

WITNESS STATEMENT

Agency Ref : **S013**
PF Ref :

Surname : BELL Other or previous surname :

Forenames : Collette [REDACTED] DoB : / / Age : 26

Occupation : [REDACTED] Other Occupation :

Police Station : Years Service :

Disclosable address :

Post Code:

This statement was taken :

Date and time : 3rd of May 2015 11.12

By : DC 157 PARKER
Place : WITHIN KIRKCALDY POLICE STATION

In the presence of :

I have/the witness signed/refused to sign this and all other pages

It was/not read over to the witness and was/not recorded on Audio tape and/or Video tape

States :

I can confirm that I am the above named person and live at the address given. I have been contacted by officers today (3/5/15) and asked to provide a statement about my movements last night and the call I made to the police today (3/5/15). I have lived with my partner Sheku Ahmed Tejan BEYOH at my home address for the last two years. He lived there before me. We have been together for 2½ years, 3 years in September.

We have a 15 weeks old son together. His name is [REDACTED]. I work as a [REDACTED] but I am off on maternity leave. Sheku worked for Scottish Gas call centre in Edinburgh. He usually works all week and his days off are a Wednesday and a Sunday.

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On Saturday 2nd May 2015, Sheku went to work as normal about 7am (0700 hrs 2/5/15). Everything was fine we hadn't fallen out or nothing. He must have rang me at 1220 hours (2/5/15) to ask if I wanted to go for a meal at his friends Zahid SAEED. He text me again at 2.30pm (1430hrs 2/5/15) then rang me just before he got home.

He rang me at around 4pm (1600 hours 2/5/15) just to ask if I was back home.

He must have arrived home at 4.30pm (1630 hours 2/5/15). We both went to Farmfoods shopping at 5pm (1700 hours 2/5/15). I was aware that Sheku had plans to go to his sisters, Kardei JOHNSON's (address unknown) that evening because it was his niece's birthday. I think I dropped Sheku off at his sisters at 5.50pm (1750 hours 2/5/15). I then went to my mums to stay the night. This was because Zahid had cancelled and was coming down to our house instead and they were going watch the boxing, so I thought it would be easier to go to my mums for the night. He rang me at 8.40pm (2040 hours 2/5/15) when I was at my mums. He told me about his niece's birthday but seemed to be annoyed with his sister. I wasn't sure if he was drunk but he can be quite skitty at times. I think someone had annoyed him at his sisters. What I mean by skitty is he gets annoyed then just brushes it off. He said that he might leave the party and had arranged to meet Zahid.

The next time I heard from Sheku was around 1140pm (2340 hours 2/5/15), I rang him. He was just asking how [REDACTED] was and we discussed photographs of him. He seemed happy enough and said he was missing us. He said him and Zahid were just chilling at our house. He never said if they were drinking and I couldn't really tell. He said he wasn't going to have a late one because he was meant to have his other son. His other son is [REDACTED] called [REDACTED]. This was to his previous partner Connie BARCIK [REDACTED]). He said he had contacted his ex-girlfriend but she had not replied. He never mentioned what he was doing the rest of the night. He seemed a lot happier compared to earlier and I said I would see him tomorrow (3/5/15).

The next thing I heard was a text from Zahid at 07.30am (0730 hrs 3/5/15) asking if I could phone him.

I rang Zahid straight back because it was unlike Zahid to contact me. When I rang him he seemed to take ages to say it, but he said "SHEK'S FINE, SHEK'S FINE", he seemed disorientated. He just seemed like he didn't want to tell me something, so I just said tell me.

Then he just said that Shek had attacked him. He never said why, he only said they were having a conversation and Shek had said people were being disrespectful to him. He said they were at Martin's and Shek had got it into his head that someone was disrespecting him. Zahid said Shek was flipping and had tried to calm him down. It seemed Zahid was only telling me some of the truth. He said Sheku had attacked him and chased him down the street. I asked how he got away from him. Zahid said he had pushed Sheku and jumped over a garden. He kept saying he didn't want to worry me because if he had hit him, he might come home and hit me. He said Sheku had just flipped and was really worried about him. Sheku has known Zahid for years and they never fall out and they are best friends. Zahid is the only

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one that Sheku speaks to if he has problems. He told me not to go home for a few hours if he is still in that frame of mind. He said he just seemed to get angrier and angrier and Zahid said he had used him as a human punch bag. He gets wound up but I have never seen him be violent and he certainly hasn't been violent towards me. When the call finished it made me worry more and worried where Sheku was. I tried to text Sheku and then rang him at around 0800am (0800 hours 3/5/15). But I got no answer. Zahid said this had all happened around 6.50am (0650 hours 3/5/15).

I was that worried I went home and got there around 0805am (0805 hours 3/5/15). I went to the front door, which was locked, when I went in, I saw the kitchen door open. As I walked into the kitchen there were jackets belonging to Sheku and a hoodie on the floor. I saw the kitchen drawer was open. This contains knives and cutlery normally. There was also fridge magnets all over the kitchen floor. I went upstairs to see if he was in. At first I thought the T.V had been stolen as it wasn't there and Sheku's aftershave was lying on the floor. I thought we had been burgled at first but the T.V was on the floor.

After seeing all this I rang my mum at 8.10am (0810 hours 3/5/15). My mum told me to ring Zahid back. As soon as I came off the phone to my mum I rang Zahid again. He told me to get out the house and to stay on the phone until I was in the car. He said he was really worried for my safety in case Sheku came back in the same angry state of mind. I asked him where he had ran and he said he would tell me later and to just get out the house.

I put the phone down on Zahid and ran down the street near my house to see if I could see anything. I got back in my car and drove around to see if I could see him. I bumped into one of his friends, Jamie HUME and I asked him if he saw him. Jamie said he hadn't seen him but tried to ring Martin DICK's phone. He didn't get any answer from Martin, this is where they were meant to have gone to watch the boxing.

I can't mind exactly but I rang the police around 8.35am (0835 hours 3/5/15) and told them that my boyfriend had been in a fight. I explained he had been fighting with his best friend and my house was a mess and the door was open. After speaking with the police Zahid rang me and told me to go to the police station and not go home. I thought it safer to get my mum. So I drove to Glenrothes to get my mum and returned home. When I got home I was contacted by C.I.D officers (DC's PARKER and MITCHELL). Since this Zahid has text me to ring him but I haven't. He has text asking if Sheku is ok but I have told him because I don't know.

I don't know whether Sheku and Zahid were drinking last night. Sheku doesn't drink that much only a few at the weekends I have only ever seen him drunk once. I know he used to take drugs, he used to smoke weed. But as long as I have been with him he has never taken drugs because he knows I am against them.

The only time I can think out of character is about 2 months ago. We had an argument because he couldn't control his temper. I asked him if he was on drugs or steroids but he said no. I know he used to take steroids and know they make you aggressive. He was just acting so out of character. He said he definitely hadn't.

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Sheku BEYOH b. 30/09/83 at Africa. I would describe him as 5'9", medium build. Black hair shaved really short. He is black skinned and has marks on his face on the left side from shingles it looks like a half circle mark. He has a few scars one on the web of his right hand and one on his upper left arm.

I can confirm that this is an accurate and true account of my involvement.

I can identify Sheku BEYOH as my partner.

Signed :

(Witness)

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CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL - NOT TO BE DISCLOSED

Surname : BELL Forenames: Collette [REDACTED]
Alias/known as :

Place of birth : Age : over 18

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Post Code :

Mobile :
Email :
Fax/Pager :
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Dates when unavailable in next 12 months :

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