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PRELIMINARY INQUIRY INTO THE DEATHS OF LINDA SHARON HARRIS (AKA SHARON

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2. MAGISTRATE PERSAUD DID NOT GIVE A DECISION ON THE ADMISSIBILITY OF BEIKMAN'S SECOND STATEMENT OR ON THE COMPETENCE OF STEPHANIE JONES TO TESTIFY, NOR DID HE GIVE A NEW DATE FOR HIS RULING.

3M IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION FROM DEFENSE COUNSEL SINGH, PROSECUTING COUNSEL WEITHERS SAID IN COURT THAT HE PLANS TO CALL FOUR NEW UNCLASSIFIED

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WITNESSES AND RECALL ONE WITNESS BEFORE THE STATE CONCLUDES ITS CASE.

INQUIRY IS SCHEDULED TO RESUME JANUARY 30.

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