## Alma Road 24<sup>th</sup> 07 14 Statement pc Edgoose Dated: 31st Auguset 2014 Referring to: Thursday 24th July 2014

Officer Pc Edgoose States; "On Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> July2014 I was on duty in plain clothes as operator of an unmarked police vehicle in company with APS 212YE Martin, PC Robertson, and PC 229YE O'NEILL. At around 16:25 hours on Alma Road EN3, we had cause to stop a silver Ford Focus VRM MA57LDY due to the manner of its driving. The driver was a male I know to be Simon Cordell dob21/01/1981.

**Mr Simon Cordell will state;** "that he has no disputes with reference to statement made by pc Edgoose above, apart from the manner to which Mr Simon Cordell is being accused of driving.

**Officer Pc Edgoose States;** "I know him as I have dealt with on a number of previous occasions. He was initially hostile about having been stopped, but once he had calmed down he engaged in conversation with us.

Mr Simon Cordell will state; "that at no point was he acting in an Anti Social Manner Officer Pc Edgoose States: he stated that he is staying out of trouble."

Mr Simon Cordell will state; "that he has not caused any offence since he was much younger; and that he just gets pulled over and accused and harassed by members of the metropolitan police a lot.

Officer Pc Edgoose States; He stated that he has four brand new speakers at home which are suitable for use at raves, but he does not use them and has offered to lend them to any "youngsters" to use.

**Mr Simon Cordell will state;** that he had been on curfew for one year for a case he proved his innocents in and had been working hard in his Local community trying to make a positive effect towards his self and other that he could help, so he had been spending his time building his company and would not link him self to illegal raves,

**Mr Simon Cordell will state;** "that he did say he had been getting his equipment ready and proposals for pickets lock including barley lands ready and had been in contact with both venues. Mr Simon Cordell will state that he had also been working at his local community hall as well as Muswell Hill festival ponders end festival lock to lock festival and Enfield town festival and would have been talking about such on goings and that he had been working with the youngsters from Kemp Hall Community Hall.

Officer Pc Edgoose States; "He went on to say that they are not interested though, as these days they just want to steal everything."

Mr Simon Cordell will state; "that the people he meet appreciated the work he was doing for them at the time."

**Officer Pc Edgoose States;** "He said he gets inundated with requests to run raves all the time, but he doesn't get involved now. He claims to have 20,000 followers on one social media site, and 70,000 on another. He said he could organize a rave and get 20,000 people at it with no problems whatsoever.

Mr Simon Cordell will state; "that the word Rave has been used and he does not see how this relates to the conversation on the day or his activities as he was talking about the hard work he had been committing him self to, constrictive legal work and for the term Rave to be used with out the key elements it is an injustice."

Mr Simon Cordell will state that did not cause any Anti social behaviour on this date in question.

Officer Pc Edgoose States; He gets requests from anarchist type groups to run raves for them.

He went on to say that he had been asked by Occupy London, Black Block and other anarchist type groups to run a rave at Notting Hill Carnival for them so that they could cause carnage and mayhem, but he had refused.

**Mr Simon Cordell will state;** "that he disputes" that he would not say this as he knows that he is not black neither is he white. Mr Simon Cordell will state that he is mixed race of British Nationality and that he has neither heard of a group called Black Block, neither would he promote verbally of such a group the same as he would not verbally promote such anarchist type groups such as the kkk because he has been created by both.

Officer Pc Edgoose States; "Whilst on public order duty at Notting Hill Carnival I saw Mr. Cordell walking through the area I was deployed around Tavi Stock

Road. He was pushing a wheelie bin, and he was approached by members of a group of around 10 - 20 people who had been waiting at a junction near our location.

This group had been playing drum and bass music and had told officers they were heading to an event but were awaiting the location. It was somewhere between 2200

2300 hours when I had seen the group, and Mr. Cordell.

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Witnessed By .....