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**WITNESS STATEMENT**

(CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3) (a) and 5B; MC Rules 1981, r.70)

Statement of: BURGESS, DAVID

Age if under 18: OVER 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: CIVIL SERVANT

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This statement (consisting of 1 page(s) each signed by me) 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 anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

Signed: D Burgess

Date: 19/05/2005

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I have been employed by the Civil Service for 14 years and am currently employed by the Office for National Statistics as a Team Manager in Certificate Services.

A search was made in the index of births, marriages and deaths held in custody of the Registrar General, which is a complete record of all events registered in England and Wales.

I can state that an event was registered and a certified copy produced for the following:

A death certificate for Elsie Hester LAVENDER date of death 6<sup>th</sup> March 1996 (06/03/1996) in Gosport.

I now mark and refer to this document as Exhibit DB/2010.

The records held by the Registrar General are created or received by employees in the course of business and information contained therein was supplied by persons who had or could reasonably be supposed to have personal knowledge of the events recorded.

Signed: D Burgess  
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Signature Witnessed by: