LEGAL ADVICE - ARREST

Say 'NO COMMENT' to all questions from police, even during interviews and 'casual chats'. Police often need more evidence and may try to deceive and pressure you into incriminating yourself.

You have the right to free legal advice at the police station.

Duty solicitors often give bad advice to protestors.

INSERT NAME OF LAW FIRM AND PHONE NUMBER HERE

You have the right to have someone informed of your arrest and an interpreter if English is not your first language. If you appear under 18, an appropriate adult should be called.

If you witness an arrest or want support, contact our legal hotline:

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LEGAL ADVICE - STOP & SEARCH

Before a search, you must be told the name and station of the searching officer, the reason you are being searched, and what power you are being searched under.

You do not have to give your name and address, or answer questions under any stop-and-search power.

You are entitled to a receipt of the search.

Legal observers are independent volunteers who gather evidence on behalf of anyone arrested. They act to counter police intimidation and misbehaviour.

INSERT CONTACT INFORMATION FOR LEGAL SUPPORT GROUPS AND YOUR CAMPAIGN GROUP HERE