TRANSCRIPT OF THE CONVERSATION WITH THE HOUSEKEEPER OF 16 LEIRMANS ROAD

TRANSCRIPT: LINES 1 TO 1489

NO.	WHO	CONVERSATION
1	HK	Hello.
2	DR	Hi, Marcus.
3	HK	Hey, sorry. Um, sorry Darren. I had to keep you waiting. I was, I was another call. I'm sorry.
4	DR	No, it's fine. I mean, I work late, so it's doesn't make a difference to me. It's, yeah, it's fine. It's not a problem.
5	HK	Yeah, sure.
6	DR	Uh, right. I was gonna say, um,
7	HK	Where do we start?
8	DR	We have to do the thing again, I dunno what happened cause literally the. I heard the, which call it, the inverter clicks, um, because there's quite a good inverter here. And then everything just went, and I couldn't find it. In theory, things are supposed to be backed up, so, um.
9	HK	Was it on a Word format or,
10	DR	Um, it was just, it was a Word document. Um, but it hadn't, I hadn't yet given it a title or, or saved it, so that was half the problem. Um, and I've had my computer is almost full anyway, so I think that was part of the problem. So just have to do it all over again, basically. Um, um, but, um, uh, what I mean, just, just the same as yesterday. Um, okay. So, if we start in the morning of the arrest. You came to what time? You said, oh, you, you tell the story, cause it's, it's easier and then I'll just type, um, otherwise I'm just gonna put words in your mouth.
11	HK	During the day of the arrest?
12	DR	Yeah, just, just the morning. If we go through it in order of time, that'd be the easiest way. Um, rather than me kind of firing questions off, you just kind of run through the day as it as it happened, and I'll do it like, as if it's like a diary, I guess.
13	HK	Uh, sorry, can you, can you come up, can you come again on the, on your question?
14	DR	Sorry. If we, if, if, if, the easiest thing is gonna be, if you, um, just run through the day, like in, in time order, like as if you were writing a diary. Um, like so from waking up to what happened, rather than me asking you loads of questions, you can just, if you just run through the day and then, then I'll just do, do it that way.
15	HK	Okay. Yeah, that will good. Okay.
16	DR	Yeah. Um, so just, just if you just start with like, I don't know, what time did you get up?
17	HK	What time I what?
18	DR	Sorry, my, let me put my computer on silent. It's Bing pinging. Um, what time? Like, so what time did you get up on the day? Like seven o'clock or eight o'clock or whatever.
19	HK	Oh, okay. Uh, by then when I was at, uh, at Leirmans, I used to wake up by seven,
20	DR	Seven. Okay, so then just, just, just explain the day and then I'll write it as you say it, and then I'll just do it that way. It'd be easier than me lo like asking you loads of questions.
21	HK	Okay. So normally as you, you are aware that that side I was, I was, I was the only one manning that, uh, guest house.
22	DR	Yeah.
23	HK	Uh, it was easy for me because by then there were no guests. So, what I, what, what I used to do is when, when I woke up, I would first of all, uh, start inside the house. Uh, cleaning, uh, you know, cleaning house.
24	DR	Oh, you've gone quiet, Mar, Marcus? Are you away from the, the, the speaker? You've gone really quiet.
25	HK	Oh, okay. I'm, oh yeah,

26	DR	That's, that's better.
27	HK	Yeah, I said, um, my day was usually, uh, starting with, uh, after I woke up at, at seven, id start Inside the house.
28	DR	You keep going. Quiet, Marcus. You're going quiet again.
29	HK	Oh, are, am I breaking?
30	DR	No, you, you're just going like quiet. Um, as if you're away from the handset. I don't know if it's the reception or you just hear me like goes muffled.
31	HK	Can you hear me?
32	DR	Yeah, I can hear you now.
33	HK	Well, I'm saying that my day usually, I used to wake up at seven.
34	DR	Yep.
35	HK	Uh and then I'll start inside the guest house.
36	DR	Yep.
37	HK	With all the room cleaning the, the room, uh, outside. Then I would go into the garden, start watering the plants, and, and cutting the grass if needs be.
38	DR	Uh, you keep going. Marcus. You, you're going quiet again.
39	HK	Oh. I don't know what's happening.
40	DR	Uh, is your, is it, is, is the phone near your face or are you talking on speaker?
41	HK	I'm not talking on speaker.
42	DR	It's clear now. It's strange.
43	HK	I'm, I'm clear now.
44	DR	Yeah.
45	HK	Okay. I'm saying my day at Leirmans was usually at, uh, at seven I'd wake up.
46	DR	Yep.
47	HK	Can you hear me, right? Darren, Can you hear me?
48	DR	Yeah, I can. It just keeps going in like loud. One minute and then quiet the next.
49	HK	Okay. I would wake up at seven and start working inside the house, and thereafter I would go to the gardens. I would go to the flowers, start watering the flowers, and cutting the grass if need be. Then I would also go to the pool and clean it. Uh, it was easier for me by then, because by then I was alone down there at Leirmans.
50	DR	Yeah.
51	HK	Because still were still expecting for some guests. Um, I would have some help from other friends if I'm told there is a guest coming, so we need to do it fast, fast, so that when a guest comes, I find the everything. So that was my daily routine at Leirmans.
52	DR	Mm-hmm. Yeah. So that, that day that was there was no different to any other day. It was just you started the day as if because there were guests due to move in, wasn't there? Or were guests used to move in and guests due to look, um, like for a potential future booking or something?
53	HK	Sorry. Okay.
54	DR	There were guests due to move in, but there were also guests due to. I think just look around the house that we're gonna be staying at some point in the future. So, the house was getting, being got ready for the guests?
55	HK	No, no, no. The house wasn't only taken care of just because of the coming guest, But, uh, it was there our daily routine.
56	DR	Yeah.
57	HK	For the house to be clean because you never knew when you're gonna get the call that, uh, guests are coming.
58	DR	Yeah.

59	HK	Uh, If it, because, you know, um, sometimes it, it was a requirement to change the beddings now and then, um, but if the quests like they coming on a short notice, definitely is when maybe I would need some help from other guys to have made. But if like coming tomorrow, I would do it alone because I have time.
60	DR	Yeah.
61	HK	So, the house wasn't only clean when we. It was my task, it was my, my duty to keep the house clean each and every day.
62	DR	Oh, no, I know that I, yeah, I mean, the house was like, it had to be like a show home every day. But I mean, on that specific, that week we were expecting, I think it was, they were guests, but I think there was also somebody coming around to view it or something that was, that booked or something. And they were gonna, I can't remember, at some point in that week they were gonna be viewing it, but, um, but then what time did the, so yeah, and the, so the first you knew of the arrest or any of it was when the police turned up at Lehman's, wasn't it?
63	HK	The first what?
64	DR	The first you knew about the arrest was when the police turned up at Lierman's.
65	HK	Yes, yes. correct Yeah.
66	DR	The first you knew about the arrest was when the police turned up at Lierman's.
67	HK	Yes, yes. correct Yeah.
68	DR	Um, actually, yeah, just run through what happened 'cause I'm just writing all this down.
69	HK	Yeah. So, on this day when the police were coming, Actually it was, we were, uh, I was expecting a guest, um, because I got, um, a text from you and even from Clement
70	DR	Mm-hmm.
71	HK	That there will be a guest coming over, uh, to check out the, the guest house.
72	DR	Mm-hmm.
73	HK	Yeah. So it was, it was a normal day, but an extra busy for me. You know, I had to be extra, extra clean.
74	DR	Mm-hmm.
75	HK	Uh, so I went to, after, after finding out that I was running short of the pillowcases and some beddings, I had to call Clement that I need extra, uh, beddings. So, he, he, he told me that I can come over to Fisherman to search for them. So, it was an advantage to me because by then we had also agreed with you that I should also go to, Earthworx to continue buying flowers and some plants to continue, uh, uh, planting down there.
76	DR	And that was for Leirmans, where the, because we bought a load for the pots, but I think.
77	HK	Yes.
78	DR	There are quite a few pots. So we were, uh, like by the time we put two or three in each, it was a bit short or something.
79	HK	Yes. We, yes, we bought some, so they were short.
80	DR	Mm-hmm.
81	HK	Uh, I think it was also because of time for me, I couldn't, I couldn't do everything that was, so we trying to come again tomorrow.
82	DR	Mm-hmm.
83	HK	But we had some new flowers and some pots, uh, put, uh, flowerpots.
84	DR	Mm-hmm.
85	HK	So, we, we decided to, We decided to add more. So, we agreed that, uh, by that time I had, I had already given back the card, the ATM card.
86	DR	Mm-hmm.
87	HK	So, um, uh, I was, uh, I was told to come in the morning to fetch for a card. So, it was a party for me because I wanted to pass by again to get the beddings is when, uh, I was told that, uh, Darren is sleeping, and Darren has the card. So, I might just have to wait for maybe for some few hours when, when you wake up.
88	DR	Mm.

