

New South Wales Police

STATEMENT in matter of:

Place: Hornby Lighthouse at South Head.TOUCHING THE DEATH OFSAMANTHA RAYEDate: 20 March 1989.Name: Daniel WILLIS

(Surname in capitals)

Address: [REDACTED], CaringbahTel. No. [REDACTED]Occupation: Minister of Religion STATES:—

1. 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.

2. My date of birth is [REDACTED]

3. At about 9.30am on the 20 March 1989, I was walking along the rocks and I saw the body there asleep, well I thought it was asleep, I was about 20 yards away.

4. The way the body was lying made me think that something was wrong so I came closer and tried to see if his chest was moving. When there appeared to be no movement, I walked over to the body's right side and observed his face, his left eye was open or partially open, there was a blood or mucus dried stain running from his mouth and nose. I then touched his neck to check for a pulse, the body was cold, then I touched his heart region and found no vital signs.

5. I then went back up the top where I asked a National Parks and wildlife worker where I could use a phone. We then went into H.M.A.S Watson. Shaun then phoned the National Parks Office and they called Police.

6. I then came back down to the rocks where the body was and sat down about 20 yards away. While I was sitting there, no one else touched the body until the Police came, except an older fellow just came and observed the body from about 3 metres away.

WITNESS... Pat Duncombe

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Constable

Bondi Police Station.

SIGNED... Daniel Willis

Daniel WILLIS

Witness:

Signature: