



LAW ENFORCEMENT STATEMENT

Case Number: 19-02-0944

County: (07) Beaufort

I, Laura Kent, make the following statement freely and voluntarily to Michael Brook, who has identified themselves as an official of the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources, Law Enforcement Division.

was working as an ED Tech the night of the boat crash. I was in and out of the room that Paul was in. He did not express any concern about anyone else that was involved in the crash. When I asked him for a urine sample he then smiled at me and asked me if I was going to "hold it for him." When I went back into the room he pointed to my butt and said "oh wow that's nice." I helped the doctor stitch up Morgan's hand. She kept going back and forth from crying & talking about Mallory to talking completely about unrelated things such as mentioning one of the other police officers was "so hot." I also heard Paul's father stop Connor on his way over to CT and kept telling him not to say anything, that he (Paul's father) would take care of it. LK

I have read this statement consisting of 1 page(s) and have initialled all corrections. I fully understand its entire contents and solemnly swear (or affirm) that it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. No threats or promises have been made to obtain this statement.

Described and sworn to (or affirmed) before me, this 15 day of March, 2019

Signature of Officer <u>Mitchell</u>	Affiant <u>Laura Kent</u>
Witness <u>Cheryl</u>	Address <u>[Redacted] Court Rd. Beaufort, SC 29902</u>

WAS INTERVIEW TAPED? NO YES AUDIO ONLY AUDIO & VIDEO