

SUPPORT STATEMENT

SECTION A — SURVIVOR DETAILS *(office use only)*

Survivor Name: Trevor Truman

Date of Birth: 03/06/1972

SECTION B — Supporting Person Details

Name: Laura Campbell

Relationship to Survivor: Friend – In care together

Length of Relationship: Since Childhood

Purpose of This Statement

I am providing this statement in support of the above survivors Redress Scotland application. I know them personally and wish to offer information about their experiences they shared with me, and the impact this has had on their life.

What the Survivor shared with me

It wasn't shared with me as I witnessed the incident in person. I was in care in the same placement. Another child and I were sitting on the sofa, Trevor had hidden underneath. The care worker (Budge Burgess) came in and asked Trevor to come out, when Trevor didn't come out, he then lifted the sofa and dropped it on Trevor's legs. Which hurt him. Trevor came out annoyed and had an argument with the Budge. It escalated and Trevor ended up being incorrectly restrained by 2 staff members. They sat on his chest for a very long time, and they were restricting his breathing. This was also witnessed by 3 other residents.

Impact to the Survivor that I have observed

He had depression over the incident and went on to have PTSD. He doesn't trust anyone and has a fear of authority.

Supporting Statement confirmation

I offer this statement to support the above survivor's application. Everything I have written reflects what they have shared with me and what I have personally observed during the time I have known them.

Name: Laura Campbell

Date: 25/03/26

