

Mr Chris Bury,



17-09-2023

Ms Claire Porter/Mr Paul Walker,
Herefordshire Council,
Plough Lane,
Hereford,
HR4 0LE.

Dear Ms Porter,

I write in response to your contentious, erroneous and threatening letter dated 5th of September 2023, and emphasise the seriousness of the matters at hand.

I was not, as you claim, 'contacted on the 20 July 2023 by Sean O'Connor', but received a similar aggressive, vexatious, threatening, and demanding letter from him on the 22nd of July 2023, impacting further on my health. Regarding the claim of my behaviour being unreasonable, I made a lawful request for information, which received obstruction and rejection.

Further, your statement of 'At that time you sent in excess of a hundred emails to councillors' is significantly misleading and implies that were any additional party to read your letter, they would likely mistakenly believe over one hundred unique emails were sent and received, which would neither be accurate or true.

Your declaration is also troubling and denotes continued prejudiced handling, monitoring and sharing regarding my confidential communications.

Regarding your claim of repetition of points and issues resolved by the council, as you say 'and as supported by the ICO', I categorically refute your assertion.

Additionally, in my letter to Mr Paul Walker dated the 15th of August 2023, which you refer to, I made, as previously mentioned, a lawful request for the information which Herefordshire Council must keep contemporaneous records of by law and a statement of truth from Mr O'Connor. To date, such has not been provided, which is unacceptable.

Subsequent admittance, in writing in May 2023, that Herefordshire Council had no lawful authorisations for previous years of monitoring my web presence and social media is extremely concerning, implying such is a common practice.

Notably, during this extensive period, Herefordshire council staff misled The Court of Protection, and I firmly believe intentionally deceived the judge for convenience and the personal careers of particular Council staff.

Regarding your unremitting punitive unreasonable behaviour policy, reworded to differentiate and likely intimidate. I duly note your declaration regarding the continued monitoring of my social media and again insist that a copy of the Court Order authorising such surveillance is provided to me without further deliberate obstruction, threats or delay by you, Mr O'Connor, or other employees or associates of Herefordshire Council.

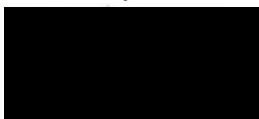
Concerning your repeated aggravating proposal of costly legal action, I acknowledge and again accept your withdrawn and resubmitted proposition. I am prepared to address such through appropriate legal channels if necessary and with the likelihood of a counterclaim.

Lastly, I have asked the Solicitor Regulatory Authority to register my complaint regarding your letter.

As I have previously attempted to explain to Mr O'Connor, should I receive anything other than the requested via email or post, such as further aggressive, threatening, demanding, erroneous and vexatious communications from you or Mr O'Connor, I will regard it as harassment and report it to the police and Solicitor Regulatory Authority without hesitation.

I look forward to promptly receiving the requested copy of the court order authorising your declared continued surveillance of my social media and welcome an early reply.

Sincerely

A solid black rectangular box redacting the signature of Mr C. Bury.

Mr C. Bury

CC: Paul Walker (CEO)