# Case No. IPT/11/167/H

# IN THE INVESTIGATORY POWERS TRIBUNAL

Before the Vice President, Lieven J and Professor Zellick QC

#### BETWEEN:

#### **KATE WILSON**

Claimant

-and-

# (1) COMMISSIONER OF POLICE OF THE METROPOLIS (2) NATIONAL POLICE CHIEFS' COUNCIL

**Respondents** 

# **ORDER**

**UPON** the disclosure to the Claimant and the Tribunal by the Respondents of documentation ("Documentation", defined below) revealing the names of private individuals ("Relevant Persons", defined below)

**AND UPON** that Documentation forming part of the evidence to be considered at the trial of the Claimant's claim

# IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. There shall be no disclosure, publication or reporting of any information which:
  - 1.1. Discloses a Relevant Person's (as defined below) identity (including any description or image capable of identifying a Relevant Person); and/or
  - 1.2. Has the effect of disclosing a Relevant Person's identity, or contributing to such disclosure, and which the person responsible for the disclosure or publication knows or suspects will have that effect.
- 2. Paragraph 1 above binds any and all individuals and/or legal persons (whether acting by themselves; or by their servants or agents; or by their

directors or officers; or in any other way) but does not prohibit any disclosure to:

- 2.1. The Tribunal;
- 2.2. The Parties and their legal representatives;
- 2.3. A witness, for the purpose of their giving evidence; or,
- 2.4. Counsel to the Tribunal.
- 3. A "Relevant Person" is a private individual and not an employee of the Respondents:
  - 3.1. About whom the Respondents and/or their officers or employees recorded and/or transmitted information, pursuant to authorisations granted under the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000 (RIPA);
  - 3.2. Who is, as a consequence of those authorisations, identified in Documentation;
  - 3.3. Who is not giving evidence in these proceedings by way of a witness statement to the Tribunal, or giving evidence to the UCPI, in their true identity.
- 4. "Documentation" is:
  - 4.1. Internal documents created by the Respondents and/or their officers or employees pursuant to authorisations granted under RIPA; and
  - 4.2. Disclosed by the Respondents to the Claimant and the Tribunal for the purposes of the resolution of this claim.
- 5. A "Relevant Person" also includes:
  - 5.1. For the avoidance of doubt, any person giving evidence in these proceedings by way of a witness statement to the Tribunal under a pseudonym (but for the avoidance of any doubt, the pseudonym is not to be taken as that person's "true identity" for the purposes of the prohibition on disclosure or publication in paragraph 1 above).

- 5.2. The two individuals named in paragraph 6 of Lisa's supplemental statement dated 8 April 2021.
- 6. Any person affected by this Order may apply, on notice to the Parties, to have it varied or set aside.

27 April 2021