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## STATEMENT OF A WITNESS

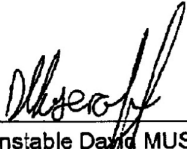
**In the matter of:** Attempted Abduction Lang Rd Centennial Park  
**Place:** Waverley Police Station  
**Date:** 16 October 2009

**Name:** I360

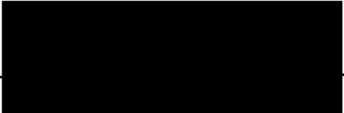
### STATES:

1. This statement made by me accurately sets out the evidence that 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 will be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything that I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.
2. I am 30 years of age.
3. About 8:27pm on Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 2009, I walked out of Fox Studios onto Lang Road Centennial Park, just after seeing a movie. I was walking alone and heading north easterly direction towards Oxford Street, back to Bondi Junction where I live.
4. As I was leaving this location I noticed a male who was of a slim build, about 170cm tall, he was in his early twenties and of black African appearance. He had a broad face and thick lips, he was wearing a black hooded jumper and dark jeans or pants. This male was sitting on a small brick wall east of the main exit. He was drinking a beer out of a bottle I had to walk directly past this male. As I passed the male he said "hello" to me, I responded with "hello", I did not stop and continued walking towards Lang Road.
5. I turned left onto Lang Road and as I approached the intersection of Lang Road and Cook St, Centennial Park, I turned around as I felt he may have been following me. I could not see the male at this stage and assumed he was not following me. I turned back around and continued walking home.

Witness:

  
 Constable David MUSCROFT  
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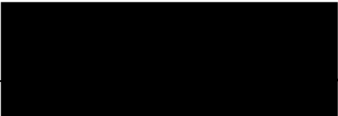
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- 6. I walked around the corner and started walking up the hill: I must have walked about 300 metres when I heard footsteps behind me. I turned around and noticed the abovementioned male about 15 metres behind me. I also noticed that he had his hood pulled down over his face, and he was still carrying the bottle of beer. I turned back around, still walking. I felt very scared and was unsure what to do. I heard him break into a run after I recognised him. I immediately moved out towards the road, more into the street light. Seconds later, he reached me and grabbed both my arms, pulling me out of the street light, away from passing cars and towards the bushes on the wall in front of the houses. I pulled harshly away from him and hit his arms. I managed to break free and I ran out onto the road and in front of a car, which swerved around me and did not stop. The male stayed on the footpath, out of the street light, so I moved further out onto the road and waved down a taxi. Once the taxi stopped, the male then ran away – down the hill, back towards Fox Studios. I jumped into the taxi. We stayed stationary for around 20 seconds as I was too emotional and shocked to talk. After explaining I had just been attacked, the taxi driver asked me where I lived and drove towards Bondi Junction. I then asked him to take me to the Police Station at Bondi Junction.
- 7. The taxi driver, who I do not have the details of, drove me to Waverley Police Station where I provided this statement and Police report.
- 8. I have never seen this male before and did not give him permission to grab or touch me. As a result of this, I am terribly upset and frightened.

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