

FOR THE URGENT ATTENTION OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE

Highbury Corner Magistrates' Court

Date: 11 June 2026

Defendant: *Mr. Simon Cordell*

URN: 01YE1267925

IMMEDIATELY URGENT – I NEED THE COURTROOM TV/HDMI READY BEFORE THE HEARING

Before anything starts tomorrow, I need the **courtroom TV/monitor switched on, available, and tested with HDMI access** so I can plug in my PC.

All my defence evidence is digital.

If I cannot display it, I cannot defend myself properly.

WHY I AM HANDING THIS LETTER IN

I need the court to understand something very simple:

1. **For 10 months, I have been trying to prepare for this trial, and every attempt I made was blocked, ignored, or delayed.**
2. I have never had legal aid.
3. I have never had proper representation.
4. My defence has never been reviewed or uploaded.
5. And every time I asked for a hearing to fix these issues, I was refused.

Why I had to send so many emails (this was not my fault)

I sent a large number of emails because I was forced to chase failures caused by others.

I was not causing delays — I was trying to stop them.

I had to chase legal aid

Because my solicitors never submitted my CRM14.

Tuckers even contacted the Legal Aid Agency themselves and triggered an investigation — which proved exactly what I was saying.

I had to chase the court

Because my defence files were never uploaded, even when court staff told me they had done it.

I had to chase CPS

Because they never disclosed the evidence they promised me.

I had to chase tag breaches

Because I was wrongly arrested **six times**, risking a criminal record and spending nights in a cell, even though I proved the breaches were wrong.

I had to chase hearings

Because I asked for a hearing months before my mother died, and I was told:

“Wait until 48 hours before the trial date.”

This meant all the problems — legal aid, disclosure, defence files, representation — were pushed forward for months with no resolution.

Every email I sent was to fix a problem that should never have existed.

The Legal Aid Agency told me I never had legal aid

The Legal Aid Agency told me directly:

“No CRM14, CRM15, CRM16 or CRM18 has ever been submitted in your name for this case.”

I checked this **twice**, including the **last time I called them**, and they confirmed the same thing again:

There are no legal aid applications for me in 2025 or 2026.

None were ever submitted.

This means exactly this:

1. No solicitor ever applied for legal aid for me
2. No Representation Order ever existed
3. I have been unrepresented from the very beginning

I signed legal aid **once**, at Wood Green Police Station with Elliot Stearns.

They never submitted it.

Nobody after them submitted anything either.

That is the truth of it.

The documents used to claim I had legal aid were not real

The LAA told me:

“RODF (Version 4 – 29 July 2025) is not a Legal Aid application form and is not issued by the LAA.”

They also explained that during the MAAT outage, all real Representation Orders had either:

1. A unique MAAT number, or
2. The contingency number **900900**

The RO1 and RO2 documents from Tuckers had **no MAAT number at all**.

This means they were **not issued by the LAA** and were created internally by the solicitors.

Solicitors were appointed by the court but never represented me

Tuckers were appointed under Section 36.

They never submitted my legal aid and withdrew two days before the first trial date.

Mc Lartys were then appointed under Section 36 only.

I never met them, never gave instructions, and they never submitted legal aid.

Later, on the day of my mother's funeral, a completely new solicitor appeared in court claiming to act for me.

I had never met them or instructed them.

At no point in this case have I had proper representation.

My defence files were never uploaded to the Common Platform

I kept sending my defence materials to the court, CPS, and Section 36 solicitors.

But:

1. Court staff told me nothing was visible
2. CPS said they had no defence statement
3. Mc Lartys checked and said nothing was uploaded
4. I checked with court staff myself — nothing was there

My defence has **never been reviewed by anyone**.

PC Quick – the officer who cannot be found

I have been asking for **PC Quick** to attend court from the very beginning, because he is listed as the OIC in my case — but **nobody has ever met him**, and **he cannot be found on any police system**.

1. Met CCC told me they cannot find any officer called PC Quick or the collar number listed
2. Serco told me they cannot contact him, even though they need him to confirm my tag conditions
3. Officers who arrested me said they have never met him
4. Custody staff said they cannot locate him on their internal systems
5. No solicitor has ever spoken to him
6. No disclosure has ever included him
7. No one has ever seen him in person

I have repeatedly asked for him to attend so he can be questioned about:

- The Charge Swap
- The Custody Record
- The Tag Box Removal
- The Bail Conditions
- The Procedural Irregularities
- Why Nobody Can Find Him
- Why He Appears In The Paperwork But Not In Any Police System

This issue has never been resolved.

I was forced to attend trial on the same day as my mother's funeral

Twenty-four hours before the trial, the court clerk called me.

The trial was going ahead on the same day as my mother's funeral.

I was:

1. Unrepresented

2. Grieving
3. Unfit to participate
4. Unable to cross-examine
5. Unable to present evidence

This has had a huge impact on me and on the fairness of the proceedings.

WHAT I AM ASKING THE COURT FOR

1. **Please confirm the TV/monitor and HDMI access will be ready and tested before the hearing.**
2. **Please place this letter before the Judge so they are aware that:**
 - 1+ I have never had legal aid
 - 2+ No CRM14 was ever submitted
 - 3+ RO1 and RO2 were not issued by the LAA
 - 4+ I have never had proper representation
 - 5+ My defence has never been uploaded or reviewed
 - 6+ I was forced to chase failures caused by others
 - 7+ I was wrongly arrested multiple times due to tag errors
 - 8+ I was refused hearings for months
 - 9+ I was told to wait until 48 hours before trial
 - 10+ **PC Quick cannot be found by CCC, Serco, custody staff, or any officer**
 - 11+ I was forced to trial on my mother's funeral
3. **I respectfully ask the Court to consider whether continuing this trial is compatible with Article 6 fairness, given the complete failure of legal aid, representation, disclosure, defence upload, and the unresolved procedural issues I have raised for 10 months.**

Thank you for your time and for ensuring this letter is placed before the Judge **before the hearing begins**, so the Court is fully aware of the situation.

Yours faithfully, Mr. Simon Paul Cordell.