89	HK	And I can come back and fetch for the card. So, I was equally surprised because you and I were talking, uh, that I, uh, I can get the card from Clement because you were surprised the day before when I told you that, uh, the card it's with Clement, uh, because Clement told me that Darren wants his card, and I gave it to him. But you were somehow supp surprised that you didn't tell Clement that she should get the card for me?
90	DR	No. That was confusing because I, I, I remember that day and the day before, it was always on my, if ever I had it, it sat on my desk. Um, and I couldn't find it. And I said to Clement, it, it's always on my desk. It's, and if it's not on my desk, it means somebody else has it. But he was trying to convince me that I was the last one to have it. I didn't know that he had it. Um, 'cause I mean, it was all, I think. I assume he was intending on keeping it and using it after the arrest because that time when he said I was asleep, I wasn't asleep. I worked all through the night. And I know from seeing statements since coming out that he was spending money, he was basically spending money on the card until the point at which the card was stopped, like Ubers and whatever, whatever.
91	HK	Oh, okay. So, uh, I wasn't really convinced that, um, the card is with you, but still more like anyway. Because he had already indicated that he also wanted to do something with the card, some other things to shop. So, I was like, uh, maybe he just wants to be done with his shopping first, then I can come in and fetch it.
92	DR	Mm-hmm.
93	HK	So, like, anyway, because of the guest that they were coming, I had to go back to, to Lehman to continue, uh, spreading the bed and uh, cleaning them, uh, there and there. So I was, again, let me go back because he told me to come by 10 o'clock.
94	DR	Mm-hmm
95	HK	I was like, okay So when I went back to Leirmans, uh, I started working outside. Then it came a time whereby I just want to make a cup of coffee inside the house. I went inside It's when I got a, uh, a ring. Uh, what they call it?
96	DR	Oh, you're going quiet. Sorry. A. On the doorbell or on the phone.
97	HK	That thing, On the doorbell, yeah. He told me, uh, it, it had a camera, saw someone called.
98	HK	I answered, and I see police officers. By the time I ask, who is it? They said, um, we are police. Can you open up? So, I was like, uh oh, what's, what's happening? So, I didn't have anything to hide. I was like, okay let me open for them.
99	DR	Mm-hmm
100	HK	I opened then they grabbed me by the belt. We moved downstairs. By this time, I see about three or four officers if I got wrong together with uh, uh, this man that I later on knew that, uh, is, uh, the private investigator, Mr. de Swardt.
101	DR	Uh, that, yeah, that, yeah. About, yeah.
102	HK	Uh, then he went inside the house. It was like, where is Ollie? So, the other police officers' thought, maybe I'm Ollie, because by the way, they grabbed me, or I was surprised that what's happening. So, when Mr.
103	DR	They grabbed you; they grabbed you physically, or they grabbed you by the belt because you didn't resist or run away, or you weren't rude or anything,
104	HK	Pardon?
105	DR	You didn't resist or run away, or you weren't rude? You weren't physical?
106	HK	No No, I didn't resist that anyway. I didn't resist it. I didn't have any reason to resist or to run away, no.
107	DR	Mm-hmm.
108	HK	By that time, they found me in my, in my gardening clothes. So I was even in my gum, uh, I was in my gumboots there. So, they came and started asking me if I was Ollie.
109	HK	Then Mr. Wouter told him, no, this shouldn't be Ollie, so where is Ollie? I was like, Ollie's not around. Where is he? I'm like Ollie left early in the morning, but his girlfriend is upstairs sleeping, so maybe you ask her, she'll be able to tell you were.
110	HK	Then they moved quickly. Some, some officers moved upstairs to, to get, uh, Ollie's girlfriend while someone was, uh, telling me that if I dare to run away, he will shoot me. So.

111	DR	Do you remember which one told you, which one told you that he was gonna shoot you?
112	HK	Sorry.
113	DR	Do, do you remember which one told you he was gonna shoot you? Was it one in the uniform or not uniform?
114	HK	The ones in uniform. It was the police officer in uniform.
115	DR	That said he was gonna shoot you?
116	HK	He threatened me to shoot me if I'm at all you, if I even have planned to run away. I was like, no, how am I going to run away? You, you were there, you already holding me by the belt. So, they left me, you know, they, they, they left me. They took their hands off me and we started talking. Uh, after talking, then I see, uh, Olly's his girlfriend coming down.
117	DR	Mm-hmm.
118	HK	There, they asked who she's, she produced her ID. I later, I later learned that she's a student, uh, somewhere else. I see, I've just forgotten New City or somewhere else. Then after showing the ID, I also showed them my passport. By then I had my passport.
119	DR	Mm-hmm.
120	HK	I had my passport. I showed my passport. They took my passport. The other lady also showed her ID, her, it was her university, uh, her school ID, I guess.
121	DR	She was from, did you say she was from Czechoslovakia, somewhere in Europe?
122	HK	Yes. The lady is from uh, should be Serbia, Slovakia or somewhere else.
123	DR	Mm-hmm.
124	HK	But she was a student at University.
125	DR	Mm-hmm.
126	HK	I think she showed them her ID or school ID something sort. Then they told, they told her to, to call Ollie.
127	DR	Mm-hmm.
128	HK	So, after calling Ollie, his phone went straight to voicemail. Um, then she, they told her that if at all, she managed to talk to Ollie uh, She should tell him that, uh, he's also, they're also looking for him that he's going to get arrested because he should just come to the station and surrender himself.
129	DR	Mm-hmm.
130	HK	Yeah. Then they, they, they went off with the, with the dog, with the Husky.
131	DR	Mm-hmm.
132	HK	The Land Rover did.
133	DR	The Land Rover, did she just called a friend to take her away 'cause that's where she was living, and they'd been living there for a while. So, she just called a friend. Somebody collected her or she got an Uber?
134	HK	Oh, okay.
135	DR	No, no. I was asking, I mean the, the car that turned up to collect it, that was
136	HK	No, no, no. But it was the Land Rover that her and Ollie were using. It was a white Land Rover.
137	DR	Oh, it was their car? was one of that. Oh yeah,
138	HK	I don't know who the owner of that car, yeah. And they had a vehicle outside, so she jumped into the Land Rover She. And.
139		Then I was thrown into the police vehicle. Um.
140	DR	Actually Marcus, let me, let me put the phone down and call you straight back. 'cause this keeps going loud and quiet and I don't, I don't know why. Lemme just call you straight back, see if it makes a difference.
141	HK	Mm-hmm.
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145	HOUSEKEEPING TRANSCRIPT PART 2 OF JULY CONVERSATION	
146	[Transcript starts 00:30]	
147	[Phone ringing]	
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149	HK	Hello.
150	DR	Hello. Hopefully that's better. I dunno what's wrong with the line Was just like going loud and quiet. Loud and quiet. So, she, so they, she went in there. I didn't know they had a Land Rover. Um, okay. Um, so they basically kicked her out, uh, because I think you said they didn't arrest her because she was not South African or something like that.
151	HK	Did what?
152	DR	You said something about that they were gonna arrest her, but they didn't because she was not South African because she had a different passport.
153	HK	Yeah, yeah, yeah. I guess, I guess after they found out that maybe she's not a South African, then, um, they let her go.
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155		I don't, okay. I don't know the reason why they let her go. Maybe. Um, they, she didn't suit her. She didn't suit in there. Maybe there, you know, the, the whole idea what they came there for, so I don't, I don't really know why they let her go, but
156	DR	But they let you guys go, I think that the purpose obviously was, I mean, they, they cleared the house of the occupants, which was you and her.
157	HK	That's, That's.
158	DR	And there would've been Ollie there, then I guess all three would've been clear.
159	HK	To my surprise. To my surprise, because if I was, I don't know how I was connected in all this, because I, I also felt like maybe I could have also let go because clearly, they saw me.
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161		I'm just a gardener a housekeeper, cleaning. Clearly, Mr. Wouter told him that I'm not Ollie. Because they, they came for Ollie and you Darren, and evidence was there that I wasn't Ollie because Mr. Wouter Um, told the officer, that I'm not Ollie, and all of them know that I'm not Darren, but still. [STILL, THEY ARRESTED AND REMOVED ME]
162	DR	But still they arrested you and removed you.
163	HK	And they arrested me, and they told me I'm under arrest. I asked them on what charges are you arresting me? Because I just want to know, I know because I was surprised why would someone arrest me. I, because I, I haven't committed any crime.
164	DR	Mm.
165	HK	I was like, I was like checking, thinking myself back. Have I any, have I ever committed any crime in this country?
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167		I was like, no. I just came like, uh, months ago. How, I don't know.
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169		So, I was taken inside, I was taken in a van and went to Fisherman. Right there. I was expecting them to tell me the charges because they started taking my photos.
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171		They, I stood by the wall. They took some photos, like, more sort of like mugshots. Notice they were mugshots.
172	DR	Like you do, in a police station where you, they line you up against the wall and they take your photo?
173	HK	Yeah. Like at the police station. You, you, you, you take, you take your passport, you show to the cameraman and take a photo of you. I was like, okay.
174	DR	Where did they do this? Where In Fisherman's In the property?
175	HK	At Fisherman In, in, in your office. Up upstairs.
176	DR	Oh, sorry. I remember you saying, yeah. Okay. Where? In my office or bedroom? Cause then.

177	HK	Yeah, Just in your office. Just close to your table. I was, because I saw you, you, I think you were tired. You lean over the table. You, you were not seeing when they're doing this.
178	DR	Oh. Because I was half, yeah, I was half asleep.
179	HK	The only time they woke you up is when they were asking you, do you know this guy?
180	DR	Yep. I remember. Yeah, yeah, yeah.
181	HK	But before that, before this question, I already taken, uh, the mugshot.
182	DR	Mm.
183	HK	Taking the photographs. So, I was surprised again at the end of the day that, uh, they're making us sit in the hallway.
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185		Still, I was expecting them to tell me that maybe that I am under arrest. So, I was on the phone. I was lucky enough they didn't take my phone away, so I was, uh, sending a voice note to my family on the family group that hey this is what's going on. I've just been arrested. I don't know.
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187		So, some officer, who was not in uniform. He carried these, he carried some files in his hands, he heard me. He heard me saying this with, like, hey, who told you that you're under arrest? You're not. You're not under arrest. Who told you?
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189		You're under arrest. Who are you talking to? Let me see in your phone. He made me open the, my WhatsApp conversation. I showed him that no I'm on the family group. I was just telling them that what's happening? Because I'm under arrest. Who told you are under arrest? So, like your friends when they are taking me to Lehman's, from Leirmans, they told me I'm under arrest.
190	DR	Mm
191	HK	Who are you? I'm like, I'm just a gardener, they found me working there. I don't even know why I'm here. Ya no. you're not under arrest. You're just detained. I like, okay. So
192	DR	But the guy, so the guy, but the guy that turned up at LelRman specifically told you, you were under arrest, removed you. But the guy that said you weren't under arrest, he was some, he was the one on, one of the ones that Fisherman's. He wasn't at Lehman's. He was.
193	HK	No, he wasn't at, he wasn't at Fisherman's. He, he, this is the other set of guys who were now at Fishermans.
194	DR	Yeah.
195	HK	Yeah.
196	DR	And he wasn't wearing uniform, he was carrying files.
197	HK	Ah, no, he wasn't wearing fi... He wasn't wearing uniform. I think he was in a; he was not in the usual uniform. Police uniform that I know. But he was in the coat of, I think it was, I don't know what it was written at the back, but.
198	DR	Mm-hmm.
199	HK	I think they were the, uh, financial crime unit, I think some sort of,
200	DR	Uh, was he black, uh, colored or white?
201	HK	Uh, he was black. He was black. He was a black guy.
202	DR	And bald hair. Did he have hair or was he bald?
203	HK	What?
204	DR	Was he bald or did he have hair? I'm trying to think if it was Stevens.
205	HK	No, he was, no, he was short hair. He was, he was, he was male.
206	DR	Mm-hmm.
207	HK	With short hair.
208	DR	Mm-hmm.
209	HK	Black.
210	DR	What age?

211	HK	Sorry?
212	DR	What age?
213	HK	Uh, that guy should be probably in the thirty something.
214	DR	Mm-hmm.
215	HK	Maybe four or 5, 6, 7. There.
216	DR	But I mean, yeah. Well, there was a few of them, but, um, and he was, where was he at the time when he saw you on your phone and said you weren't under arrest? Was that in the office or back downstairs?
217	HK	Downstairs in the hallway there, you know where there is this uh, there was this couch in the hallway.
218	DR	Oh, the main hallway to the, to the front door.
219	HK	Yes. In the main, just by the entrance.
220	DR	Mm-hmm.
221	HK	You know, there's this, this door, this entry to the garage.
222	DR	Mm-hmm.
223	HK	And entered to the main entrance there. We sat there by that door.
224	DR	Oh, okay. Yeah.
225	HK	Yeah. So, it's where I could now, I was witnessing everything going upside down, officers coming up, coming down, coming up. It's where we also meet.
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227		So later on, I realised that at least I'm free, I can walk around within the house, but we were not sup we were not allowed to go outside the garage, outside the house.
228	DR	Mm.
229	HK	So, we just stayed in the garage. They made us, uh, sit at one place. So, it was me and Joe, the other guy
230	DR	Where the, where the chairs were, because when I was taken out then saw John by the chair.
231	HK	No, we sat on now, we, we had moved, we sat on where there was a, the deep freezer fridge, the fridge down the garage, you know, by, by the corner there. There was,
232	DR	Uh.
233	HK	There was a refrigerator to the, as we are.
234	DR	By the, near the door to the hall or the other side?
235	HK	Not, not to the side of stairways, but to the side of, as we are, as we're going inside the, as we're going to the hallway.
236	DR	Yeah.
237	HK	From the garage.
238	DR	Yeah.
239	HK	Yes. Yeah. Yeah. That's where we were.
240	DR	Mm-hmm.
241	HK	It was, it was me, uh, the lady who was working there that day, Joe.
242	DR	Mm-hmm.
243	HK	And Clement's brother.
244	DR	Mm-hmm.
245	HK	He sat there, the four of us. That's where we saw a lot of police officers.
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247		He's coming, guys taking photos and videos.
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249		We had to ask him that we don't wanna be part of the video.
250	DR	Mm-hmm.

251	HK	So, we should respect our privacy for that, to which he agreed that we're not gonna be seen in the video.
252	DR	Mm-hmm.
253	HK	Yeah. So, we sat there. Um, Joe had made some, some serious comments that I, I started thinking about them because I was also worried because I would see Clement, um, walking up and down, because some of us were like detained, to be honest, we're in a detained position.
254	DR	Mm-hmm.
255	HK	Um,
256	DR	As in handcuffs?
257	HK	No, we're not in handcuffed by then.
258	DR	Okay.
259	HK	Uh, they never put handcuffs on me. They just throw, throw me in the, in the, in the back of the vehicle.
260	DR	Mm-hmm.
261	HK	Uh, at Leirmans, the, one officer had, one officer had, uh, these handcuffs, the. The plastic ones, they're not mental, but they were plastic handcuffs.
262	DR	The handcuffs or the, like the stuff that you tie plants with, you know those like cords?
263	HK	The traps, yeah. Like those plastic straps, like the ones that we, what do you call them?
264	DR	That you put Yeah, that you tighten, like you
265	HK	Yeah. Similar. Yeah. Similar to what you were, you they put on you.
266	DR	Yeah, yeah, yeah.
267	HK	Yeah. One officer wanted to do that to handcuff me, but the other officer came and said, no, uh, don't worry you don't have to handcuff there. Just go.
268	DR	Yeah.
269	HK	So, we were there at the garage at Fisherman's trying to see what's going down and all that.
270	DR	Mm-hmm.
271	HK	Uh, it's when we, after some, yeah, after some sit hour, some minutes is when we heard, Darren coming down. Uh, this Mr. Wouter Guy was all alerting the camera guys.
272	DR	Mm-hmmm
273	HK	To get ready because to get ready to take some nice photos and videos. He's coming down, he's coming down. He was positioning them.
274	DR	Mm-hmm.
275	HK	It's when I knew that you were coming down. So, you came down in handcuffs
276	DR	Mm-hmm.
277	HK	Those guys started taking pictures and videos. You go into the police vehicle, off you go.
278	DR	Mm-hmm.
279	HK	Then, we were still there because now Joe was furious because he wanted his phone. They had taken his phone, he pleaded with them that he has an appointment with the doctor and the information, the whole information is in the phone to the point that he just wanted to take some information in the phone and they, they can continue taking the phone. But the guys, the police officers refused.
280	DR	Mm-hmm.
281	HK	So, Joe was really mad at Mr. Wouter to which he, he promised said, don't worry, I'll get you your phone now, now. But he did not. So, Joe was really a furious, so we sat there up to the time when everyone was leaving. We couldn't leave because Mr. Wouter told us that we should go to together to Leirmans. To get our personal belongings because we no longer supposed to be there. We need to go somewhere else.
282	DR	Mm-hmm.

283	HK	Yeah. So, we were waiting for Mr. Wouter to be done with everything as we were there. As we were there, um, I saw this Porsche car. I, I mean, uh, this are the, it should be Lamborghini or something else. A red, a red Lamborghini or so, I don't know the type of Ferrari. I think it's Ferrari.
284	DR	Mm.
285	HK	These are the fast and noisy cars, and someone comes out, an Indian guy who I let know, uh, knew that his name is the Ruggi or Ragy or something else.
286	DR	Yeah,
287	HK	Yeah. He comes out of the, uh, he comes out of the, the vehicle. He goes inside.
288	DR	But that was only minutes after I was arrested. It was literally straight after.
289	HK	This was after you, you were arrested. Now this after you, you went,
290	DR	Yeah.
291	HK	This is after they took you. Then Ragy comes.
292	DR	A bizarre question. It's a bizarre question. But you didn't see which direction he came in. As in, if he'd come from the right, he would've come from outside of Llandudno Now, if he came from the left, 'cause his house is at the end of the road, then he would've come from his house at the end of the road.
293	HK	Um, uh, he, he came, he came from, he came from this side where you went this side from, from the, from the main road direction.
294	DR	Mm-hmm.
295	HK	He parked his car a bit far from the, um, entry.
296	DR	Mm-hmm.
297	HK	He parked it somewhere there. Close to your neighbours.
298	DR	Mm.
299	HK	Uh, then he comes in. Then later on came someone who was looking for Ragy, I guess he was his assistant or something. He had his, he had some papers in his hands.
300	DR	When you say later, you mean minutes? Hours. Roughly how long?
301	HK	No, probably 20 minutes later, so 15 to 20 minutes.
302	DR	So Ragy came immediately after I was arrested. And his assistant came 15-20 minutes after Ragy
303	HK	Yes. Yes. Immediately after you were arrested. Yeah.
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305		So, um, then, then another lady, a white lady comes, I don't know her name. She also joined, she also joined in, uh, she was welcomed by, by Ragy, by the door.
306	DR	Did she have, what color hair did she have?
307	HK	Sorry,
308	DR	What color hair. And how old?
309	HK	Uh, she was a woman in her forties to say hmm
310	DR	Black hair or?
311	HK	Yeah, she was white.
312	DR	White.
313	HK	Not black hair, but white hair.
314	DR	I'm just trying to think whether it was the agent Terry or his personal assistant, Wendy. I can find pictures of to show you. But so, what, so Ragy went to the front door and greeted them, her,
315	HK	Not the front door, but by the same entry, garage entry door.
316	DR	Okay.
317	HK	Yeah. Then they, she took her to the, to the elevator. They went up, then there came, another Indian guy that, I don't know, I don't know his name, but he was of Indian origin, I guess.
318	DR	Mm-hmm.

319	HK	Also, uh, also joined them. Now after all this, then came Clement because now I was worried that Clement, look at your boss. Our boss is gone, so how are we gonna do, how are we gonna survive?
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321		He was like, ah, don't worry, brothers, me. As for me, I'm safe because, you know, this house is, is now in the hands of new owners because this house was sold to other guys from India.
322	DR	Mm-hmm.
323	HK	"So, I had an, we had an agreement. They will employ me. So, for me, you don't have to worry about work. I'm sorted".
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325		Now It came to me, um, I was asking him again. So, what about us? Because Darren was also our boss, so how we gonna survive.
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327		"Ahh don't worry. This guy, they would want to renovate this house. So, there will be a lot of work happening here. So, you'll still be working here under the new owners".
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329		So, like, okay, I'm fine. Yeah.
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331		So, we went back home. Okay.
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333		We went to Leirmans to get our things, which was in a very hurried way, which was really fast.
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335		So, we had to pack our things. I left my gumboots there; they are still there at Leirmans.
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337		Um, because some of the food, we had to leave it there because we were taking in bags in plastic. Those, um, the bag that we used for trash.
338	DR	The rubbish bags.
339	HK	The trash bags.
340	DR	So, you put your rub stuff, they put your, they asked you to put yourself in rubbish bags.
341	HK	Yes. I, we put everything in our rubbish bag. Even the, even the guards at the gate of Llandudno, were laughing. You guys why are you carrying your belongings in rubbish bags. Like, uh, was things happened in the fast way, we, we were rushed to do all this. So, we.
342	DR	Who laughing? Who was laughing at you? The, oh, that hut, the security hut at the beginning of Llandudno.
343	HK	Security at the, at that hut, at the gate there.
344	DR	Mm-hmm.
345	HK	So Mr. Wouter had to make a video that you guys, I just had to make a video with you that I'm not fighting with you to make you leave the house.
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347		Everything is, is, is, uh, we are good with each other.
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349		We were like, oh, okay. We, we, of course, you're not forcing us (sarcastic). We have no problems with you because in this time, at this time, it seems you're the owner of the house.
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351		You're telling us to move out, so we don't have any choice.
352	DR	Yeah. So, they arrest you, they remove you, and then he, he makes you pretend to leave voluntarily. And then what? Filmed it with a phone or a camera or what?
353	HK	That's what I suppose because, uh, he is not the one who put me in that house, because if I don't, there's anyone who is supposed to leave to tell me to leave the house. It was you or maybe Clement.

354	DR	Mm-hmm.
355	HK	But now I'm getting news from someone who I don't know to leave the house but looking at the situation with all the police presence. Everyone around. What, what special, what has happened earlier the day I was like, ah, come on.
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357		I should also, I should really get out so that maybe I can breathe some fresh air somewhere else. I can't be, I couldn't stay because I was like, I know, I,
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359		I can't fight with him. I know I'm not going out on that, all that. So.
360	DR	Mm-hmm
361	HK	So, I just said, no option.
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363		So, he took a video of us confessing that he is not forcing us to leave.
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365		What, what, what, what? So I go, anyway.
366	DR	So, he just did the video just of you walking out or you had to say something to the camera? Or what if he, did he, did he ask you to do,
367	HK	Sorry?
368	DR	Did he, was it just a video of you walking out or did you have to say something to the camera, or it was just you?
369	HK	He made us, he made us stood, he made us to stand at one place and record the video of us confessing that he didn't force us to leave.
370	DR	Oh, you saying to the camera that he didn't force you?
371	HK	Yes. To the camera. He, he just wanted to have that kind of backup.
372	DR	Mm-hmm.
373	HK	So, but me, I knew that, uh, what he, what he's trying to do, I knew being him, being, uh, a legal person. I knew what he's trying to say.
374	DR	Mm-hmm.
375	HK	Or what he's trying to do. So, like, anyway, fine.
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377		Then we started trekking. Like, where are you guys going now? For now, we don't have anywhere to go, but we have some friends in Hout Bay in Mandela. So, we're going that side.
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379		Ah, okay. Uh, if you don't mind, you can jump in. I'll just drop you by somewhere else. So, like, ah, okay, fine.
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381		So, we hopped in. Along the way, I had the guts to ask him like, uh, Mr. Wouter, please excuse me. May you, may you tell us to what that guy did because we were working there, a lot of things that happened, but I don't know what really happened. So may you just please let us know.
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383		It's when I, I knew. Because he told me that, uh, that guy Darren is a mafia. He steals from people. He does double bookings. People pay, many people pay for the similar property when time comes to refund them. He doesn't refund. He is a crook. He is a mafia. What, what, what I that. Ohh, okay.
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385		So, it really got me worried that, oh, so this what Darren does. Oh, that's bad. Okay.
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387		Anyway, then when we reached close to the gate, the, the guard house, the guard hut at the gate there.

388	DR	Mm-hmm.
389	HK	He was like you guys; I think I'm just gonna drop you here because you're going in different directions. I can't go, uh, that side in Mandela. I can just drop you here.
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391		So, like, ah. Anyway, we'll see what we can do. So, we trekk from there. Uh, we trekked. Uh, from, from that guardhouse to, to the Hout Bay there, just toward, to the roundabout close to Hout Bay police there.
392	DR	How did that, did you walk there, I mean, by car It was long because it's the end of Londono. To Hout Bay.
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394		I mean, that's 10 minutes in the car, so it must've taken you ages to walk.
395	HK	We ah, that there is a great distance. So, but we walked anyway. We were like Okay. Anyway,
396	DR	With all the bags.
397	HK	Yeah. So, we, yes, with our bags,
398	DR	Mm-hmmm
399	HK	We had to take, um, we had to take a taxi by the, the robots, I mean by the roundabout there.
400	DR	Where the police station is?
401	HK	Yeah, by the police station. Because to go up there, there's some sort like, sort of like a slope, like a hill sort of.
402	DR	Oh, to get to Mandela.
403	HK	With the Yeah. To Mandela. Yeah. Yeah. So, with bags like that. Yeah. So, we took a, we took a taxi called a teller. We took a teller for, for, for R10.
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405	DR	Mm-hmmm
406	HK	
407		Up until we reached home. But one thing that surprised me in all this is I realized that, um, it was, um, the whole, the whole of this thing was a merger of two or three guys.
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409		I realized, I later on realized that it's the owner of the, it was between the owner of, uh, Fisherman's and Liermans,
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411	DR	Mm-hmmm
412	HK	Uh, and Mr. Wouter, because I overheard Mr. Wouter talking to this lady that later on I knew that she's the owner of Leirmans.
413	DR	Mm-hmm.
414	HK	He was saying, uh, now we, we got him now.
415		Now we got him for good, I think would be locked up forever, because. Uh, this is it.
416		Now he has no chance to get out. Uh, why do I say that?
417		I know that this was the owner of Liermans because after they talked, he said, Hey, listen, uh, there's this guy who's working at your house. Uh, he did, did a good job. The house is dean, the grass is green. Everything seems to be clean. I think he really did a good job. So, if at all you need his services.
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419		He says now he, he has, he has nowhere to go. So, if at all, you still want someone to continue looking after the house, I think he can give him a call.
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421		Then, by this time, he, he had already taken my number. He said, I'm gonna send you right now, his number.

422		The other lady said, okay, fine. I'll let, uh, I'll let him know when everything is settled down so that he can continue working there.
423		
424	DR	Mm-hmm.
425	HK	And by the, by the, all this time
426		e, the whole time, which I was there, jobless in Hout Bay, I was just waiting for the call.
427		I kept reminding Clem that hey, Can you please talk to the owner of Leirmans?
428		Uh, Mr. Wouter talked to, to her that there's someone, if you need someone to continue working there, maybe he's forgotten, so maybe just a reminder her.
429	DR	Mm-hmm.
430	HK	He is like, I know everything is in order. We do, I do talk to her, but for now, uh, everything is not settled yet. So, when everything is settled, uh, I'll let her know. She'll, she'll definitely remember you.
431	DR	Mm-hmm.
432		To which she never called, so that I know maybe, maybe the house is still in wrangles and all that up until
433		I got another job. So, the whole of these thing, I, I knew that it'll be, it'll be very tough for you to, to win it
434		because it was two or more people coming together maybe to fight you and to make it, you know, I
435		overheard him saying that. Uh, some, some magistrate, uh, some magistrate is it in Hout Bay or somewhere else refused to give them a warrant of arrest, they had to go somewhere. And he was suspecting that if you Darren has, has, uh, has the magistrates, uh, in your, in your pocket.
436	DR	Mm-hmm.
437	HK	Because why did they refuse to, to, to, to give them a, a warrant of arrest in the first place.
438	DR	**Mm-hmm.**
439	HK	They had to go, I don't know where they, they went. Is it Wynberg or to Cape Town, I don't know where I, I dunno where they got their warrant.
440		So, uh, it also made me realize that, uh, maybe Darren has got some guys, yeah, he has, he, he has people maybe at the court.
441		What, what, what, because he was so furious to why the other Magistrate refused to give him the, uh, the warrant. I don't know which Magistrate it is this is Hout Bay or, I don't know, Wynber, I don't know.
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443	DR	Mm-hmm.
444	HK	Yeah. So, I knew that, uh, It's a, it's a, it's a, it's a, it's a battle that it'll be very tough for you maybe to win.
445		And you know it, surprisingly, I never thought, I didn't know that he's just a P.I, you call it a P.I. Private investigator, right?
446		I thought he is the police chief or something.
447		He's a boss, boss, boss. Because he was so in charge, even from Liermans up to Fishermans.
448		The, the guy was just, this was the one who was managing everything.
449		Of course, I realized later on that at Fishermens that there were some other white guys who were really SAPS.
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451	DR	Um, you are talking about Wouter, like the, that you thought Wouter was the chief of police, the chief of the operation.
452	HK	Oh, yeah. Because there, this guy, the white, uh, the, the, the, he was speaking Afrikaans.
453		He was a white guy, speaking Afrikaans. He was in, I think, a grey, grey shirt, uh, no white, uh, Sky blue. Shirt, and there was another one in short, in the short trouser.
454		There's another one in there.
455		There seemed to be real, real SAPS because you could tell from their conduct that, uh, there SAPS with their complication and all that,
456	DR	For, for, yeah. In theory, for, for being, for working for Wouter, which he denied at the time. And, and I believe him.
457		it took me time, you know, even after days after that, [sneezing] he was a, uh, he was a private investigator. Why did I know his name?
458		His name wasn't new to me because I knew Mr. Wouter, even though I never saw him because of Clement. Clement used to talk about, because he showed me a letter that you wrote to him, suspending him, uh, for whatever, for whatever problem that we had S him
459		Yes, he, he, he, he told me that, uh, Darren is suspecting me to be in contact with, uh, an independent, uh, private investigator.
460	HK	
461		uh, but still would see that, uh, Mr. Wouter, was so in charge
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463	DR	Mm-hmm.
464	DR	But you said like he was, he was, he led the arrest of you at Liermans. He was in charge. I think there was four or five police officers. He was in charge of that,
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466	HK	In my opinion. In my opinion.
467	DR	The appearance was that he was, he was running the show, that he was running the operation, that he was the most senior policeman there.
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469		In my opinion, in my opinion Darren, definitely that guy was running the operation because he was, he was the one who was leading everyone even because I saw that at Leirmans,
470		He was the one asking the questions.
471		He was the one leading them to, to the rooms.
472		He was the one doing this and that.
473		So, I thought, I thought, oh, so this is a police in charge, the chief of police in Cape Town.
474		I was like, oh, this should be a bigger case because even the big bosses here.
475	DR	Mm-hmm.
476	HK	For my goodness. You, see?
477	DR	Mm-hmm.
478	HK	So that's why it really terrorised me because seeing all those bosses coming to a house that you are living, it should tell you that it's really big, big crime.
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480		Because you look at, you look at the doors, how the doors were smashed, almost each and every door was broken in two like, and the guy, Clement's brother was like, he heard some like, uh, What some, not bombs, but what you call it, the, these, these things that they saw to make some noise. I don't know what to call them.
481	DR	Who, who's this? The police.
482	HK	Some blast. Okay. He had some blast. I don't know, maybe he was hearing them hitting the doors or what, but he said I had a lot of blast, you know, almost each and every room. So,
483	DR	Yeah, I, yeah, that's, that's all I could hear from upstairs was, was, was blasts.

484	HK	Yeah. It was like he saw some of the officers, the way they entered the house, some of them climbed the walls with the, I don't know, you know, those kind of like swat tactics. So, the things that we see in movies. So, I was like, yo, because I was trying to explain to him like, you know, they had to grab me by the belt, like, ah, I like you because for us, some of us, We were so under the cloud, this and that.
485	DR	Ah, yeah. When they came downstairs, they were on their knees with their hands, I think behind the back. I can't remember. Um, like, like, it was like, like the, the terra like terrorists. Um, 'cause when I was, you remember upstairs there was the lift from one side and there were the stairs, this spiral staircase from the other. And the armed ones came from both sides at the same time. We're pointing their guns at me. And I know that there was,
486	HK	Oh,
487	DR	I don't know how many there was in total. There was a lot. 'cause they were jumping over the walls. They were coming up the stairs. There was.
488	HK	Oh.
489	DR	But, um, yeah, 'cause I kept hearing explosions, and I wasn't, yeah. It was, there was a lot of explosions.
490	HK	Mm-hmm. Yeah. So that's my recollection. That's my, that's everything that I remember about the whole deal. Um, it was so traumatizing to me, you know, seeing the police, you know, I'm a law-abiding citizen.
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492		I don't, I don't really like to be. Uh, to be doing things that I know that they'll put me in trouble.
493		So, seeing the police, you're like, what did I do? You know? Um.
494	DR	But you said that they never, they never actually charged you with anything.
495		They told you; you were arrested. They didn't tell you what for but moved you to Fisherman's where they did the mugshots, but then they let you go. So, they ne they never actually gave you a, a crime that you're supposed to committed.
496	HK	Exactly. I was at, I didn't understand I was told that I'm under, that's why they took me, uh, to, to Fisherman.
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498		So, they, they all this time I was just expecting them to, uh, to tell me the charges. But one of the officers up there was like, no, we're not after you, you're not under arrested. Probably you are just detained, but not arrested. So, ah, okay, fine. Maybe they forgot to show me. That's just detained.
499	DR	Mm-hmm.
500	HK	I'm just detained. Not arrested, but initially I was told that I'm under arrest.
501	DR	Mm-hmm.
502	HK	So, this is what really freaked me out. I had to let my, uh, my parents that, hey, this is what's happening. I've been told that I'm under arrest and all that.
503	DR	And what was I gonna ask? Oh, so, so Ragy turns up like immediately after I'm arrested, then his secretary, or whoever this girl is, say 15, 20 minutes later. And then the other two. What was the gap? What was the timescale that the third and the fourth person arrived?
504	HK	The, the time between what?
505	DR	You said Ragy arrived immediately after I was arrested. Then his, the, the lady who we think is his secretary arrived 15 minutes after him, and then the other two, how much after her?
506	HK	Was maybe, [coughing] let's say 30 to 40 minutes later.
507	DR	Okay. So, within an hour, all four of them were on site.
508	HK	With, yeah. Yeah. Within that timeframe.
509	DR	Okay. Iyo. Yeah. Yeah. So, they would, obviously, they obviously knew timescales to have all that organised, but you said, when was it, at what point you said Wouter then went into a meeting with those four.
510		Was that after the last one arrived? He went into a meeting?

511	HK	Yes. Probably. There was a, the reason why I know there was a meeting because Clement had told me that, uh, those guys are having a meeting in, uh, top there.
512	DR	Mm-hmm.
513	HK	Okay.
514	DR	In the bedroom, in my, in the top fifth floor?
515	HK	When I knew, it's when I knew Ragy was the owner of the house, and he was trying to, he sold it to the, to the other Indian guy.
516	DR	Mm-hmm.
517	HK	Yeah, because I, I didn't know all of these guys. I was just told; I knew them during [coughing] that day of arrest.
518	DR	But when, so.
519	HK	And when we were going.
520	DR	Go on. Sorry.
521	HK	When we came out of, when we came out of Fisherman's with Mr. Wouter, those other guys, we, we left them there.
522	DR	Mm-hmm. No police, so, oh, and you left Fisherman's that they were there, but, so, so, Ragy arrived. Go. I'm sorry.
523	HK	Sorry.
524	DR	So Ragy arrived, then the lady, then the two guys. But at what point did Wouter come after all four or during.
525	HK	When did Wouter come in? Join them?
526	DR	Yeah.
527	HK	Uh, by this time Wouter was already there.
528	DR	Oh, he was already there. Okay.
529	HK	He was already there inside Yeah.
530	DR	Um, oh. 'cause when I left,
531	HK	We, we were just waiting for him to pick, to take us back to Liermans to get my things.
532	DR	Sorry. You're right. Because when I left, he, because Did you, did you see me being taken away?
533	HK	Yes. I saw you. You passed.
534	DR	Oh, of cause, sorry.
535	HK	Remember you.
536	DR	Stood against the wall.
537	HK	The only words that I remember your spoke, you spoke to Joe that can you please look, look after the house when I go?
538	DR	Yeah. 'cause I said they're gonna try and they're taking it. Um, did you see?
539	HK	Yeah. And then the officer replied that, uh, no, no one is gonna stay here.
540	DR	The officer said that?
541	HK	Yeah. One officer said, no one is gonna stay here.
542	DR	Ha? Since, since when did the officer get to say who stays in somebody else's property? Did you see?
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544		As they were taking me away, I saw the investigating officer give, I think it was the Lierman's keys to Wouter Did you see that as well?
545	HK	The, did I see what?
546	DR	When I was being taken away, I saw the investigating officer give Wouter keys, the keys for Lierman's. He said, there you go. And he gave him the keys. Um, as I was being taken away,
547	HK	uh, I didn't see that.
548	DR	Okay.

549	HK	I didn't see that.
550	DR	Did you see when, after I left, did you see Wouter with the keys for Liermans? Because I mean, he must have, who did he get the keys from?
551	HK	Wouter, Wouter, had the keys.
552	DR	He had the keys from you?
553	HK	All the time. Because he is the one who opened us open for us when we, we wanted to get our things from him.
554	DR	Oh, maybe it was Fisherman's Keys, then he gave to Wouter, um,
555	HK	Fisherman's Key.
556	DR	Yeah. So Wouter took the Lierman's keys from you?
557	HK	Yes. He, he took [THE Leirmans KEYS] from me.
558	DR	Okay. Um,
559	HK	I don't know who, I don't know about the Fisherman's Keys and, and I don't know who he gave it to.
560	DR	And then when, when Ragy came, did, uh, Wouter greet him or he just, uh, Ragy just walked in?
561	HK	Uh, no. Ragy just walked in.
562	DR	Mm-mmm
563	HK	And I suppose they met inside.
564	DR	And did you ever see the two together as in like, to see whether they were like best buddies or whether they looked like they were fairly new friends or anything? Or they all were upstairs having this meeting?
565	HK	Uh, no. No, no. But I suppose they were together because, um, Uh, Wouter was by the garage talking to, I don't know. Oh. Was talking to Joe about the phone thing?
566	DR	Mm-hmm.
567	HK	It is when, um, uh, it's when, uh, uh, it's when like okay, was talking to Joe about the phones.
568	DR	Mm-hmm.
569	HK	Then he, he went back inside.
570	DR	Mm-hmm.
571	HK	Ragy comes, he also goes inside, Wouter comes back, uh, to continue talking to Joe.
572	DR	Mm-hmm.
573	HK	Uh, he was also, I think on the phone to someone. Then this other lady come, the white lady.
574	DR	Mm-hmm.
575	HK	They go together. He cast the phone They go together inside.
576	DR	Mm-hmm. Yeah. Okay.
577	HK	Yeah. Um,
578	DR	What was I gonna ask? I, I'll try and get a photo actually of Wendy. I don't think I've got a photo of Wendy. I think it'll either be the agent or it be Wendy. I think it'd probably be Wendy. That's his.
579	HK	Mm-hmm.
580	DR	I think it'd be Wendy, that's his assistant.
581	HK	Um,
582	DR	And then it was a few days later.
583	HK	I don't, I don't, I don't know her name. Maybe she should be.
584	DR	Yeah. But it was only, it was like almost straight after, it was a few days later that the new owners came, the husband and wife?
585	HK	Come again.
586	DR	That it was, it was literally a few days after I was arrested that the, the husband and wife moved in with their family. The, the, the lady and her husband.
587	HK	The lady,

588	DR	The new owners.
589	HK	What?
590	DR	The new owners, Ragy's Friends. The new owners.
591	HK	Oh, uh, or the new, the, the, the, the two Indian guy guys who came later?
592	DR	No, um, not for the meeting, but the new owners when they, they moved in a few days after I was arrested with the, I think you said it was the father, the mother or something.
593	HK	The new owners?
594	DR	Yeah. The new owners.
595	HK	Yeah. After. Is it after a week? Yeah, after a week later.
596	DR	Mm-hmm.
597	HK	Then, Uh, we were told to, to come, to start working on the house. We were told to come that we'll be told what to do. Uh, when we were there, we found out that the new, we were told that the, the new owners are, uh, are here, these two Indians, uh, certain couple.
598	DR	Mm-hmm.
599	HK	Uh, with, so there are four of them, the couple and their mother and father in-law. The father and mother to the wife of the owner.
600	DR	Mm-hmm.
601	HK	Were, were also there.
602	DR	Mm-hmm.
603	HK	Um, we, it was quiet, he was quite, uh, um, he was quite a guy because we, we, we, we, we clicked. So, with me, we used to work together. Most of the time he used to call my name, come here, I want you to help me. This today, this what, what, what he was.
604	DR	This is the husband, your father?
605	HK	Yeah. Huh?
606	DR	That's the husband of the new, that's the new owner?
607	HK	No, no, no, no. The, the, the, the, the now the father-in-law. Now.
608	DR	Oh, the Father Okay. Yeah.
609	HK	The owner was, we, we didn't have, we didn't meet the, we were not, we didn't even have to, we didn't talk to the owner. He was just a, you know, a serious guy, always in top floor doing his own things.
610	DR	Mm-hmm
611	HK	He say, he made an office to Where was on your, where was your office in the first place? Remember up the, on the fifth floor.
612	DR	Mm-hmm.
613	HK	That's where his office was.
614	DR	Mm-hmm.
615	HK	Uh, most of the time he was, he was on the phone talking to some, I think it's his, his company guy is from India. I would see, I would hear the accent.
616	DR	Mm-hmm.
617	HK	He was always busy, so we didn't have time to talk to him, but his wife was fond of like, you know, going downstairs, pointing to do this, remove this, remove this, put this there. I don't like this plant. Get rid of it. I don't like this one. I like this one. You can keep it and all that. So, the wife was
618	DR	Mm-hmm.
619	HK	Yeah. [sneezing] We used to interact with the wife, but not their husband.
620	DR	Yeah.
621	HK	But they were still there.
622	DR	Mm. But she would let ask you to do things like, get rid of this plant. Keep this plant.
623	HK	Yeah.

624	DR	Basically, nice stuff. She would.
625	HK	Yeah. Yeah. All those waters. Water pots, I mean the flowerpots, the big ones. Those that had some ling some glittering like tiles towers, glittering.
626	DR	Mm-hmm.
627	HK	We took all of them down. She didn't like them.
628	DR	Which ones didn't she like?
629	HK	Hmm?
630	DR	Which ones didn't she like?
631	HK	The big pots that kinda like had, uh, coatings of glittering like tiles of glass outside?
632	DR	Uh, oh, uh, big, the little mirror tile things. Yeah.
633	HK	At Fishermans. Yeah.
634	DR	What did they do with the sculptures? The two faces?
635	HK	Hmm.
636	DR	You know, the sculptures, the two faces.
637	HK	The sculpture.
638	DR	Mm-hmm.
639	HK	By the pool?
640	DR	There was one by the pool and there was one on the veranda.
641	HK	On the veranda. Uh oh. Uh, I'm not really sure, but the one by the pool, I think it still there.
642	DR	Uhhuh.
643	HK	I, we, I left it there. I don't know if they took it out after we left.
644	DR	Yeah.
645	HK	Because we just worked there for two weeks.
646	DR	Yeah.
647	HK	Mm-hmm.
648	DR	Um, and it was just the mother and father there, because I know when she came to see the place earlier in the year, she was talking about bringing her children out or something.
649	HK	Uh, no, the children were not there. It is just they, this couple, their father-in-law. Mother, mother and father-in-law.
650	DR	Oh. It's a big house for two couples. So, they had my bedroom. Where did the in-laws sleep?
651	HK	I think they just came maybe to just have a look at it, because they probably went back after we left.
652		We heard that. They left back, to India.
653	DR	What? the parents,
654	HK	But the parents still, were there, after. After a time.
655	DR	Yeah. Because, well, they stayed until March. No?
656	HK	Yes, yes. Yeah. But they probably left someone else.
657	DR	Yeah. So, it's just two people occupying the house. Really?
658	HK	Yeah.
659	DR	Until March,
660	HK	Yeah, Just two.
661	DR	Wow. Okay. Um, what was I gonna say? And basically, as soon as they moved in, they obviously planned it was because they, they knew exactly what they were gonna do in terms of changing stuff.
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663		You said that they took loads of stuff from upstairs and threw it down in the garage.
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665		There was broken stuff and then there was loads of stuff put on the street.

666	HK	Yeah.
667	DR	And anybody that wanted it can just take it, this is all my stuff, I assume. Well, everything in it was mine.
668	HK	Whatever that they didn't like it was put. Okay.
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670		They, there were some other things that typically it was your personal belongings.
671	DR	Mm-hmm.
672	HK	We were advised to put it in, uh, in the garage. And there were some other things that they didn't like,
673	DR	But my personal belongings, they put in the garage or in the locked storerooms or just in the general open garage.
674	HK	In the, no, in general. In the, in the garage?
675	DR	Yeah. Yeah.
676	HK	In the open space.
677	DR	Mm-hmm.
678	HK	Uh, some we packed inside there, you know, the rooms there, there's a toilet and two rooms.
679	DR	Yeah. There are lockable rooms.
680	HK	There's a room for, I think, for gardening tools, and there's another room for. The middle one. We put Ollie's stuff in one room.
681	DR	Mm-hmm.
682	HK	The other two rooms, we put things that were supposed to be put there and some books, some boxes.
683	DR	Mm-hmm.
684	HK	Then all the pillows and some other beddings, we put them on top of those rooms, uh, on top of the roof of those rooms.
685	DR	Mm-hmm.
686	HK	The rest of the furniture was put on the open, [sneezing] uh, space. Whatever that they didn't like was put there.
687	DR	So, the garage was full, full of stuff.
688	HK	It was very, very full, very, very full. There was even, Not even a space to, you wouldn't walk from there to there. It was full.
689	DR	Mm-mmm
690	HK	We just created a space to walk from the other end as we go up the stairs to the stairway and to the walk, to the hallway.
691	DR	Mm-hmm.
692	HK	That's where your dog's where also kept during all this time that I was there.
693	DR	Yeah. This part that I don't understand.
694	HK	And that's another, that's another story with the dogs, to be honest.
695		They were ah, they were kept in, they, they were not taking good care of as you used to do
696		Because I, I, I, I felt so sorry for the dogs. I felt so sorry for the dogs.
697		I don't know how many times they were fed, but they were not in good shape. [Sneezing]
698		You could tell that. You could tell, [Sneezing] Excuse me.
699	DR	Bless you.
700	HK	You could tell that, uh, these dogs are somehow worried.
701	DR	Hmm.
702	HK	Yeah, because I know your dogs, there used to be, you know, happy and all that.
703	DR	So, they were frightened and scared, basically.
704	HK	They were just laid there wondering.
705		They saw the, they took refuge, in the furniture, in the junk, which was put in the garage.

