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COURT OF KING'S BENCH OF ALBERTA

JUDICIAL CENTRE

EDMONTON

APPLICANTS

CHASITY PHILLIPS and
RHONDA SPENCE

RESPONDENTS

EDMONTON POLICE SERVICE, ALBERTA
CROWN PROSECUTION SERVICE,
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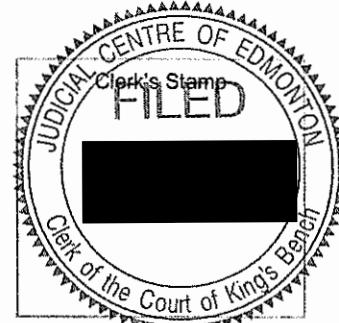
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I, [REDACTED] of Edmonton, Alberta, AFFIRM AND SAY THAT:

1. I am a resident of Alberta over the age of 18 years and make this affidavit voluntarily and of my own free will. In this Affidavit, I have set out my recollection of events that I observed shortly before and after midnight on February 5-6, 2025 at and around the MacEwan LRT Station.
2. I was living in an apartment located very close to the MacEwan LRT station in downtown Edmonton in February 2025. Just before midnight on February 5, 2025, I was gaming with headphones on when my former partner alerted me to some very loud activity on the LRT platform, most of which is visible from my bedroom window and balcony.
3. I looked out my bedroom window and, almost immediately, I began recording a video of what I could see. Attached and marked respectively as [REDACTED] (which I started recording at 11:42 pm) and [REDACTED] (which I started recording at 11:44 pm) to this, my Affidavit, are the first second of two cell phone videos that I recorded of events that I observed at the MacEwan LRT station that night.



4. I personally observed the following events and details from my apartment immediately to the southwest of the MacEwan LRT station that night:
 - a. I heard a lot of screaming and shouting; shouting itself is not uncommon in the area, but I watched people leaving the LRT station, I assumed they did not want to get involved in the altercation that my ex-partner overhead.
 - b. On the platform, I saw a group of people and a woman who was screaming and being kicked while lying on the floor on the platform.
 - c. I also saw someone in a grey hoodie and black jacket walk down the platform, to the west, following another person all in black with a black and white backpack on their back. Both individuals were walking away from the main station, toward a walkway that divides and goes downtown to the left, and also goes right, to a small park that is immediately beside the MacEwan LRT station on the north side.
 - d. I have since learned that the individual in the grey hoodie and black jacket was Eric Omeasoo ("Eric").
 - e. My ex-partner and I turned out attention back to the woman on the platform who was screaming and being kicked by two other individuals. I stopped recording after watching this occur.
 - f. I did not personally notice Eric being involved in kicking or beating up the person who was lying on the LRT platform.
 - g. I resumed recording when I realized more activity was occurring. I recorded a chase between the man with the black and white backpack and Eric, but eventually they ran to a portion of the platform I could not see from my apartment.
 - h. I saw and heard someone standing on a walkway, above the LRT station on the Roger's Place side, asking someone on the LRT platform below, while someone was crying, "Are they going to be okay?" I assumed in that moment the person asking was referring to the woman who had been screaming while lying on the platform. Someone from the platform, who I could not see, said "I don't know".
5. As shown in the second video I made, [REDACTED] I recorded Eric and the man with the black and white back pack. Eric has a knife and is stabbing the air like jousting, in front of him, while the man with the back pack is retreating. Then Eric gets cut with the back-pack man's knife, and Eric runs away, with the back-pack man chasing after him and others. Back-pack man was shouting what sounded like "You're dead! You're dead too! You're all fucking dead" at Eric.
6. In addition to what I saw in the videos I recorded, I observed:
 - a. Police vehicles and officers arrived several minutes after the videos I took. They arrived from the roadway that is north of the MacEwan LRT station. I saw two police vehicles stopped there initially, and later saw a fire and rescue vehicle. I did not see any ambulance arrive.

b. I saw a person who appeared to be male and an adult size walking through the park located immediately north of the station. The person got down on their knees, then laid down, and was taken into custody by some police officers who were arriving around the same time. I could not see details of the person or what they were wearing, though I thought they had some brighter coloured clothing on top. I did not recognize the person as any of the people I'd seen on the platform.

7. I called 911 and asked for an ambulance for the woman and screaming on the LRT platform.

8. Nobody had gotten back to me about my report of having been a witness, so a few days after the events of that night, I approached an Edmonton Police Service ("EPS") officer before doors opened for an Oilers game at Roger's Place. I told the officer that I was astounded that I had not been contacted by EPS. I then arranged with my now ex-partner to go to EPS headquarters downtown for each of us to be interviewed about what we observed. The interviews were scheduled within a few days of the events of February 5, 2025.

9. When my ex-partner and I arrived at the Downtown EPS station, each of us were taken into private interview rooms.

10. In my interview, which I was told was recorded by the EPS officer who interviewed me, I mentioned the woman screaming and the EPS officer told me I was mistaken, that it was a man who had been screaming in pain.

11. After the EPS interview, I felt and continue to feel that my own experience of what I observed and recorded was contradicted by the officer who interviewed me telling me what occurred. The officer's correction of my observation still troubles me and has left me very unsettled. I remain unconvinced that what I heard was the voice of a man screaming while being kicked on the platform.

12. I make this Affidavit in support of the Judicial Review application brought by the Applicants, in which court proceeding I am not a party and have no direct involvement apart from making this affidavit voluntarily.

AFFIRMED BEFORE ME on [REDACTED])
Edmonton, Alberta)
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