

WITNESS STATEMENT

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Statement of Amy Lucinda Walker

Age if under 18

(if over 18 insert 'over 18')

Occupation

Financial Analyst

This statement (consisting of 13 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 in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

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Date 21-04-2010

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I am currently employed as a Financial Analyst at Credit Suisse, at One Cabot Square, London E14 4QJ.

I have worked for the Company since the 3rd of December 2007.

At the end of 2009 my line manager Rhian Tucker put me forward to fast track promotion, with Chris Carmichael, who used to be the head of equity research.

I love my job, it is stressful, I review reports and general information on European Chemical Companies and I then write a report, publishing my research and I then advise my clients to buy or sell stock in the companies.

I have suffered with performance anxiety all my life, in late 2008 I sought professional help and saw Doctor Ozzolino

He prescribed Paroxetine to help me, I take 1 tablet a day, a total of 30mg.

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It has helped me, I have only been taking this for the past 7 weeks.

Before it was citalopram which I took for 6 months, I came off it as I did not want to be on drugs long term. I sought counselling and I felt it helped, but Rhian went on maternity leave and I took over her work as well as my own, and I had trouble coping, I worried about my work constantly so Dr Gazzalino put me on Paroxetine.

I am not a regular or heavy drinker, I rarely drink with a meal, I sometimes have a G&T and Fanta or 2 fingers worth of whisky and I am fine.

I can remember the last time I got drunk, Tristan Jakob - Hott my boyfriend at 18 years and I went to the Fat Duck in Bray for dinner.

We had the tasting menu and it came with wine.

I can remember everything that happened and because I was feeling ill I made myself sick to get rid of the alcohol.

To help me get onto the Paroxetine, I took Diazepam for two weeks and I now take a Beta Blocker called Propantheline.

I last took a Diazepam about 2 weeks ago otherwise my health is good, I am 1.68m tall and I weigh 57 kilograms.

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The office I work in, is open plan, there are 8 other people who work around me.

Lars Kjellberg who is a paper analyst.

Subhra Kantidas who is a junior mining & steel analyst.

Sathish Muriyan, he is a data analyst.

Nicola Tate who is the team assistant.

Michael Shillaker who is the managing director analyst for steel, mining and the metals sector.

Liam Fitzpatrick who is a Vice president on the mining team.

Alessandro Abate who is an associate on the steel team.

Marilyn Moore who is a director on the commodities desk.

I do not mix with anyone other than Rhian outside of work, as far as I know there is not a company policy about personal or sexual relationships outside of the work place.

Michael Shillaker is a bad man, everyone knows what he is doing, he talks crudely on the phone, he flirts at Nicola, the team assistant about what he wants.

I am aware that he is ~~kickin~~ getting divorced and that his wife kicked him out, as he was talking about the apartment he is renting.

I am aware that he and his wife were trying to conceive, but I do not believe he has any

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Michael is a bully in the work place, if he doesn't get his own way he shouts, he sends out emails cc'ing everyone in about his staff's failings. He will have meetings with his staff in front of us, and he is rude to them so that we can all hear.

He has had screaming matches with staff, he recently made Nicola Gay and the next day she handed in her notice.

I am also aware that a lady called Eily Cng resigned because of Michael and his behaviour towards her.

Also Hannah Kirby came back from maternity leave and she left because of Michael's emails^{to her} email abuse.

Michael is very good at his job, but I am afraid of him, and avoid any conversation with him.
I stay off his radar.

Part of my job is meeting clients, and I represent the bank at those meetings so I dress smartly. On Friday 1st April 2010 I had a meeting^{new} with Aviva at their offices at 10:30am^{11am}. I ~~wore~~^{had} wore a black and white fitted 3/4 length sleeveless, round neck dress which came to my mid thigh.

I had on dark black tights and 3inch black high heeled shoes.

I had a black & white scarf tied around my

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neck and a small amount of make up.

I had a purple mid calf length coat on.

I start work at 6.45am and I left to go to my meeting at 9.30am with Oliver Thompson.

I did not talk to Michael before I left.

I got back to the office about 11.40am and after lunch I noticed Michael watching me. I got up and he commented 'You're looking very glamorous today' I blushed and carried on working. Then had to speak to Molinda who sits next to him.

I was stood between Molinda and him.

I was side on to him and I heard him say 'O stop ^{all} jumping around in front of us in that dress'

I blushed again and left to go back to my desk.

I had never worn the dress to work before, but I do wear dresses or skirts to the office, in fact shorter skirts, but Michael has never commented on them before.

James McGeough came and spoke to Michael, and I heard Michael say 'Jimmy hate you seen Amy's dress' to which James said

'Yeah I asked her where the rest of it was'

He had asked me that earlier and I took offence. I am an engineer by trade and I am used to working in environments where there are a lot of males.

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I am used to banter, I am not flirty and I know that there is a level of banter in all work places. Michael had never made any comments about me previously and it made me feel uncomfortable that he had noticed me on Friday.

Michael started mentioning going for drinks after work to spoke to Melinda and Nicola, and Melinda said she would but she couldn't stay long as she was going to a party and Nicola refused.

Michael then mentioned it to me and Lars, I said no to begin with as I had a lot to do, and he told me to stop being so boring.

Melinda and Michael made a bit of a joke about the fact that I never went out with them, so I said 'I'll go if Lars goes'.

As Lars is a family man I assumed he would refuse so that I wouldn't have to go, but I had forgotten that his family were away and he said 'Yes'.

I don't enjoy going out with people from work, I am not a drinker, but I felt that I should make the effort to go and not appear rude.

Michael also invited Subhra and Sathish to come along.

I did send an email to Arnaud Lehmann which basically said 'Mike's trying to get me to go to the bar.'

What do you think? Shall I go? If I do it's just a shameless career-bidder climbing move Cheshire

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eying me up all day) how far does one go to the
sister of ones' job?

This was sent at 17:57 on the 16th April 2010.
He replied 'Go for it' I'll be jealous but I'll survive'
I replied 'Haha good, that's what I was going to
I kinda have to' He said I'd go if Lars went expecting
Lars to cry off (forget his family's in Sweden)
He said 'He'd come'. So I gotta go too.

I replied 'You should come. I'd love to see you
vs Mike. That would be funny. And you can be
my bodyguard.'

He replied at 18:17. "And you kindly reminded me
that I have a wife so I should go home and take
care of her, while you're flirting in the pub with
good looking male colleagues."

I had no intention of flirting with Mike or anyone
else for that matter. I am happy in my relationship
and I am not boozing to another man in my life.

Arnaud had asked me to go out to drink's before
and I had always said no.

Michael, Melinda, Subhra and Sathish left to
the pub about 6:20pm and I stayed in the office
with Lars.

I did say to Lars 'Are we not going?' but he
said 'No we will go'

Sathish came back and said that he had been
sent back to bring us to the bar.

We all left together and went to the Comedy Barrow

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Public House just to the back of Credit Suisse. Subirha was already at the bar ordering drinks for everyone. Mike told us to go and order what we wanted. I asked for a small glass of white wine, which I picked up and took my drink outside, as there was no seating inside.

The rest of the group were sitting on the stairs that lead up to the bar from the paved square to the side of the bank.

The weather was good enough to be outside but not warm enough for me to take my coat off. Melinda was sat to my right on a small wall and Subirha was to my left.

Mike was sat on the opposite wall with Lars beside him and Sathish was stood next to Melinda.

The mood within the group was good, and I was trying talking to Melinda.

A member of bar staff was tending to the tables outside and Mike called him over and ordered another round of drinks. I had not finished my first glass, but Mike said 'Ch open have another'. I said a white wine and the bar man asked Mike 'small or large'. And Mike made a 'large' gesture with his hands (he held them far apart).

I didn't say anything.

The drinks came out on a tray and Mike directed where they were going.

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Mike did say to me 'Never that no' meaning to me to finish my first glass of wine.

I carried on drinking my glass and I remember finishing that drink and taking a gap of the second.

It was a different taste to the first wine.

I was still talking to Molinda and I finished 3/4 of my second glass of wine.

Lars had left. Mike was opposite me, he looked across at me and smiled. He said 'Amy, take your coat off.'

