

and some images from street view that I printed in order to provide the team in each car with a pack.

On Wednesday 9 December I drove two other officers W112 and N79 to the general area around Wood Green Crown Court so that they could familiarise themselves with the area.

On Thursday 10 December in the afternoon I was asked to attend a briefing at New Scotland Yard, 5th floor briefing room. This was an overview briefing for surveillance teams. I was the only attendee from the firearms team. This briefing was recorded. The briefing was delivered by a chief inspector FE16 who was the overall TFC for the operation, and an officer whose pseudonym I cannot recall who was a detective from SCO7 who was the main intelligence officer. This was to inform the surveillance teams of the operation and the intelligence available as to what the OCN intended to do. I cannot be certain but I think it was at this briefing that information was given that the same individual who had supplied the machine pistol to the prisoner who was to appear at Wood Green Crown Court for the offence of possession of a firearm who was to be broken out of the prison van was believed to have supplied firearms to the OCN intending to attack the prison van and effect the break out.

On Thursday evening most of the firearms team stayed in a hotel close to Leman Street. This was because we were required to attend a very early briefing on the Friday morning and to ensure the team was fresh. I attended Leman Street at about 0200 hours on Friday 11 December. I put up on the wall ready for the briefing the maps I had prepared earlier. I attended the briefing that started at approx. 0300 hours. This was a tactical briefing given by V64 who was the Operational Firearms Commander (OFC) for the security of the prison vehicle, and W97 and I who had been involved in the recce of the area and the stolen Audi. This briefing was not recorded. V64 gave the team the intelligence briefing which included information regarding the operation, the fact that the OCN would be armed and use firearms to effect the escape of the named individual from the prison van and the fact that the individual who was to be broken out was being sentenced for an offence of possession of a loaded machine pistol. I gave information as to the current position of the stolen Audi in relation to the court. The SFO teams were given their postings of who would be in what vehicle and their individual roles

We then moved to Lincoln Road which was the central base in Enfield. At 0500 hours the whole team, SFOs, ARVs, surveillance officers and the arrest team were given a briefing. This briefing was recorded. The briefing was given by the FE1 the TFC, a detective constable whose pseudonym I do not recall and S105. The TFC gave the overall information about the operation named ANKAA and

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