

G20 police 'used undercover men to incite crowds'

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An MP who was involved in last month's G20 protests in London is to call for an investigation into whether the police used agents provocateurs to incite the crowds.

Liberal Democrat Tom Brake says he saw what he believed to be two plain-clothes police officers go through a police cordon after presenting their ID cards.

Brake, who along with hundreds of others was corralled behind police lines near Bank tube station in the City of London on the day of the protests, says he was informed by people in the crowd that the men had been seen to throw bottles at the police and had encouraged others to do the same shortly before they passed through the cordon.

Brake, a member of the influential home affairs select committee, will raise the allegations when he gives evidence before parliament's joint committee on human rights on Tuesday.

"When I was in the middle of the crowd, two people came over to me and said, "There are people over there who we believe are policemen and who have been encouraging the crowd to throw things at the police," Brake said. But when the crowd became suspicious of the men and accused them of being police officers, the pair approached the police line and passed through after showing some form of identification.

Brake has produced a draft report of his experiences for the human rights committee, having received written statements from people in the crowd. These include Tony Amos, a photographer who was standing with protesters in the Royal Exchange between 5pm and 6pm. "He [one of the alleged officers] was egging protesters on. It was very noticeable," Amos said. "Then suddenly a protester seemed to identify him as a policeman and turned on him. He legged it towards the police line, flashed some ID and they just let him through, no questions asked."

Amos added: "He was pretty much inciting the crowd. He could not be called an observer. I don't believe in conspiracy theories but this really struck me. Hopefully, a review of video evidence will clear this up."

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18 Responses to "G20 police 'used undercover men to incite crowds'"

THX1138 Says:
May 10th, 2009 at 5:00 am

Why would they need to do this? To disperse the truth seekers and pit the public against itself. Very sad.

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Bedro Forster Says:
May 10th, 2009 at 5:10 am

Seattle, Quebec, Italy, Götterberg, London — everywhere, the technique of the agent provocateur is essential to the repression that follows.
By NZH

Everyone should read "The Secret Agent" by Joseph Conrad, which dealt with this subject a hundred years ago, and lays bare the logic of the state-sponsored terrorist, the provocateur.

Reply

Andrew Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 5:28 am

This is a very old technique, the simply place agents into groups of people with legitimate concerns, create trouble, so making what were decent protesters into (what are perceived by the masses) to be trouble makers.

So in turn denying the protesters any ability to promote or create change, ALLOWING THE STATUS QUO TO REMAIN EXACTLY THE SAME.

Reply



gravel kucinich paul nader Reply:

May 10th, 2009 at 6:51 am

Props Andrew.

Quite some time
I been sittin' it out
Didn't take no chances
I was a pris'ner of doubt

I knocked down the wailin' wall
Ain't no sin
Got the feel of fortune
Deal me in...

Reply



Andrew Reply:

May 10th, 2009 at 11:18 am

When all come together
And act as one
Then the day will have come
For the dealing to be done

You dont know me
And I dont know you
Although we both see the same thing
Deal ME in too..

Reply

glasgowkev Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 7:42 am

I can quite believe they would do this. Its the same story throughout the world. But the masses would rather know what reality tv show is on, or what is happening in the soaps. The biggest soap in the uk is called the news.... its pure info-tainment and the sheeple just luv it.

Reply

Rikncrew Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 7:47 am

And Yet... Not A freaking Thing Will Happen Cause Of This Story
This will keep going on... give it 3 days and know one will even remember it happened

Reply

Warren Buffet Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 7:50 am

I got an invitation to the upcoming Bildaberg meeting. It says that I should bring cole slaw.

Reply

Former US Marine Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 8:53 am

If you would like to see what Alex Jones is hiding from you and deceiving you with, please visit:

<http://www.youtube.com/user/WatchThemWiggle>

Please read the left hand column to see who AJ is protecting by hiding this from you.

Only with knowledge, may truth rule and justice prevail.

Reply



Shit in your pants Reply:

May 10th, 2009 at 9:23 am

5 days Marine what is your Classification "top secret" or "semi secret" or I ust know what the Man tells me?

I love people that know it all. I am on a 400 foot yacht where are you?

Reply



Former US Marine Reply:



May 10th, 2009 at 10:02 am

As most ignorant (lack of knowledge) people do, such as "shit in your pants", they sidestep the facts and resort to 3rd grade name calling.

Please stick to the facts I have laid out at "watchthemwiggle" on youtube or do these facts bother you? Maybe frighten you? Go against what THE MAN tells you on the mass media propoganda tube? Go against what the propogandist and dis-information character AJ tells you?

Try and do some research, then get back to me. Until then, your 3rd grade name calling and irrelevant questions have no bearing on the information I have provided to those who do seek knowledge and want to reveal the criminals who are screwing with world events.

While am I not religious, I do now know the Jesus character accurately told who the criminals are, Pharasies who are todays J..e..w..s.. They have been at this game for centuries. The only way they survive is by causing trouble between others so as to keep the worlds eyes off their criminality.

Reply



dave310 Reply:

May 10th, 2009 at 10:29 am

I don't think Alex is hiding anything. He's talked about the Israel 9-11 connection many times (watch the final Loose Change film.) I think you have some good info on your youtube page, but a lot of your material seems to be against all jewish people, instead of calling out the "bad apples" among them. (There are bad apples in any group, religion, race or government.) It's a bit simplistic to say jews are responsible for all the bad in the world. People won't listen to what you have to say if they think you're coming from a place of hate or prejudice. (Or you'll get the wrong type of people latching onto your message.)

That's my two cents Former Marine. I think I said the same thing to you a while back after reading one of your posts.



Over The Target Reply:

May 10th, 2009 at 10:33 am

"on a 400 foot yacht " ?

The last thing I'd be doing on a yacht is internet.

But that's just me.

Reply

Shit in your pants Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 9:21 am

5 Days boys and girls. FLU to DEATH

<http://www.onlinejournal.com/a.....4631.shtml>

Reply

Frank Thoughts Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 9:31 am

The provocateurs are always the same bunch: those black hoodie scum balls that you see at every demo claiming they are anarchists. They always start the violence and attack both the police and the demonstrators. Proof positive the next time anarchists turn up a demo some big ass Teamsters need to take their slacky pant jeans by the hoop and toss their wimpy little bodies over the barricades. And then shove one of their Molotov Cocktails down their pants and set it alight. Better still, all anarchists need to be banned from demos full stop.

Reply

dave310 Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 10:12 am

The end of the article mentions that Amos is hoping for video evidence. There won't be any video evidence cause they shut down the cameras for this protest. Remember? They said it was some sort of privacy concern. It made no sense. (Except to those of us who know what's really going on. It made perfect sense to us.)

Reply

MadMaC Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 10:55 am

The system is corrupt to the max ,from MP'S buying wtf they like ,to police hiding there numbers and pips on there sleeves ,,,,,, we are getting bum fucked people ,,THE SYSTEM IS MADE FOR USE TO LOSE :@:@:@

Reply

thom walker Says:

May 10th, 2009 at 11:34 am

After watching coverage of US demonstrations it seemed axiomatic that something along the same lines would happen here in UK,or had always happened.They are the same gangsters anyway,so what was going on at the G20 inside Royal Bank of Scotland? The police just stood and watched until the world howled in fury at 'scum','hoolligans','anarchists'.Then our boys in blue smirked and revealed'job done!'

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