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**Author:**

**Statement:**

**Dated:**

**Filed on behalf of the Applicant**

**Case No.**

**IN THE FAMILY COURT AT EAST LONDON**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE CHILDREN ACT 1989, SECTION 31**

**AND IN THE MATTER OF: XXXX (DOB)**

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**LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS**

**Applicant**

**-AND-**

**XXX**

**1st Respondent**

**- AND -**

**XXX**

**2nd Respondent**

**- AND -**

**XXXX**

**3rd Respondent**

**-AND-**

**XXX**

**(THROUGH THEIR GUARDIAN)**

**4th – 5th Respondent**

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|  | **UPDATING STATEMENT OF**  **SOCIAL WORKER** |  |

I, XXX, (Social Worker), of 1st Floor, 160 Whitechapel Road, London E1 1BJ – will say as follows:

1. I obtained a Master’s Degree in Social Work from xxxxx. I have been employed by the London Borough of Tower Hamlets as a Social Worker since XXX.
2. I have been the allocated social worker on this case since xxxx. I am duly authorised to make this statement on behalf of London Borough of Tower Hamlets. The matters referred to in this statement are either from my own personal knowledge or information from other professionals and Social Services files.
3. I am making this statement to update the Court since the last hearing as well to set out a transition plan for XXXXX

I, (xxxxxx), make this statement knowing it will be placed before the Court in evidence. The contents of this statement are true to best of my knowledge and belief.

**Signed:**

**XXXXX (Social Worker)**

**Date:**