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Date:

06 May, 2010 9:02

Subject: Forensic review re Murder of William DUTFIELD 20/11/1991

History:

This message has been forwarded.

Stephen,

I have answered your questions and are highlighted in blue.

regards

Craig Borton

RE: Forensic review of the Murder of William Dutfield at Mosman on the 20/11/1991

I have looked through the fingerprint jobs as listed below and in preparation for the Forensic Review can you check the issues listed below.

Robbery of William DUTFIELD on the 16/10/1991.

Case N166513 – (Index number 9208265)

FP result - Part Identified.

Your Exhibits No?

- ornamental phone (phone examined at scene)
- Cellophane from Cigarette Packet(examined at f/print section-Parramatta no exhibit number recorded on records)

RESULT: 'B' on phone and 'W' on Cigarette Packet

Dutfield and Richards identified

Can you confirm if who was identified on what?

Graph B - (ornamental phone - identified as DUTFIELD)

Graph W - (cellophane from cig. packet - identified as RICHARDS)

Murder of William Dutfield 20/11/1991.

Case N167206 – (Index number 9212068)

FR Result - Fully Eliminated Your Exhibit no. A297175

- Tissue Box
- Cask of Wine

• 2 x Beer Cans

RESULT: W1 on side of wine cask

Dutfield identified.

Case N166651 – (Index number 9210541)

FR Result – Fully Eliminated Your Exhibit no. Nil? At Scene

Nil exhibit no recorded - examined at scene under Forensic case N166651)

- Handset of telephone
- Whisky Bottle

RESULT: W1 and W2 on 100 Pipers Whisky bottle kitchen bench

B1 from handset of phone

Dutfield identified

Case N167016 – (Index number 9212061)

FR Result - Fully Eliminated

Your Exhibit number A297158

- 100 Pipers Whisky bottle
- Grey Wallet
- Metal Tape Dispenser
- Wheel of Tape Dispenser

RESULT: W1 and W2 on top centre near brand label on metal tape.

Ashworth identified as elimination...

Can you confirm this as the tape dispenser is the murder weapon and Ashworth was a suspect in 1991. The tape dispenser was also washed or wiped down.

There appears to be a possible error as the same bottle of whisky is in this case number and 166651. There is no label on tape dispenser however there is a logo. (there is a lable on the whisky bottle and just checking if mixed up result.) The tape dispenser is grey if this helps with the photos.

No mention of tape dispenser being murder weapon & ASHWORTH is only listed as elimination in our records. Scene photos N166651 shows tape dispenser in sink, no mention of being washed down. Tape dispenser has "bear" logo on side, and appears to be grey, although hard to tell with black and white photos.

Photos of whisky bottle on bench at scene, but only shows part of label, appears to be 100 Pipers brand. Appears whisky bottle examiend at scene and also taken as exhibit for further treatment???

Case N381775 – (Index number 0600190)

FR Result – No prints found

Your Exhibit number D212009 (could I get a copy) (this exhibit number does not appear on our archived exhibit book schedule, is possibly the Harbourside LAC exhibit No??? We do not have a copy.)

- Metal Tape Dispenser
- Wheel of Tape Dispenser

RESULT: Nil prints found.

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Regards,
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