

**LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS
HEALTH AND SAFETY**

RESTRICTED (when complete)

Witness Statement

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CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3) (a) and 5B; Criminal Proc

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Statement of: [REDACTED]

Age if under 18 (if over insert "over 18"): over 18

Occupation: Surveillance Operative

This statement (consisting of [REDACTED] Pages(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 in it, anything which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Name / Signature: [REDACTED]

Date: 26/07/2018

Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded: ☐ (Supply witness details on last page)

Statement

1. I am [REDACTED] and I am employed by [REDACTED].
2. I was instructed by [REDACTED] to attend Health One, 66 Middlesex Street, E1 7EZ in order to conduct a test purchase task on behalf of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets.
3. At approximately 14:40 hrs on the 26/07/2018 I visited Health One, 66 Middlesex Street, E1 7EZ, in order to conduct a test purchase task.
4. Upon entering the premises, I was greeted by an Asian female who appeared to be in her 30's. This female wore a short and tight-fitting yellow dress. The female had a small tattoo on her upper left chest. I would describe the female as "very friendly and chatty".
5. The female immediately asked me if I wanted an hour-long massage. I replied that I only required thirty minutes. I paid the female £30 in cash and she lead me downstairs. As we walked towards the steps to head downstairs, I noticed two sofas, a small reception area and a treatment room on the ground floor.
6. Once we had descended into the downstairs area, I would describe the area as dark. I noticed a further three treatment rooms downstairs. Two females who appeared to be members of staff were conversing within one of the rooms. The initial female proceeded to lead me into a room. This room was very small and contained only a massage bed and a small cupboard unit.
7. Once inside the room, the female told me to take-off all my clothing and lie on the bed. The female then left the room. I removed all of my clothing except for my underwear and climbed onto the massage bed, lying on my front.

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8. *The female returned to the room, after which she then positioned an air conditioning unit to face me.*
9. *The female began to remove my underwear before then stopping and stating that I should remove my underwear. I politely declined to remove my underwear and the female then began the massage.*
10. *During the initial period of the massage I would describe the female as acting in a very friendly manner. We discussed the heatwave and she complimented my physique several times. I would describe the massage as thorough and delivered to a high standard.*
11. *Over 20 minutes into the massage the female instructed me to lie on my back, which I did. The female then proceeded to massage my upper thighs. At this point the female then asked me if I would like a "happy ending". I asked what the cost of this would be, to which she replied "£30". I politely declined the offer.*
12. *After I had declined the offer, I would describe the mood as having changed. I would describe the atmosphere as now being "frosty".*
13. *The massage continued for approximately another 60 seconds, after which she stated that she had finished and immediately left the room. I did not see this female again.*
14. *I replaced my clothing and returned back upstairs. I was thanked by a different female in the reception area as I departed the premises at approximately 15:10 hrs.*
15. *During this visit I was offered, without any previous suggestion by myself, services of an apparent sexual nature.*
16. *I declined all offers of such services.*
17. *Following my visit, I immediately returned to my vehicle and wrote notes on the details of the event within a document on my work-issued smart-phone on 26/07/2018. I exhibit these as KC.003.*
18. *I believe the facts stated in this witness statement are true.*

Name / Signature: _____