 27 years of age.

At about 10.30AM on Saturday 6 May, 1989 in company with Constable Langsford Police noticed a brown Cortina [redacted] parked across Baroda Street Kings Cross. Spots of blood were noticed on the vehicle. A Transport check was carried on the vehicle. The vehicle was then pushed to the side of the street.

About 2PM the same date I heard Via VKG the request for a scientific vehicle to attend Greenknowe Avenue Potts Point. Further enquiries revealed that the address for the request was about 100 metres from where the brown Cortina was located that morning.

At about 2.30PM in company with Constable Langsford we attended [redacted] Greenknowe Avenue, Potts Point, where Alpha 100 told us something. We then secured the area around the brown Cortina. At about 8PM same date I had a conversation with Detective Sergeant SPAIN. As a result of this conversation I attended Room [redacted] of [redacted] Greenknowe Avenue, Potts Point to guard the Crime Scene. Then at about 9PM that evening in the Company with Detective PLOTECKI and Detective HARRISON a search was conducted on the flat. As items of evidential value were found they were pooled. These items included personal papers, address books, Westpac Bank Books, a telex, folder of Business Cards, Bail Papers and a bag of green vegetable matter. After the search I stayed and waited for further instructions. I then left the crime scene at about 9.40PM that night, to complete my shift at the Mounted Section, Redfern.

Witness: Signature: [Signature]