

PRE-INVESTIGATION REPORT



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| Site Location | Crescent Road |
| Report Date | 21 st May 2009 |
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| Team Members | Bill, Steph, Andy, Elaine, Marion |

Background

This report gives details of an initial interview with Catherine and Bill at their flat in Crescent Road, Luton. Catherine had called upon LPS to help her with the unusual and stressful occurrences at her flat which had been going on for some time and were badly affecting her.

Interview Notes

According to Catherine things have happened in the flat when she herself, her husband Bill or a neighbour, Morris, have been there.

Strange things have been happening for quite a while and Bill says they started just after Catherine moved in. The first thing that happened involved a pastry dish in the cupboard in the kitchen. The dish had been there for some time when, for no apparent reason, the dish fell out as the door was closed. Sometimes Catherine feels cold for no apparent reason and has a feeling as if she is not on her own.

At first Bill thought she was imagining it. Once they were both sitting in the living room when bottles of perfume at the back of the bathroom cabinet fell out and smashed, even though they were behind other things that had not moved.

For some time nothing had happened then Catherine started having bad feelings. She was pregnant at the time and became very emotional. Now when she walks into the flat she feels upset whilst outside she was OK. Eventually she started to get angry and would suddenly turn, once she even attacked her husband as she felt threatened.

In addition things started disappearing. Catherine would make a point of noting where she left things but they would still disappear and appear later elsewhere. Once she even found her keys in the oven. Things became so bad that Catherine became depressed. This was not helped by events such as the time she was doing something in the kitchen when she felt that something was behind her.

Things went from bad to worse when she started having bad dreams. Once she woke up and saw a dark shape across the room and she had the taste of flesh in her mouth. In the morning she found that she had handprints on her arm as if she had been held down, the marks literally looked like fingerprints. Another dream involved a man who was cutting up a woman on a table, he was smiling and she was screaming. She began to hate the fact she was in the flat and had to leave the lights on all of the time. On another occasion she woke up to see someone sitting in the chair.

Her most painful experience was when she was sitting in front of the fire having breakfast and the surround fell forwards and struck her on the head with a great deal of force. The surround was not fixed to the wall but it had been in place without falling over for about a month whilst they were decorating.

She has told her husband that she can't live there any more and has now started hearing voices, whispering and humming sounds but has been unable to identify the source. They have a pet dog which has started growling and becoming aggressive for no reason and she has even attacked the cats that she has grown up with.

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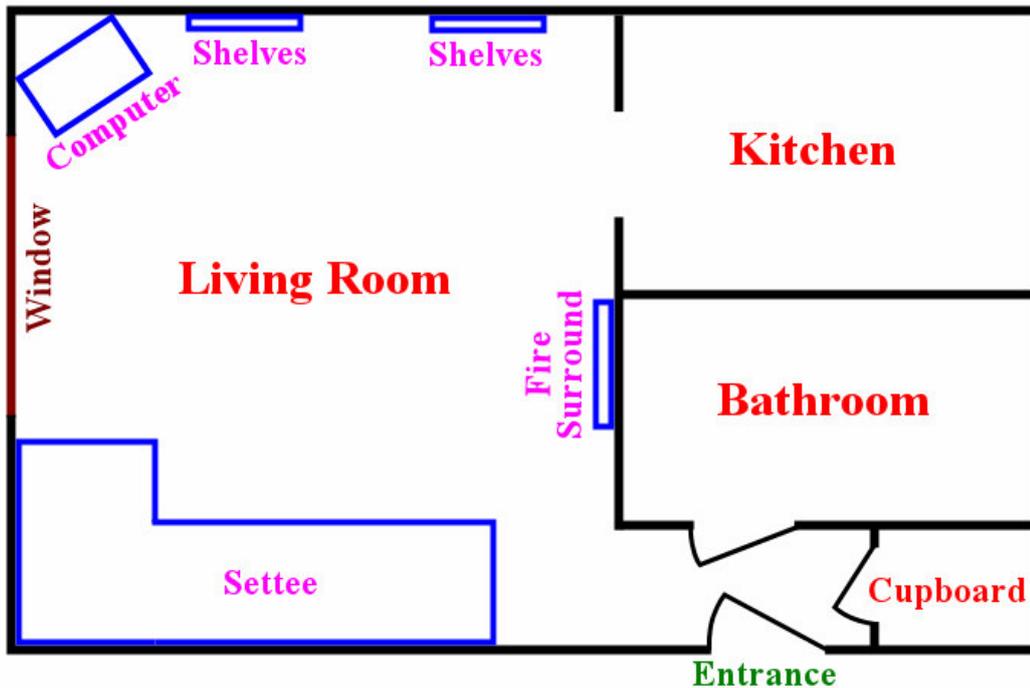
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Her husband became a believer when he was in the bathroom and heard three loud knocks on the door which were repeated but there was no one there. Up to that point it had not really bothered Bill but the knocking has changed his mind.

Recently Catherine placed her lighter on the table, where they both saw it, but the next instant it had gone only to reappear on the day of the interview on the arm of the chair. Now the feelings she was having have returned and they are very bad, she is worried about being on her own and spends most of her time in bed or she goes out.

One day she came out of the bathroom and saw something walk across the room from the computer (see the plan below), stop and turn to look at her then carry on into the kitchen. She fled back into the bathroom. When she plucked up enough courage to return the dog was growling and the cats were in a panicked state.

A neighbour, Morris, was on his own in the flat when he saw a pot fly off some shelves into the middle of the room about 2.5 metres away. The shelves are those shown on the right in the drawing below.



She has now resorted to yelling at 'it' and telling it to get on with it and do whatever it wants to do so as to get it over with. She can't deal with it any more but she doesn't care as long as it leaves her alone. She is not too worried if the appearances are all it can do.

Catherine says that there is a distinct cold spot in the corner by the

computer and she feels as if she is being watched. This is despite the fact that the flat is very warm and was when LPS were there, even though the top light of the window was open. Another thing that has happened is that taps will turn themselves on, full force.

Bill originally moved into the flat in 2002 and nothing happened during the time he was on his own. Catherine has been there for about 4 years and things became so bad she was self-harming and contemplated taking an over-dose but they managed to work through it. Now she is getting bad headaches, so painful that they make her cry and tablets don't seem to work.

Interview Events

19:06 As Catherine is talking; Steph is getting the name 'Bill' over and over in her mind. Steph feels drawn to the corner where the computer is.

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19:09 Steph senses a large circle in the room but cannot pick up what kind of circle it is. It may be something that was drawn on the floor or a group of people standing in a circle around the room.

19:25 Steph feels that 'Bill' is tall, very slim, slightly slouched with dark hair. He is a drinker but doesn't smoke. He wears braces with his trousers and is a very tidy person. He's a meticulous planner.

19:50 Elaine was standing in the doorway by the front door and could hear whispering coming from the bathroom (the extractor fan was going at the time).

19:58 Elaine had moved to the kitchen doorway and could smell of lager.

During the interview a sound recording was made by Andy. On the recording during a quiet moment in the room when LPS were outside the flat having a meeting a snippet that sounded like the name *Kev* can be heard. The voice did not sound like that of Catherine or Bill. There was also the possible sound of the words *get nothing* also on the same recording.