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IS BAA AT HEATHROW RUNNING SCARED?

NoTRAG is one of the groups which have been summoned to appear in the High Court on 1 August. Heathrow Airport Ltd and Mark Bullock, its Managing Director, are seeking to impose draconian injunctions on us.

NoTRAG is an anti Heathrow expansion protest group funded by the London Borough of Hillingdon. Its objective is to prevent expansion of Heathrow outside its existing operational boundaries.

BAA (Ferrovial) intends to wipe us off the map. Now it wants to deny us a voice. Even for an industry well practised in subterfuge such calumny takes some beating.

NoTRAG has been campaigning for 6 YEARS. It has NEVER been involved in civil disobedience. Its officers have always co-operated with the police. And yet now BAA sees us as organising unlawful direct action and being such a threat to the activities of Heathrow Airport that we must be prevented from going there!

Christine Shilling, NoTRAG Press Secretary says 'it's time BAA got it straight – we need protecting from them – they intend to bulldoze our homes, our schools, destroy our communities, erase our history and ruin our lives. But somehow we are now the threat and not them! It's an Alice in Wonderland logic.'

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