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New South Wales Police

STATEMENT in matter of:  
Death of Robert MALCOLM.

Place: Taree Police  
Station.  
Date: 25th February, 92.

Name: MURPHY. Sharon Lee.

Address: [REDACTED]

Tel No.: nil

Occupation: Supporting parent pensioner.

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 age is 19 years.
3. I am a single lady and I live at the above address with my mother Val MURPHY. Back in early January, I cannot remember what day it was, but it was a Saturday morning, I got a bus from my mother's house at [REDACTED], to Bondi Junction Railway Station. I then caught a train to Redfern, and went to my auntie's house at [REDACTED] Eveleigh Street, Redfern. Her name is Anne Elizabeth HICKEY, she is known as shorty. I walked from the train station to Eveleigh Street, and I seen all Police standing around near the corner of Eveleigh Street and Holden Street. [REDACTED] 1310 was there and I asked him what happened. I then walked down to the house was, and I saw a man laying half in, and half out the door. He looked like he had been bashed. There was blood all over him, his head, his hair and his clothes. He was laying on his side, and there was a stick standing up against his lower back or backside.

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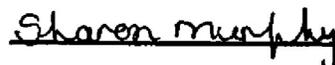
4. I then walked back up to Shorty's place and I was standing on the street outside her house, and Richard Green and Kirk Phillips were standing there too. Kirk and Richard live in the factory next to the house where the man was laying. I heard Kirk say to Richard, "He should have been dead. We didn't do the job properly." I said to Kirk, "What are you talking about." Kirk said, "That man Robert." He inclined his head towards the house where the man was laying. Then Kirk said, "Let's go before the coppers grab us." Then Kirk and Richard walked up Eveleigh Street away from the house where the man was laying.

5. On the night before, the Friday night, I was in Redfern walking up Eveleigh Street, towards the 7/11 Store, between about 8.30pm and 9.30pm. I seen Anthony Hookey, known as Beather, walking towards me, with the bloke who I seen the next morning laying in the house. Beather was carrying a carton of beer. They walked straight past me, they were just talking together. Both of them was drunk too. They were staggering as they were walking. As they walked past me I sang out to Beather, "Beather, can I get a dollar off you." He said, "yes, sis" He calls me Sis. He said to the man, "Give her a dollar please." Then the man opened his black wallet and I seen a lot of money in \$100 and \$20 notes in his wallet. He handed me a \$1 coin out of his wallet. I walked away and they kept walking the way they were going. I thought to myself, "He's going to get bashed and they'll take the money off him." I went to the 7/11 store and bought a packet kimbies, a bottle of drink and then I went to the fried rice shop and got some fried rice which I had ordered before I went to the 7/11 store.

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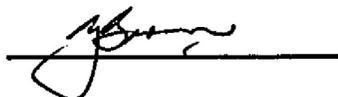
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6. When I left the 7/11 store I was walking back to Redfern and I saw Kirk Phillips and Richard Green, standing outside the house where the man was found the next morning. I didn't speak to them. I didn't see Beather or the man at that time. I went into my aunties place at [redacted] Eveleigh Street, and ate my fried rice and had my drink, and then I walked up Eveleigh Street to the railway station and got a cab home to Bondi.

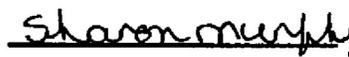
7. On the Saturday night, I went down to Karen's house, that's Karen Roberts, she lives in Eveleigh Street, I don't know the number. It was about 8.30pm. Richard Green, me, Karen were sitting down talking in the lounge room. Karen walked out of the room, out to the front, she went to get a smoke or something, and me and Richard were still in there, and he kept saying to me, "You're next." I said, "What do you mean." He said, "Like that what happened to that man last night." I said to him, "I'll get someone to bash you if you touch me." He kept saying, "Be careful." Then I got up and walked out and he sang out, "Sharon, come back." I said, "No. 'cause your too schitzo." Then him and Karen went to the Garage and they come back and Richard sang out, "Sharon come here, I want to tell you something." I said, "What." He said, "There's a man down there, there's a man down there who's going to kill you, come for a walk." I said, "no." He said, "I'll show you." I said, "no." I then got a smoke of Karen and went up to my uncles, where I was sleeping. He is Uncle Ross Coffey, of [redacted] Eveleigh Street. I slept there that night.

8. I forgot to mention, that when I said to Richard, "I'll get someone to bash you if you touch me", I also said, "I'll get the Police onto you." Richard said, "Go on, I'll

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get you in the long run. I know you Sharon you won't." That's when he said, "be careful" and I got up and walked away from him.

9. On the next night, the Sunday night, I was in Redfern again, in Eveleigh Street, standing across from Holden Street, and Kirk and Richard were sitting out the front of an empty house. I heard Kirk say to Richard, "See we didn't do the job properly, he should have been dead." Then I walked up to my auntie Patricia [REDACTED] and told her what I had heard.

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