#### Resistance GB Standards Code

#### 1. Truth

We will endeavour to present the truth of all occurrences we choose to cover.

# 2. Independence

We will endeavour to remain independent of control by the state or other bodies for which censorship is required. We will refuse to purchase state permits from 'gatekeepers' or carry any such permits for which censorship is a prerequisite.

# 3. Privacy

We will not collect footage, where we judge practicable and where requested prior to or immediately upon filming, that focuses on a private individual who has not to our knowledge engaged in coercive conduct.

We consider all state officials, employees or contractors (direct or indirect), whilst in those roles, to be subject to scrutiny in the public interest and will not request their consent to publish any footage of them.

# 4. Complaints

We will make our email (and when applicable address) publicly available for communication of complaints.

[The email is: complaints@ResistanceGB.com] [This address is: Unit 19, Latton Bush Business Centre, Harlow, CM18 &BH]

## 5. Responsibility

We will not sell footage which we believe to be of significant detriment to those we judge to be principled and moral individuals.

# 6. Unity.

We will, where practicable, provide witness testimony in court cases of principled individuals, where such testimony is deemed ethical by us, given the circumstances.

## 7. Safety

We will endeavour to protect each other, within our organisation, from external coercive force, such as by the state.

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## **Complaints Procedure**

Resistance GB is committed to working within and adhering strictly to the Standards Code.

However, if any person feels we have breached the code in any way and wishes to make a complaint, please submit your complaint, in writing to the editor (complaints@resistancegb.com) in accordance with the following steps.

# **Required Information**

All complaints must include the name and date of the publication, with reference to the specific article in question.

Please include the URL of the article if possible, and/or link to any image or video. A detailed description of the complaint, with reference to specific words, phrases, images, instances, dates and records that are relevant, and which clauses of the Resistance GB Standards Code you believe the publication has breached.

# Who can complain?

Complaints must be made on behalf of a named individual only. This includes complaints where businesses and organisations are involved.

In submitting a complaint, you must provide your full name, address, phone number and email.

## What can I complain about?

You can complain about any article, in print or online, including words, images and audio/video content.

You can also complain about the conduct of an individual journalist or employee of the publication in question, with reference to specific (if any) clauses of the Standards Code which are in breach.

Complaints may not be spurious and any individual or group who is found to abuse the process will forfeit their right to engage in the process in future. Continuous breaches will be considered harassment.

#### **Time Limit**

Complaints must be contemporaneous and must be made within 28 days of publication. Any complaints outside of this time limit will require mitigating circumstances as judged by the complaint handler.

The publication will endeavour to respond to the complainant within 28 working days.

#### **Complaints Process**

The editor or staff-member will confirm receipt of the complaint within 21 working days by contacting the complainant via email.

All complaints will be dealt with by the editor of the publication.

The editor will investigate the complaint to the best of his/her ability, in respect of the Standards Code, and respond accordingly.

If we uphold your complaint, we will inform you of the remedial actions taken or to be taken.

If the complainant is not satisfied with the suggested resolution, you are free to change your viewing consumption to an alternative media outlet.

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