706		When you call them, it would take time for the dog to come to you.
707		You would hear that the dog is trying to figure out, how do I move from here to there.
708	DR	Because the garage was full, full of stuff.
709	HK	Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.
710		Because the garage was full of stuff. So, I think that generally the owners, the new owners didn't like, they're not, they're not dog people. They didn't like the dogs. Uh, they just, maybe not dog people.
711	DR	Mm-hmm.
712	HK	Because if at all someone has pet at home, you wouldn't treat the way the dogs were treated.
713	DR	Well, they just left them there
714	HK	While the dogs were also treated as, maybe they're criminals again.
715	DR	[chuckle] but they were just left there to die because they weren't hardly fed.
716		And they were amongst a load of, well, basically the house, the, the junk, any of which could have fallen over any one time. People are going in and out the garage. They could have run.
717		They basically didn't, well, they just didn't care. I don't think they would've cared, I assume, if they had died.
718	HK	Mm-hmm.
719	DR	Um, but I mean, they, I mean, they weren't being fed, I assume, because cl there was no way Clement was gonna go down and feed them.
720		And I know when Jay went, she said there was nothing in the food bowl and there was nothing in the water bottle. And they looked like they hadn't eaten for ages.
721		So, the owners weren't feeding them or taking care of them.
722	HK	I doubt it, I doubt if they were, they were properly, they were properly fed.
723	DR	Mm-hmm.
724	HK	I really doubt that because it was a busy, it was the whole time I've been there since, for morning we used to come there by seven. We would work, work, wake up until, because we used, we also used to work, uh, up until night, like near.
725	DR	Mm-hmm.
726	HK	I used to work up until night sometimes.
727	DR	Oh, really? Like how long is a rough as an average day? Seven, till when?
728	HK	Okay. Normally we, we used to knock, go to knock at five, all of us.
729	DR	Mm-hmm
730	HK	But sometimes we could work up, work up maybe up until seven.
731	DR	Yeah.
732	HK	Lucky enough. Uh, that time was, you know, summer summers, seven o'clock would be like, maybe the sun is still there.
733	DR	What do they pay you out of interest for a day? Work for, well for 12 hours work. That's what you do?
734	HK	Uh, no. We were, we, we were paid 300 a day.
735	DR	Mm-hmm. Okay.
736	HK	I've just forgotten how many days I went there, but we were paid 300 a day.
737	DR	Mm-hmm. And I think you said when you came in, was it like two I think Joe, uh, sorry, Joe, Jess. It was what, three weeks later, two weeks after the arrest that Jess picked the dogs up?
738	HK	The time I came in to, to start to clean?
739	DR	No, when Jess picked up the dogs and just the dogs were there for two or three weeks before, because Jess came in. Jess said she came because she'd heard that the dogs were distressed, but, well, Clement didn't call her and the owners didn't say, can we do something with these dogs? It was literally Jess that went to rescue them.

740	HK	Um, I've forgotten to when they came for the dogs because I just woke up this, other time that I just realised that the dogs are gone. When I asked, the Clement told me that someone came to, to take the dogs.
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742		I think he told me that there are a certain, is it a dog care thing? Dog care guys.
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744		They came to the pet guys who came to…
745	DR	Yeah.
746	HK	Collect the dog.
747	DR	The dog the, the dog trainer came, but she, yeah, because she lives in,
748	HK	Yeah.
749	DR	Um, and also the, so the stuff of mine that they didn't want was thrown in the garage, but was it, you said it was put on the street for people just to pick, didn't want the one.
750	HK	Yeah. Some of the, so in the process of moving, in, the process of moving some of the furniture broke, you know, you know, when you're moving, trying to move things up and down.
751	DR	Mm-hmm.
752	HK	It happened there. There are some things that maybe will break along the way. So, they were just thrown in the, in, in, in the street there. They, they hired, um, they had a, a, a, a trash, those trash removal guys with Bakkies.
753	DR	Mm-hmm.
754	HK	Uh, to get, to take everything that was thrown outside. And, um, this included, uh, the furniture, which was in Clement's bedroom because they, they had told him that they will replace everything. So, Clement threw away all the furniture, which was in his room.
755	DR	Mm-hmm.
756	HK	Except the bed and mattress, which was kept at, uh, the house that we rented. He said he's gonna come and take it later. The couch, uh, he sent it to, to Macy's place.
757	DR	Mm-hmm.
758	HK	So, everyone walking on the street, or even the guys that we doing some renovations to the next door, to the next house. And to your neighbours, they were, you know, this house, which was being you renovated, I think into a hotel or something else.
759	DR	Oh, the big white one.
760	HK	The big, yeah.
761	DR	Mm-hmm.
762	HK	So, the guys that were working there were even given a chance to come and, uh, and take what they liked.
763	DR	Hmm.
764	HK	That is from the things that we were found outside the, the garage.
765	DR	Mm-hmm.
766	HK	So, some guys took some furniture, some wood, some glasses, some cups, some flower cups, you know.
767	DR	Mm-hmm.
768	HK	Some boxes. I, for one, I also took some, some, uh, some drawers that were thrown out. Um, I had to pay the bakkie guys that when he is going to, to throw the junk away, he can pass by the house and drop the, the drawers.
769	DR	Hmm. Which drawers were they?
770	HK	some carpet. Mm-hmm
771	DR	Which drawer? Like a chest drawer?
772	HK	Yeah, like, like a chest of drawers.
773	DR	You don't remember what color it was? Do you?
774	HK	Just saw.

775	DR	Don't remember what color it was in the chest of drawers. Bedside table or actual chest of drawers?
776	HK	Uh, no, it was, I, it was, um, it was sprayed with a grey, some grey spray paint.
777	DR	Mm-hmm
778	HK	One was, the, one was pure wood, one was pure wood. One was, uh, the one which had metal handles and sprayed with, um, Drake Patch on top.
779	DR	Mm-hmm.
780	HK	The cupboards where they said they were, they were stinking dog urine. They were smelling dog urine. They had to throw them away. Most of the carpets.
781	DR	Cupboards.
782	HK	Carpets.
783	DR	Oh, the carpet, you mean the rugs. Uh,
784	HK	The carpets,
785	DR	But the main rugs or some of the side rugs, because the main rugs were hugely expensive. Did the, the animal skin rugs?
786	HK	The, the, the liked one. The, the, the rug that looks like, um, they were brown in color.
787	DR	Brown, an animal, skin rug, or just a normal rug.
788	HK	Not the animal skin one. The skin one was left there.
789	DR	Yeah. Surprise, surprise. I don't, uh, maybe the lounge one then. I'm trying to think which one was Brown. Dunno.
790	HK	Uh, the large one? Yeah.
791	DR	Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. Um, but they kept what? All the mirrors they kept. The main rugs, they kept the,
792	HK	What?
793	DR	They kept, I assume all the mirrors, all the expensive Vases, all the main items.
794	HK	Some thrown away.
795	DR	Somewhat had to be thrown away?
796	HK	Some had to be thrown away, but somewhere kept.
797	DR	Uh, there was a couple Yeah. They didn't have, yeah. Okay. But did they throw like the expensive vases away or they kept all that stuff?
798	HK	What?
799	DR	The expensive vases. The big vases and stuff?
800	HK	Yeah. They, those, they kept some, some they kept.
801	DR	Mm-hmm.
802	HK	Somewhere were thrown away.
803	DR	Wow. Okay. Um,
804	HK	The gym. The gym, the gym equipment, like the dumbbells and some weights were also given away. The driver was given the gym, the dumbbells. By Clement
805	DR	The driver?
806	HK	Yeah. The driver of the bakkie.
807	DR	Those weights were bloody expensive. Iyo. And I, am I a spin bike? Do you know what happened to that?
808	HK	Um, is there the treadmill was yours, I mean the, the bike which was there?
809	DR	Yeah. Everything. There was mine, but yeah, that was mine.
810	HK	Okay. It was there, it was left there. It was still there, there. The father-in-law was like, no, don't take this down. I need to, I want to be exercising. Because he took that room by the, that by that side. By the gym side.
811	DR	Which room? The guest apartment?
812	HK	Yes. The room that had, uh, the bike,

813	DR	But it had the bike. I can't remember who had the, the gym. There's the gym. What room had the bike?
814	HK	Yeah, that, that, that, um, treadmill like bike. The room that had the, the train, trainer bike. What do you call it? I don't know.
815	DR	In the, in the main house or in the guest bed?
816	HK	No, this was close to your office.
817	DR	Oh, the bedroom.
818	HK	On the fifth floor.
819	DR	Oh, yeah, the fifth floor. Oh yeah, my bedroom. Well, yeah, the bedroom I'd moved up to. Yeah,
820	HK	Yeah, yeah. I think, I guess that was your bedroom, I think.
821	DR	Well, the bedroom, my one was the one on the fourth floor. The one with the balcony at the front and the back. But I'd been moved up there because of safety.
822	HK	Oh yeah.
823	DR	Yeah. Um, okay. Uh, you just, because I haven't, I haven't been there in ages, but they, you said they were gonna do, like when they finished renovating it, do what I did or do a hotel.
824	HK	Uh, from what I heard from Clement is like they, they're trying to do the hotel business because, uh, I, I used to later on, Clement used to, to put on status like LlandudnoHotel, so I think that was the name of it. Now, Uh, because Clement told me that the guys wanna get Clement back to India for the hotel training and stuff.
825	DR	Mm-hmm.
826	HK	That, uh, he knows the hotel business. So, I think they're also planning of doing the same kind of, uh, kinda like business or hotel business sort of.
827	DR	Yeah. 'cause they asked me about doing that, but I don't think you're allowed a business in Londono. Don't I? I think there's rules against it. I think you're allowed to rent a house out, but I'm not sure. I don't think you're allowed a commercial enterprise. Um
828	HK	Oh, okay.
829	DR	But you, so, but did they, after the arrest, was I ever mentioned, did they mention me in any way whatsoever?
830	HK	Uh, the owners?
831	DR	Mm-hmm.
832	HK	Uh, no. I know that I, no, they, they never mentioned
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834		All the, all they complain about the dogs, uh, the dog. Most of the carpets is, uh, the dog urine.
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836		We don't, we don't like the smell because we had to go No, no, no. We, we had, there was already a bottle of, uh, uh, odour remover for a dog urine inside the house. I think you; you bought it.
837	DR	Mm-hmm.
838	HK	So, we diluted and sprayed over the, uh, synthetic taps.
839	DR	Mm-hmm.
840	HK	Uh, on the fifth floor.
841	DR	So that's the only comment that they were complaining about an odour from the rugs.
842	HK	Yeah.
843	DR	While I was in Pollsmoor.
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845		Uh, um, did they keep, what about things like the bedding and stuff? 'cause that was all really expensive. Did they keep all that?
846	HK	Uh, the beddings remained.
847	DR	Mm.
848	HK	We didn't take any bedding from the rooms.

