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Dear Mr. Shoebridge,

Re: Yourself -v- The Metropolitan Police Service

I write further to your letters dated 4th & 5th January 2005. With reference to the numbered paragraphs of your letter I would advise as follows:-

- 1) I enclose herewith a copy of the document at Schedule 1, part 1, paragraph 4 of the Respondent's List of Documents. This was a document previously disclosed by you.
- 2) I am unable to confirm the identity of the person who made the call to ITN as detailed in the call list. This person cannot be traced. I can however confirm that the telephone number is that of Bob Cox from the MPS Press office. You do not need to remind me of my obligations in respect of disclosure.
- 3) I would point out that it is not up to me to make arrangements for you to interview or take statements from any MPS personnel. Notwithstanding this, I will check with Bob Cox whether he is willing to provide a statement to you. I have already obtained a statement from Bob Cox and my client potentially intends to call him to give evidence,
- 4) In view of the above information I trust that you will not be seeking an Order from the tribunal. If you do intend to, I would point out that you have failed to comply with rule 11.

Yours sincerely

Ms Melanie Jones
for Director

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