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*(Call each line – the crowd should repeat each one after you. Call ‘Mic check!’ at the beginning until you get a response and people work out what’s going on.)*

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Mic check!

Know your rights!

If police talk to you  
No matter the question  
Protect yourself  
Protect other people  
Say ‘No Comment’  
The police officers in blue tabards are also police officers.  
Their job is to gain information about protestors.  
Say ‘No Comment!’  
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If police tell you to do something  
Check they’re acting lawfully  
Ask ‘Under What Power?’  
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If you get stop and searched  
Don’t give police personal details  
This includes your visa status  
No personal details!  
No personal details!

An exception is  
If you get arrested  
Many people  
Give their name, address and date of birth  
At the custody desk.

If you get arrested  
Ask for a solicitor  
On the bustcard  
For example  
Call ITN  
Or call HJA  
Or call Bindmans.\*

Don’t accept a caution  
That’s saying you’re guilty  
It’s an easy win for the police  
You might not get found guilty later  
No caution!  
No caution!



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If you get arrested  
Call the Protest Support Line number  
It's on the bustcard.  
Write this on your arm.

Protect yourself  
Protect other people  
No comment!  
No comment!

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\*If you're outside of London look at the bustcard for your region to check what lawyers to recommend. If you're not sure say the ones listed here anyways.