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Sent: 07 May 2013 17:46

To: Lorraine Cordell

Subject: Re: FW: Wrongful conviction and request to set aside the conviction and re-open the case
Lorraine

There are many ways to skin a cat. Having thought about Simon's other case it may be better to wait until the hearing as we may be able to make representation to the prosecutor on the day in question that Simon did have a valid insurance policy and the data base could not be accessed. There were no warning markers re the van. The whole reason for the stop of the vehicle had to be ascertained as why was he stopped in the first place, if not for no insurance then for what? I can refer them to the case re possession of the bladed article. Basically I will argue that but for his van being seized for no insurance for which he was not guilty and could have brought his insurance to the station on a producer then the public order offence would not have been committed.

We will play it by ear I think.

Regards

Josephine

On Tue, May 7, 2013 at 2:34 PM, Lorraine Cordell <lorraine32@blueyonder.co.uk> wrote:

I think it was due to your email and the wording lolol ☺

Lorraine

From: JOSEPHINE WARD [mailto:josephinewardsolicitor@gmail.com]

Sent: 07 May 2013 14:32

To: Lorraine Cordell

Subject: Re: FW: Wrongful conviction and request to set aside the conviction and re-open the case

Hi Lorraine

At least progress is now being made. Keep me posted and if you need any further help then please do not hesitate to contact me on email / mobile.

Kind regards

Josephine

On Tue, May 7, 2013 at 11:48 AM, Lorraine Cordell <lorraine32@blueyonder.co.uk> wrote:

Hi Josey

I got a reply from the court about re opening the case for Simon see Below.

From: Forbes, Andrea [mailto:andrea.forbes@hmcts.gsi.gov.uk] **On Behalf Of** GL-ThamesMCList
Sent: 07 May 2013 11:11
To: 'lorraine32@blueyonder.co.uk'
Subject: RE: Wrongful conviction and request to set aside the conviction and re-open the case

Dear Mr Cordell,

I am in receipt of your email, these have been printed off and passed to the re-opening section to deal with.

There is a backlog due to the huge number of requests to re-open, but you will hear from someone in due course.

regards,

Andrea (admin officer in Thames Customer Service dept)

From: Lorraine Cordell [mailto:lorraine32@blueyonder.co.uk]
Sent: 06 May 2013 17:26
To: gl-thamesmcenq@hmcts.gsl.gov.uk
Cc: EastGroupCPO
Subject: Wrongful conviction and request to set aside the conviction and re-open the case

Dear Sir or Madam

I have emailed your court on a number of occasions regarding my conviction and sentence for no insurance. I am making this request to have my case listed in order that I can do the following:-

1. Application to set aside the conviction
2. Re-open the case

Application to set aside the conviction:-

On 22nd July 2012 I was stopped and given a producer by the police as they did not believe that I held a valid policy of insurance. I attended the police station and I was advised that my case would be going to court and I would be summonsed in due course. I never received any summons in relation to this matter and I only became aware that the case had been dealt with in my absence when I received a letter from the DVLA advising me that I had to send in my driving licence. I disputed with the DVLA the points but I was given an ultimatum that if I did not send in my licence it would be revoked. I therefore had no choice but to send in my licence. I immediately contacted the Court by telephone and I was advised to send an email. I sent in a number of emails and I have been given a number of emails but I have not received any confirmation from the court.

I forwarded a copy of my insurance policy to the court and again this was ignored. The offence of no insurance was allegedly committed on 22nd July 2012. I had a valid policy of insurance from 23rd March 2012 and this policy was valid until 22nd February 2013. The company insuring me was Tradex Insurance Company Limited. I am the named policy holder, Mr. Simon Cordell and my policy number is L/WST/MTP/0192359.

I have points on my licence which I should not have. Can you please as a matter of urgency email me back on this matter so that I can have a date so that the conviction can be set aside and my case heard in order that I can show the court my insurance and the PLO can make the necessary enquiries. Once this has happened I would be grateful if the court could email the DVLA to advise them that the points have been issued in error and the fine be set aside also.

This matter is urgent and is dragging on. I cannot resolve this matter until the case is listed before either a District Judge or Magistrates so I would appreciate your cooperation. I am very disappointed that you have ignored all my emails. This is causing me stress. Can you now please resolve this legal matter by listing the case for an application to set aside the conviction? I can then forward my documents to the relevant prosecuting authority.

I await hearing from you in relation to this matter and I thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter.

Yours faithfully

Simon Cordell

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