# A Diary of Police Harassment & Costs

**Event** Costs

#### February 2012

Attempted "befriending" by Collita (playgroup leader) at playgroup running at Sydenham Green Health Centre. Collita pretended to have read a book by Ian Josephs on Forced Adoption and to be interested in "Child Stealing by the State" campaigner, Brian Gerrish. When later questioned about the Ian Josephs book, she had obviously not read a word – I asked what she thought of the Amanda Platell article (near the front) and she knew nothing about it. This is a lady who I had previously asked what she would do if a disabled parent at the playgroup appeared not to be coping – her answer was "report them to Social Services".

### March 2012

**1 March.** First indication of police involvement. Rang Royal Mail to complain that **a letter had arrived opened**, complaint ref: 1-2099371462. Witnessed by postman Mr Ferris.

**14 March.** Indications that my neighbour Nigel Martindale is being used as an informant. Making strange comments regarding my "belief in things that do not exist". I have discussed my research into megaliths with him, but there is actually PROOF of what I have discovered. He said that is not what he meant but refused to discuss any further. When I have asked him if he is reporting on me to Social Services or the police he will not answer.

**17 March.** Problems with computers had begun. My diary of this date refers to inviting A&E Computers round to fix the problem. Laptop infected with Rootkit viruses but also trouble sending attachments by email, plus a great many seemingly legitimate software updates filling up the hard drive. I later learn that this is how the police install their surveillance software, disguised as Windows updates. In an article about the deployment of this software in Germany "Bundestrojaner" or Trojan Surveillance Software is installed this way.

http://www.rjgallagher.co.uk/2012/04/police-meetings-and-trojan-surveillance.html

A&E Computers visited 3 times and were unable to rectify the problem. On one visit the technician left my laptops infected with viruses which I was then able to remove later with software he had installed (but evidently not properly used). Eventually I was able to get a refund for the £200 spent on this.

**22 March.** Tried to speak to neighbour Nicolette Wilson about Social Services and whether she is being asked to report on us. She would not answer the door. Saw her later and ended up arguing. She would not answer, in much the same manner as Nigel, as to whether she was reporting on us. Simply no answer. This is a neighbour who I previously had a good relationship with, to the extent of trusting her with keys. In a previous discussion where I was telling her about the difficulties with my former partner and Social Services, she suggested I call The Samaritans, who are known to advise suicidal people. Since I was not overly emotional I can only imagine that someone else has given her the impression that I am not a stable person and may be desperate!

23 March. A Friday. Landlord insisted on sending a British Gas engineer round on the same afternoon that I was supposed to have my cat put down. The engineer behaved very strangely and this was the day I suspect that our boiler was fitted with a surveillance device, commonly know as a bug. This engineer took the boiler to pieces, beyond what is normally required for a service. As it was getting nearer to the time to take the cat to the vets he suggested that I leave him in the house whilst we went out, and he would shut the door behind him when he left. Reluctantly, I re-arranged the vet appointment for the next morning and stayed. The boiler was then (strangely) put back together rather hastily and he left. When I began to notice small coincidences which suggested we were bugged, I got my EMF meter out (wireless bugs emit radio frequencies) and much to my amazement the levels of electromagnetic emissions were extremely high. Gas boilers, of course, are not supposed to transmit anything.



According to the manual for this meter, 0-20 nT is ideal for living in, over 200 nT is very high indeed.

I also got high readings from our Sky TV box and from an ionizer. I noticed the power supply to the ionizer had been broken and have had to repair it with insulation tape. This seems to have been bugged, too, as the photo of the unplugged power supply on the next page shows!



£25 + £15 pcm

**31 March.** Saturday. Went shopping to get wireless internet dongle as web connection had been totally cut and was not able to upload anything. Returned to find flat smelling strange, like it had had other people in it, then **found a CD which had been broken in 2 hidden behind a cushion on the sofa**. Given my arthritis and my then 3-year old's weak hands, neither of us could have done this.

