

Prisoner Rule 39

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Dear Mr Burdette-Deakin,

Re: Mr Micheal Burdette-Deakin -v- Chief Constable for Suffolk Police
Incident Date: 27th September 2020

I write further to your letter of the 10th April 2023 and thank you for your further comments however, I must advise that the position remains that as set out in my previous letter of the 6th April 2023.

This matter has been considered not only by myself, but by the Barrister Mr Murray and members of the senior management team at Satchell Moran Solicitors and we are all reaching the same conclusions (Those set out in my letter of the 6th April 2023) based on our years of working within the legal industry.

Once more I repeat that should you not wish to rely upon this report and as indicated within our telephone call on the 31st March 2023, you wish to be re-examined by an alternate medical expert, this will be required to come at your own personal expense. The cost of an examination by a Court approved psychiatrist will be in the region of £4,050.00, and we would require this to be paid upfront prior to arranging a fresh examination.

Of course, if you are not happy with our professional legal advice you are entitled to transfer your file to a new firm of solicitors and if you do take this step your new provider will need to write to us with a mandate of authority and we will seek to send them our full file of papers subject to their agreement to preserve our lien.

At this stage and in accordance with continuing professional obligations I do also feel it is prudent to make you aware of the limitation dates that apply to your claim. Please note that you have a 3-year limitation period to bring any claim for injury and a 6-year limitation period for any unlawful arrest/detainment/false imprisonment or trespass to your property. These periods are from the date of your arrest so the most impending deadline is that of injury (including psychological

injury) and will expire on the 26th September 2023, leaving you at that stage unable to pursue any injury aspect of your claim against Suffolk Constabulary arising from your arrest on the 27th September 2020.

It would appear that we have now reached an impasse and there are only three options available to progress this matter:

1. Approval of the Medical Report of Dr Singh;
2. Closure of our file of papers
3. The transfer of your file to alternative legal representation.

I look forward to hearing from you with your instructions either way.

Yours sincerely,

Satchell Moran Solicitors

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