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STATEMENT in matter	of:	Place:	Redfern Police Station		
Death of MALCOL					
		Date:	3rd March, 1992.		
Name:	James Frederick SMITH		. 68		
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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 knoqwledge and belief and I make it knowing that if it is tendered in evidence I shall be liable to profsecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

I am 23 years of age.

I am asingle man living in a de facto relationship with Janine Honeysett. I aklso ≰live with her mother Joan Honeysett.

I am employed by the Community Devolement Programme as a labourfer and have been so employed since June, 1991.

On Friday night the 10th January, 1991, about 8.30pm I went to the Clifton Hotel in Waterloo with Janine and Donna MORGAN. She lives at Eveleigh Street. We stayed there drinking beer and talking with a group of people. I didn't see Beaver HOOKEY there at all. I remember seeing Barbara STACEY around the pool table. We stayted there drinking until closing time, around 12 midnight. I had eaten before I went to the pub so when I left the pub I wasn't charged up. We went down to Eveleigh Street. Janine and Donna was with me and when we got there it would have been about 12.10am we sat around the Housing Company on the steps. About lam we left and caught a taxi to the Mansions Hotel in Kings Cross.

I think it was about 2am when I saw Beaver HOOKEY arrive. He walked in by himself and went over to his Aunties, Dot Hookey and a group of others. Janine, Donna and me sat around the table with them. Whilst we were sitting there Beaver kept flashing all this money he had, mostly \$20 notes. It was a roll of notes packed tight and he kept it in his 'jocks'. He started 'shouting ' the drinks for the group. Some were drinking beer and some were drinking spirits. He would have been buying drinks for about 5 or 6 of us. He showing us this mone in his underpants, He said, "I just rolled someone."

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He could have said, "I did a roll." By that I beleived that he had robbed someone of their money. He shouted about two or three rounds and it would have been around 5am when Janine, Donna and me jumnped in a cab and went to the Subway Hotel. Janine and Donna let me off at the Hotel and they continued on to Redfern. I went into the pub but I didn't have much money on me. I bought a middy of beer and put a few bob in the poker machine. It was shortly after this that Beaver and the others who had been at the Mansions, arrived. He was with Dot his Auntie and a couple of his mates. I asked him if he would buy me a beer and he started 'shouting' again. Later BarbARA STACEY arrived and we sat around drinking and talking. Beaver was shouting his Auntie and his group as well as me until we left there about 9.45am. We caught a cab to Eveleigh Street. I was with Dot, Beaver and this white fellow and we all jumped out. Beaver paid the cab fare. We were standing outside Jean No. Eveleigh Street and I said to Beaver, "I want some money." He said, "I'll give you eighty bucks and I'll shout you all day." He pulled a wad of money from his underpants, took \$80 from it real quick and gave it to me. I gave back \$40 to Beaver to buy some beer.

I walked up the street to No. which is Darby WARD's house and crashed there. I didn't see Darby there but his nephews were there. I an CROWE was there. I just slept on the lounge.

I slept there until about 3pm when I woke up I just went home and that was when I found out that some bloke had been bashed in Eveleigh Street the night before.

Since this has happened I have spoken to Richard GREEN on num, ber of occasions and he has been carrying on real strange. He seemed Alright before but he has been saying things like "They're going to get me" and "watch me back."

Witness: Signature: James Smith