



**IN THE COURT MARTIAL APPEAL COURT**

**COURT MARTIAL APPEALS ACT 1968**

**APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAL  
Under Rule 154 of the Armed Forces (Court Martial) Rules 2009**

**MARINES B & C  
(The applicants)**

**Court Martial Appeal Office Ref No: 201305803 C5 and 201305827 C5  
CM No: 2012CM00442**

**ORDER ON THE APPLICATION**

**THE COURT MARTIAL APPEAL COURT HAVING ON 5<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2013** considered an application for leave to appeal under Rule 154 of the Armed Forces (Court Martial) Rules 2009 against an order lifting the reporting restriction that they should not be identified

**AND THE COURT HAVING RECONSTITUTED** as a Divisional Court of the Queen's Bench Division, and having granted permission to proceed with a claim for Judicial Review of the decision of the Judge Advocate General and having dismissed that claim

**AND HAVING DIRECTED that**

1. The anonymity order protecting the identity of PO55242E, Sergeant Alexander Wayne Blackman, 42 Commando, Royal Marines, known as 'Marine A' was lifted;
2. The still photographs in category 2 were to be released to the media, save those numbered: 11, 12, 13 and 37;
3. The anonymity order in relation to Marines B and C was to remain in place pending the resolution of any application to the Court to certify a point of law of general public importance and for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court;
4. If no such application was made the anonymity order would be discharged;
5. The anonymity order in relation to Marines D and E was to remain in force pending any further order by the Judge Advocate General;

**AND no such application for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court having been served within the time allowed, the Court's decision is now final**

**AND IT IS ORDERED THAT**

**The anonymity order protecting the identities of 30057209 Corporal Christopher Glyn Watson, Commando Training Centre Royal Marines, known as Marine B, and 30030940 Marine Jack Alexander Hammond, 30 IX Group Royal Marines, known as Marine C, is hereby lifted.**

**For the Registrar of the Court Martial  
Appeal Court,**

**Royal Courts of Justice  
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**Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 2013**

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