**30 March.** The Thursday before the long holiday. Health Visitor left message on answering machine that she would like to visit on Tuesday. Obviously this is a tactic as I cannot ring to refuse as there is not time now.

#### **April 2012**

**1 April.** Took daughter to the park and a dark man who I had never seen there before tried to "befriend" me. He asked some impertinent questions. It was completely obvious he was a **plain clothes policeman**. The next time I saw him at the park (**6 April**), I pretended to be taking a photograph of my daughter, but he would have been in the picture. He covered his face with his hand. On that occasion, he seemed to have asked his children to put my daughter in dangerous situations to see how I would respond. For example, they were rocking her about dangerously on the see-saw (before I stopped them). Then they tried to get her to ride a bike much too big for her. In the end I told my daughter not to play with them.

1 April. My upstairs neighbour Nicolette Wilson was away for the weekend, but I could hear someone moving around in her flat. Whoever it was stayed for over a week. Whenever I heard them trying to leave, I got my camera ready, but they obviously heard me approach the door – I could hear whoever it was go back up the stairs. I suspect it was Social Worker Richard Hodgkiss up there because, having looked up what details are available to me on 192.com, a woman who was waiting outside in a small silver car one day (to collect him?) was most likely his wife judging by her age and ethnicity. This woman came

and waited up to 45 minutes, but eventually left as I was watching. She returned later, waited, then left again. I could hear my neighbour becoming agitated when he had not left and was obviously irritated at how long he stayed in her flat.

**4 April. Police were stopping me from logging into various message boards** on the internet and getting my posts deleted. At this point I had to start using internet cafes for certain activities.

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**12 April.** Not able to phone GP surgery from mobile or land line. Get through on 3<sup>rd</sup> phone, a mobile the police did not know about then.

New phones & top ups: £100

13 April. Police were getting Burke Niaze solicitors in Catford to make me run around fetching paperwork for them e.g. asking me for Child Benefit letter, then telling me they made a mistake and needed Child Tax Credit letter instead. Anything to delay and stall me. I had more trouble with these solicitors later on, missing really obvious things, like mistakes in letters from the council. Also failing to tell me I would not be able to take my daughter to court with me. I specifically asked if they had crèche or similar facilities.

**17 April.** Land line disconnected for over a week.

#### Miscellaneous Problems

I have not recorded the exact date, but at around the time the computer problems started a small, white, unmarked van turned up and parked outside. Two men who were most unpleasant, laughing and sneering at me, did something to my neighbour's property, then left. Since then, despite having the wireless card in this laptop removed, someone has been remotely accessing it — even when it is not connected to the router by Ethernet cable. **My daughter and I see the mouse pointer moving on its own** and I have messages when shutting it down that "Other people are logged on" and they may lose data if I continue.



- Desktop Wallpaper on laptop and Android kept changing on its own, plus themes in Google Mail.
- Email messages from / to me not received. Sometimes found in Spam or Bin, where I had not put them.
- Unable to log in to Photobucket. Unable to upload images or videos.
- Variety of "comic" Recycling Tips inserted on Google Mail Advert bar e.g. Advert bar in Googlemail set to "Did you know that previously used aluminium foil makes a good hat?".
- Laptop B developed problem with screen (no picture) until removed from house.
- Copy & Paste disabled.

### May 2012

Decided to go away on a short holiday to Anglesey, Wales. **Could not get any response to** £1,000 **emails trying to book a caravan.** Had to book hotels at short notice via internet café which vastly increased the expense.

**2 May.** Whilst staying at Tre-Ysgawen Hall, I was approached by a plain clothes officer who asked me many questions about what recreational drugs I had taken. As I have relatively little experience it was a short conversation. He then asked me what I was smoking in my hand-rolled cigarette, to which I replied "Golden Virginia".

Tried to get Private Investigator to arrange a professional "Bug Sweep" of our flat. There are only two companies locally that can do this and **they seemed to have been warned about me and made excuses.** 

### **June 2012**

**13 June.** Court appearance with my former partner, seeking visitation of our daughter. **Judge Redgrave inexplicably ordered a Section 37 Social Services report** on us, citing my "social isolation" as the reason. Given that without exception everyone I come into contact with is contacted by police, I have become isolated. This is intentional. How can a person continue a friendship with someone who is spying on them?

