

DEMOCRAZY

To legally protest within the exclusion zone, permission must be applied for and granted by Superintendent Peter Terry. Conditions may or may not be imposed.

10 Downing Street
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SW1A 2AA

Dear Mr Blair

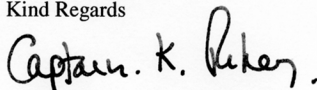
I feel compelled to write to you about the cost of protesting in the designated area around parliament. Under The Serious Organised Crime and Police Act (2005) Section 132, I now have to apply to Superintendent Peter Terry for permission and send it in the post. I respectfully ask that you change this law, or at least allow me to post the application using a second class stamp.

At present I have to send my application by recorded delivery, which costs substantially more and is eating away at my savings. Quite frankly Mr Blair, this feels like a tax on protesting and concerns me.

Now, I am not against paying Taxes, in fact I support them if they are for the common good. But this tax isn't.

I would be grateful if you would respond by return of post with a solution to my grievance.

Kind Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Captain K. Rikey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'C' and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Captain K. Rikey.



10 DOWNING STREET
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From the Direct Communications Unit

20 March 2007

Captain K Rikey

[REDACTED]

Lewes

BN7 2TT

Dear Captain Rikey

The Prime Minister has asked me to thank you for your recent letter.

Mr Blair would like to reply personally, but as you will appreciate he receives many thousands of letters each week and this is not possible.

The matter you raise is the responsibility of the Home Office, therefore he has asked that your letter be forwarded to that Department so that they are also aware of your views.

Yours sincerely

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Your ref:
Our ref: 652/06

07th December 2006

Dear Ms Tait,

RE: Static lone demonstration to protest against erosion of free speech. The application was received in this office on 05th December 2006

I Superintendent Peter Terry, give authority under s 134 Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005, for your demonstration to proceed on Monday 18th December 2006 between noon and 4pm on the east footway of Parliament Square, opposite The Houses of Parliament. I do not intend to impose any conditions on your event.

In the event that your demonstration causes any of the following, the senior police officer in attendance may impose conditions on you and the participants.

- (a) hindrance to any person wishing to enter or leave the Palace of Westminster
- (b) hindrance to the proper operation of Parliament
- (c) serious public disorder
- (d) serious damage to property
- (e) disruption to life in the community
- (f) a security risk in any part of the designated area
- (g) risk to safety of members of the public (including any taking part in the demonstration)

Yours sincerely,

Superintendent Peter Terry



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Your ref:
Our ref: 84/2007
30 January 2007

Dear Ms Tait,

RE: Lone demonstration to remind people that resistance is not terrorism. The application was received on 24 January 2007.

I Superintendent Peter Terry, give authority under s 134 Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005, for your demonstration to proceed on Monday 05 February 2007, from 1200 hrs until 1600 hrs, at Parliament Square, SW1. I do not intend to impose any conditions on your event.

In the event that your demonstration causes any of the following, the senior police officer in attendance may impose conditions on you and the participants.

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Yours sincerely,

Superintendent Peter Terry



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Your ref:
Our ref: 141/2007
22 February 2007

Dear Ms Tait,

RE: Lone demonstration " I have nothing to say today but that is not the point". The application was received on 20 February 2007.

I Acting Superintendent Joe Mutch, give authority under s 134 Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005, for your demonstration to proceed on Monday 26 February 2007, from 1200 hrs until 1600 hrs, at Whitehall, SW1. I do not intend to impose any conditions on your event.

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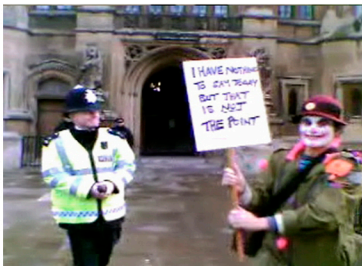
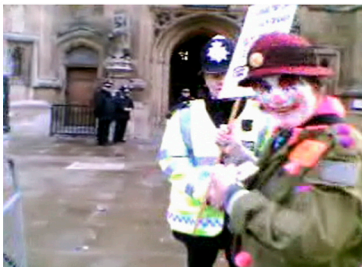
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Yours sincerely,

Acting Superintendent Joe Mutch









Tony Blair
10 Downing Street
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Dear Mr Blair

I am writing to point out a small error that I believe you have made and may wish to rectify.

You stated once and are quoted as saying "When I pass protesters every day at Downing Street... I may not like what they call me, but I thank God they can. That's called freedom "

I am pleased that you pointed this out. Democracy is after all founded upon the twin principles of freedom of speech and expression.

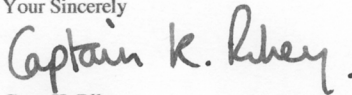
Unfortunately, in 2005 you then introduced The Serious Organised Crime and Police Act (2005) Section 132. This act, which I'm sure must have introduced in error and was clearly an uncharacteristic oversight on your part, undermines the principles of free speech that you so strongly advocated, not so long ago.

Currently I am forbidden from expressing myself within 1 km of Parliament, which I must say I find frustrating and has resulted in me having to repeatedly fill out applications to Superintendent Peter Terry, which I may add costs me lots of money in recorded deliveries.

Perhaps you would kindly repeal this act and thus restore the principles of freedom and democracy that you hold so dear.

I would be very pleased to receive correspondence from you over this matter and look forward to a prompt response.

Your Sincerely

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Capt. K. Rikey.