I said No, I was embarrassed, but I did laugh. He kept on about me taking my coat off. So I did take it off my shoulders and sat on it. My dress did ride up and showed a lot of my legs. I tried to pull my dress down.

Lars, Mike and Molinda made comments about length of the skirt.

I didn't want to appear prissy. I didn't want to make an issue of it, so I just left it and carried on talking to Molinda.

Lars left.

Molinda said she had a party to go to, and she left. She did not kiss any of us good-bye.

I was still sat on the wall and Mike came over and sat in a chair next to me.

I cannot say where Subhra and Sathish were had gone to.

Mike and I were talking about me being a good

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analyst and he asked me how long I had been with my boyfriend, I told him 10 years and he told me that he had been with his wife for 10 years. I don't think I had my coat on, where he was sat, he was above me, I had to look up to talk to him.

At some point another glass of wine arrived for me, I cannot remember asking for it, and Mike did not leave me to go and get it.

I don't know how this 3rd glass of wine arrived beside me.

I felt lightheaded, but I wasn't slurring my speech. I did not feel threatened by Mike, he was an arms distance away from me.

I think Mike asked me if I had ever been with my boyfriend, I took that to mean who was Tristan the guy man I had slept with.

I told Mike that he was, I don't remember his response.

I can't remember if I asked him or it just came up in conversation, if he had slept with Nicola or Hannah + Hannah.

He said no, but I had seen him give Nicola jewellery when I first met them. I had assumed they were a couple as they were always hugging. He and Hannah seemed to have history together. I don't remember feeling alarmed, and I would have said I was having a nice time.

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I have no clear memories after that

I have fleeting memories of Mike kissing me, and his tongue in my mouth, he tasted of cigarettes.

He had cupped his hand around my right breast and he was squeezing it.

I can remember his hand resting on my thigh, I can't remember if it was above or below my skirt

I can remember seeing his face close up to mine and him saying 'Ames I'd like to go with you to a hotel' 'I'd like to take you to a hotel'
We were still at the bar on the stairs.

I remember someone saying 'Get a room' I felt ashamed.

I cannot remember telling Mike No or trying to get away.

Couldn't move - I don't know why, I hadn't drunk that much, I don't recall finishing the 2nd drink or starting the 3rd.

I would never knowingly kiss Mike or allow him to touch my body, I respected him as an analyst but despised him as a human being.

I have never been unfaithful to Tristan or would I want to be.

I remember being sick, and then coming to in front entrance hall of Credit Suisse and a bdy standing over me, Tristan was there.

I have no further memory until being in the shower at home, unable to stand up.

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and having some nice to eat.

When I woke the next day, I had no headache but lots of bruising to my knees, bruising on my back and screams. I have no idea how I get those.

Tristan told me that I called him and asked him to come and get me, that he told me to walk to meet him and I said I couldn't move.

He says that Mike called him, and told him that he had tried to put me in a taxi that the taxi wouldn't take me and to come along to the bank to get me.

I remembered the next morning bits and pieces and I know that I would never want to kiss Mike, if I had been sober.

^{ALW} I went to the Royal London Hospital as I believed some drug had been put in my drink but they sent me to the police to report the assault.

I went into work on Monday and we Mike and I met at the lift, he was coming out as I was going in.

He said 'How are you alright' I said 'Yes I'm fine' and I went into the lift.

I was at my desk when I get an email from him timed at 07:35 which said 'Are you ok' Haven't said a word to anyone

I did not reply

Then later at 10:29hrs I had another email from Mike

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I have a company Blackberry on which I can access my work emails and, on the 1st April 2010 at 10.29 I had an email from ~~Lars~~ MilG saying

'Hey I hope u r OK'

God was really worried about u last night. Are u alive? Hope u r recovering at least. See u Monday!!
And get well MilG

I have had no further contact with him.

I did ask Lars to send out an email about drinks being spilled at Arnay & Barrow and to staff to be aware.

I had told Lars what I remembered happening had happened, there was nothing in the email about MilG or Credit Suisse.

I wanted MilG to know that I had a memory of the evening, and if he had spilt my drink it had failed to obliterate my memories, but didn't want to give him a reason to come after me in the work place.

I have now reported this to work.

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