

'The Bailiff'

How 'A Freeman' Deals With IT

Project Freeman's research shows that 'The Bailiff' ('The B') is either freelance or works for private corporations known as 'Debt Collection Agencies' (DCA's).

Even if IT is attempting to "recover debt" on behalf of what may be thought of as a State/Government body IT is nothing to do with that body (which in any case is yet another Corporation!)

'A Freeman' has NO CONTRACT with 'The B' and is not obliged to make one.

'The B' normally relies on the fact that IT's victims are ignorant of both 'The Law' and their 'Rights' to extort goods from them.

'The B' will use intimidating tactics to try to scare 'A Freeman' into doing what IT wants, but there is nothing to be afraid of once 'A Freeman' understands their 'Rights', "The Law" and 'The System':

If Correspondence is Received (before or after 'The B's visit)

1. If 'A Freeman' has received correspondence through their door from a 'Debt Collection Agency' it will be addressed to their 'Legal Fiction'. 'A Freeman' DOES NOT OPEN THIS.
2. Instead, they take the most recent one of these letters they got from the 'DCA' and draw 2 red ink lines through the 'Legal Fiction' name and address from bottom left corner to top right corner.
3. In between the two red lines they write, also in red ink, "**THIS IS NOT ME**". (See Glossary T for an example)
4. They then write "**NO CONTRACT**" in red across the top of the 'DCA's envelope above the salutation area (where the legal fiction name and address has been placed, often in a window).
5. Lastly they put the envelope back in the post and send it back to the 'DCA'.
6. If 'A Freeman' has mistakenly opened such a letter they do all of the above actions 2-5 on the actual letter then place it back in the envelope and send it back to the 'DCA'

A House Call from 'The B'

1. If 'The B' calls when 'A Freeman' is at home, they either talk to it through a window or go outside, shut the door and tell it to remove itself to the other side of 'A Freeman's lawful boundary (if 'A Freeman' has a front garden).
2. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES DOES 'A FREEMAN' ALLOW 'THE B' INTO THEIR PROPERTY
3. Once it is outside the lawful boundary 'A Freeman' asks 'The B' for I.D. to prove it is who it says it is.
4. Once he has seen the I.D. 'A Freeman' asks for a phone number and contact

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- name at 'The B's office that he can call to verify the I.D.
5. Then he asks for a telephone to use to make the verification call. ('A Freeman' has no obligation to pay for calls to verify the I.D.'s of claimants)
6. 'A Freeman' tells 'The B' firmly but politely that they KNOW THEIR RIGHTS and will not engage in any conversation unless it complies with these requests.
7. They also tell it that they understand that it has no right whatsoever to enter their property.
8. If the above steps all take place and 'A Freeman' has verified 'The B's' I.D. then they can ask it what it wants
9. If it tells 'A Freeman' they have to pay it money otherwise it will enter to collect goods, 'A Freeman' tells it to show them 'Proof of Claim'
10. If it shows 'A Freeman' something with their legal fiction on it 'A Freeman' says "that is not me".
11. AT NO POINT DOES 'A FREEMAN' DIVULGE ANY INFORMATION TO 'THE B' - ESPECIALLY THEIR "IDENTITY"
12. If 'The B' pushes, 'A Freeman' explains that they understand that the 'Name' on the document is a 'Legal Fiction', a 'Person', and not 'A Freeman'
13. If 'The B' says it has a right to enter 'A Freeman's' property to remove goods for sale, 'A Freeman' asks "under what law?"
14. In the very unlikely circumstances that 'The B' quotes a 'Statute', 'A Freeman' explains that these are merely rules of a society which only apply to 'Legal Fictions' and that require 'A Freeman's' consent to agree to represent the 'Legal Fiction' and thereby be bound by them, and that Britain is a 'Common Law' jurisdiction and this is the only 'Law' which 'A Freeman' stands under.
15. Then 'A Freeman' goes into his home, closes the door and goes about his day.

If 'The B' Calls Again or the 'DCA' sends correspondence

1. If the DCA or it's B still hassles 'A Freeman' then they may choose to send a 'Proof of Claim' letter (such as the example on the Project Freeman "Letters & Notices/Templates" page) by way of lawful notice to the Corporation making claims against them.
2. Under these circumstances 'A Freeman' needs to put all the relevant information into the document (in the Project Freeman version where it is highlighted in bold lettering).
3. 'A Freeman' only sends this if they have read it thoroughly, have looked up the terms used in the Project Freeman Glossary (or similar reference) and are sure that they understand what all the terms mean and are therefore willing to "stand under" the document.

The first time any of these events take place 'A Freeman' may be nervous and somewhat intimidated but they remember that this is the aim of 'The B'. Once 'A Freeman' has been through this process and stood up to the bully it will be much easier if it happens again. 'A Freeman' remains assertive but polite and courteous during this whole process. They retain the moral high-ground and their honour throughout.