
From: FE16
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To: Nichols, Peter [HMPS]
Cc: Rob Murray (MPS)
Subject: RE: Agreement following Meetings re Police Operation

Peter

I just wanted to drop you a line of thanks for your support and assistance regarding the planned attempt to free two prisoners en route to Wood Green Crown Court on 11 December. Although Detective Inspector Rob Murray met with you to provide an oversight of what we were planning and how we intended to manage the safe custody of Izzet Eren and Erwin Amoah-Gyampfi, ultimately we required your acquiescence to allow us to do our job of tackling serious and organised crime.

You were under no obligation to assist and it would have been totally understandable if you chose another course of action. Your assistance both in the planning of the operation and our execution on the day were key components in the delivery of our plan.

The sad events of that day will be played out for many months and perhaps years to come in both the courts and media. From our point of the view the sooner the true facts comes out the better for all concerned.

These will demonstrate amongst other things that at no time was the safety of the custodians and occupants of that prison van put in any jeopardy. In the interim if you require anything further from me for yours or your senior management's perspective then please don't hesitate to contact either me or Rob.

It just leaves me to wish you and all your staff at Wormwood Scrubs a very happy and peaceful Christmas.

Best Regards

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