Harassment online and elsewhere continues as previously described.

#### **July 2012**

**25 July.** Travelled to Malta to stay on holiday for a month. Had to book at internet café as usual and whilst there was unable to access the booking.com web site. We seem to be "known" at most of the internet cafés now. I did, however, manage to book the holiday though I am sure we did not get the best deal financially again.

We were followed to Malta by a **plain clothes policeman** who "befriended" us. He called himself "Steve". Extremely obvious.

During our stay we booked a taxi to take us to visit a few dolmen. The taxi driver pretended €50 not to be able to find any despite being given maps. He insisted on calling at a police station in Naxxar to get directions. The map he was given clearly showed the dolmen. He then failed again to find any, or to follow the directions I was giving him (I am good at reading maps). When I figured out what had happened, I went back to Star Travel Agency to get my money back. I tried filming it, but they threatened to break my camera and call the police.

We booked with another travel agency and the driver (Joe Camillieri) found the dolmen straight away. He witnessed my experiments with the dolmen and the proof that the orthostats become "live" with electricity when stimulated by sound.

€50

For the first week or so of the holiday we were treated normally, after a while it seemed our reputation was being destroyed exactly as it has been here. People began to avoid eye contact.

The young women who ran the children's club seemed to have been instructed to follow me about / watch me with my daughter. On one occasion, I called in and my daughter was playing with a dangerous-looking metal comb, the type for curly hair which has long spiky prongs. Of course I was not happy to leave my daughter there after this.

### **August 2012**

Harassment continued much as before.

### September 2012

Realise that **daughter's "Red Book" is missing (presumed taken by police)** as I do not lose important documents. This is in addition to financial documents already taken. Luckily I was able to get print outs from GP surgery to show Social Worker doing Section 37 Report that she is vaccinated.

At various times during the progress of this court case, the **printer and scanner drivers on my computers have been deleted**, causing difficulty and delay.

Dishwasher mysteriously fails.

£300

### November 2012

Internet access on PC fails, Windows reinstalled. Report from Social Services is favourable and recommends daughter stay with me. However, this is most likely a result of having secretly filmed the interviews, of which there were 3. Police have access to my bank account, so they knew I had bought the hidden camera. Social Worker Sherry Tagoe refused to allow me to film the interviews, but it is UK law that filming anything in your own dwelling place is perfectly legal. Even though she could no see the camera on successive visits, she kept mentioning that she did not wish to be filmed.

More evidence of phone hacking and mail interception. Discharged from Guy's Hospital (I have arthritis) for failing to attend appointment. I do not get reminder texts for appointments as my mobile phone is hacked. Neither did I receive a text from a Health Visitor requesting an appointment to see daughter. She just turned up on my doorstep when daughter was at preschool. Mail from Guy's hospital has failed to arrive, including copies of medical correspondence which it is their policy to send.

Attempts made to set me up with **undercover policeman disguised as Truth activist**. I was given the name "Gary". Once again, extremely obvious.

**USB ports on PC stop working.** Cannot backup work, use scanner, download photographs or videos from camera.

Discover that "recording studio" computer is broken and will not boot up.

£3,000

### December 2012

**7 December.** Meeting with Phil Jenkins, Practice Manager of Sydenham Green Health Centre and Dr Greene. I asked Dr Greene to apologise for making a record of an appointment where he wrote that he felt "threatened" by me. He agreed that I had not raised my voice, had remained seated, had not used coarse language and had infact asked him to do something perfectly normal in making a note that I had asked him for a blood test to prove that I do not smoke cannabis. He admitted to amending the notes after the appointment to include that he felt "threatened". He said that he felt threatened in a "professional sense". I said that an educated man such as himself ought to have a good vocabulary and should have chosen an alternative phrase which did not imply that I was about to pull a flick knife on him. Sydenham Green Health Centre have deliberately written notes which do not put me in a good light as they know that Social Workers have access to these records. As I can no longer access my medical records online as everyone else can through the EMIS system, I cannot prove, but do know, that medical records are being falsified, as printed records differ from what I have previously seen online. I told Phil Jenkins that our home is being entered and items broken, and so not to assist the police where possible.

**8 December.** Attended Jim Dowd MP's surgery, where he was most unpleasant to myself and my daughter. He refused to help despite my having evidence that this sort of bullying campaign is being carried out against a number of people in the UK.

17 December. Refusal of Metropolitan Police to investigate harassment of myself by family member. I have already had a solicitor write a "Cease & Desist" letter to this member of my family, who agreed to abide by the terms. We received an anonymous communication which may be from this person, but police refuse to investigate, which is yet another matter to take up with the IPCC. Of course it is not in their favour for me to prove that my family is abusive, as they wish to frame me as someone who has a "persecution complex". N.b. The company through whom the communication was made can only pass the details to the police due to the Data Protection Act.

Police visited me to warn me that I will be arrested for harassment if I continue speaking to my neighbour Nicolette Wilson. I had asked her quietly and politely, how much money she was being paid to spy on me. They were keen to remind me that there would be nobody to look after my daughter should I be arrested (i.e. she would be placed with Social Services). Arrest for "harassment" on trumped-up charges seems to be a key feature of police bullying campaigns.

Purchased CCTV system to prevent police entering property, which arrived missing a power £235 supply and with one camera broken. Remote control for TV was broken during this period, as a way of preventing me using the TV to playback footage. Eventually had to pay for an engineer to install it properly.

Submitted complaints to IPCC (Independent Police Complaints Commission) and IPT (Investigatory Powers Tribunal).

**31 December.** Letter arrived from Child Support Agency to say that my former partner is pursuing an appeal against me and I must appear at a tribunal hearing in Sutton, miles away.

### **General Notes**

### Things bought online which arrived broken.

- Android notebook, arrived with broken keys.
- MP3 player, broken, no instructions.
- CCTV system. No power supply, broken camera (bought November).

### Items broken:

- Blank CD.
- DVD player in TV.
- Power supply to ionizer cracked.
- Casing to Laptop B cracked.
- Two pairs of trousers, torn after posting a message on Facebook about working hard to repair them.
- Power supply for Android.
- "Recording Studio" Computer.
- Dishwasher (pipes pushed down, motor broke on Beko trying to pump out).
- TV remote control (needed to work USB devices plugged in).

#### **Items removed:**

- Daughter's "Red Book" containing evidence of vaccinations / Health Visitor visits
- Financial documents.
- Wooden Crucifix (later returned).
- Daughter's favourite programs deleted from Sky box.

### Items had to purchase:

Hidden "key fob" camera	C120
Vivitar camera	£120 £50
• MP3 players x 3	£60
USB sticks to make backups / transfer data	£30
Android Notepad	£80
• CCTV System + Engineer	£235
• Phones x 3	£100
• Printers x 2	£150
<ul> <li>New Dishwasher + Plumber</li> </ul>	£300
• Blanks DVDs, paper, printer cartridges, printing to campaign against injustice	£200
<ul> <li>Storage space rented, but unable to move house</li> </ul>	£600

### **Human Rights Abuses**

• Loss of privacy as per EU Human Rights Charter which entitles a person to a private family life.

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**MEASURE** 

- Loss of "Freedom of Expression" when being prevented from uploading videos of self talking about the situation. It wouldn't do for me to look like the sane, rational person which I AM.
- Loss of medical help (being discharged from hospital).

## **Emotional & Social Effects**

- My daughter and I have become increasingly isolated due to libel and slander from the police which has severely affected my reputation.
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- We have both been placed under stress which worsens my health (arthritis and psoriasis).
- We quite literally have nobody to help us.
- Local people who like us are afraid to associate with us, for fear of harassment.