849	DR	And the expensive, like the fur throws that were over the beds, the really thick ones.
850	HK	What?
851	DR	That there was expensive fur throws that went over the beds. Like at the end of the beds. Like big?
852	HK	Oh no. Oh, those, uh, no, we didn't take that one.
853	DR	They kept all those?
854	HK	Yeah, those things remained there.
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856		We didn't take them. Maybe they took them later after we left but, we left them.
857	DR	Oh. Because when I went round to the house ages ago, you know, the big round pots, there were six of them outside the front There was only two. But I didn't know whether they'd moved them because they were doing building works to keep them safe or whether they moved them permanently. Do you remember there was six pots? Four round ones. Four ovel ones?
858	HK	The pots?
859	DR	Yeah. The big, big ones outside the front. Well.
860	HK	In front of the, of, of the entry. The big black one.
861	DR	Yeah. Well, and the silver ones.
862	HK	We left them there.
863	DR	They did what? Sorry.
864	HK	No, they didn't get rid of them. We, we left them there.
865	DR	Um, do you know what they did to, oh no. It was after you left because they pulled all the bourgainvillias off the front of the house. Which I thought was a shame. I dunno why they did that. It looked a bit bare. Um, but you don't remember what they did with the face on the veranda balcony? Did that just stay there?
866	HK	Uh, the pot for the bogan villas?
867	DR	The, well, the pots, all the, the sculpture, the, because there were two big sculptures there, there was the two faces.
868	HK	Uh, so your question is?
869	DR	Do you, do you remember what they did with the other, because there were two faces. Well, there's actually four.
870	HK	Oh
871	DR	But there were two big ones. I didn't know if you saw what they did with the both of them, or you think they kept both 'cause they were worth them lot of money.
872	HK	Oh, we, we didn't tie, we didn't touch them. Okay. There are some other big pots that we did. We took them down. They said they can go, uh, from the second floor.
873	DR	Mm-hmm.
874	HK	Yeah, from second floor. And we didn't touch the, those faces. What they, the cut.
875	DR	The pots. You moved or they threw them away? Or they moved them to a different property?
876	HK	Uh, they threw ah, they threw, they threw them away. They said they didn't want them.
877	DR	Oh, okay.
878	HK	So no, they did throw them away. They, they put them down in the garage.
879	DR	Mm-hmm.
880	HK	Yeah.
881	DR	Hmm. Um, what was I gonna ask? And then, so Ollie, Ollie, well, Ollie was in the photo shoot. He didn't come back that day. So, the girlfriend, they, they threw the girlfriend out. She left.
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883		Um, and oh, and then you went, so the last time you saw Leirmans was when Wouter took you back to get your stuff and then do the fake filming of the, sorry, the filming of the fake leaving. That was the last time you saw Lehman's until we went back in. Oh no, that was, yeah. That was the last time you saw Liermans.
884	HK	The last time, the last time I went to Liermans?
885	DR	Was when he took you back there to get your stuff?
886	HK	Yes, it was when he took us back there to, to get our stuff.
887	DR	Because we,
888	HK	That was the end of it.
889	DR	That was the 14th.
890	HK	We never went back.
891	DR	Do you remember the date? We went back in and started doing it up because, cause uh, on all the legal paperwork it says that when they found the property it was like destroyed and blah, blah, blah.
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893		But which we know is not true because when we went back that's what it was like. But I can't, it was middle to middle of, no, no. Was it middle of November that we went back in, and we had to like, repair everything?
894	HK	Oh, going back to Liermans or Fisherman?
895	DR	Liermans. When I'm, because I, when I stayed at Lehman's for a week, 10 days. 'cause there was guests at
896	HK	Yeah,
897	DR	Fishermen. And we did it all up.
898	HK	I remember, I remember that day. So, question, your question was they found, they said they found, the house what?
899	DR	On the legal paperwork. They've put that when they went back in after my arrest. They found the property destroyed.
900		Um, the pool not working, but. Their description of the property was as it was when we found it in November.
901		Now we repaired it, and we made it nice. 'cause obviously Wouter, he's recommended to Inga that you should get a job because everything looks so perfect and wonderful at Liermans.
902		But in the legal paperwork, they've put that, when they went back after my arrest, they discovered this property in an awful condition.
903		But we'd spent like by that point, three weeks a month making it look good again.
904	HK	That's what it surprises as to, to what kind of damage were they talking about?
905	DR	Mm-hm.
906	HK	That's not true.
907	DR	Because we, um, I'm just trying to think because you sent me, you sent me those photos because when we went back in, all the plants were dead.
908		The grass was like two feet high.
909	HK	The grass was like brown, bad, bad damaged,
910	DR	The inside was damaged. Ground.
911	HK	After we came back, I remember you bought this organo boost fertilized or some sort of, you, you we did. You didn't.
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913		Put a lot of stuff and the glass came up.
914		By the time they were arresting us, the glass was green. You remember you asked me to take some photos that I sent you?
915	DR	Yeah. 'cause when we were going back in, it was dead, and it was.
916	HK	Yeah.

917	DR	Tall. Every single plant was dead.
918	HK	All the flowers, the boogie was now flourishing up and all that. Even then, the front of the house was Yeah. In good shape.
919	DR	Mm-hmm.
920	HK	Yeah. So, I, I'm surprised to why they, why they say that.
921	DR	Well, they're trying to make me look bad.
922		They, they, they put on the legal paperwork that they had to spend hundreds of thousands repairing the damage that we'd done, which was, is actually the other way around. Because I think we put a new, I, I should have kept the receipts, what they took the stuff.
923		Anyway, there was a new pool pump that we put in…pool.
924	HK	You can even call. You can't even call. You know, remember those guys? There, there was this coloured, young guy who also came to help us painting. Uh.
925	DR	Who was that?
926	HK	There was this other guy you invite, you, you came over to, to, to fix the light by the, by the pool side.
927	DR	The, I, I booked to somebody else booked?
928	HK	Yeah. Because He can attest to how the how good house was.
929	DR	Which, who was that? Remind me. Because there's know stuff that happened before the arrest me is a, is a blur. There were the guys I hired to do the carpet cleaning. There was the upholstery cleaning. There was the pool pump.
930	HK	Yes. And upholstery for upholstery cleaning guy. I think I still have the, the number of the carpet.
931	DR	Is it Jeffrey? Jeffrey was the upholstery cleaning guy. Because I've got,
932	HK	There was another,
933	DR	yeah, go on. Sorry.
934	HK	There was another colored guy who came for electric. He was, he, he [muffled sound].
935	DR	He was what?
936	HK	But I don't know his name. I forgotten it.
937	DR	who was, how old was he? Um, I'm trying to think who that was? Um, I'm trying to think who that was. What, what electrics was he doing? The lights?
938	HK	The lights. The lights. They, they, those, uh oh,
939	DR	Or the backup battery or something as well. And the jacuzzi,
940	HK	The battery backup was another guy who seemed to have, uh, a big company who was really professional, professional. He came for to check up, or a battery or, I don't know.
941		
942		We had this, we had another problem, electrical problem.
943		
944		I think the switch was somehow stuck or damaged. So, he came to fix it. He didn't take time.
945	DR	Yeah. Yeah.
946	HK	That was another guy. But there was another colored guy who used to come for minor manual repairs.
947		
948		He also worked at Fisherman for, for the lights in the stairway.
949	DR	Uh, I can't think who that was. Char.
950		There was a guy, Charles, who was used to do the electric. I can't remember because that week, 10 days that I was there, it was a workman coming and going, coming and going. There were tons.
951		Um, The pool guy. I remember the pool pump guy. 'cause he went and um, I paid him funny enough to do work to the pool at Fisherman's before I was arrested.
952		But obviously that never happened. Um, I can't remember.

953		
954		Uh Okay. And when they arrested you, Wouter and was it four policemen all in uniform?
955	HK	Yeah. If my memory serves me right. I think it was four police officers.
956	DR	Mm-hmm.
957	HK	Who came on their van. Wouter came on his personal vehicle, the white Discovery for Land Rover.
958	DR	Mm-hmm. You said 'cause one, you said one of them was Afrikaans White and a beer belly. 'cause that sounds exactly like one of the guys that arrested me back in August. Um, in his fifties, I think. Uh, white.
959	HK	Yes.
960	DR	Mm-hmm.
961	HK	One guy. Okay. The guy that came to Leirmans one, one was an off-duty police officer. He. He was in plain clothes, he was in shorts, I think in the shorts.
962		
963		Uh, he was white and Afrikaans. The others were black. I still remember the face of one officer. [Later identified as Denis Dalton]
964	DR	So, say that again. There was four. One was plain clothes with the shorts and white and the others were in uniform.
965	HK	And the three were in uniforms. But black.
966	DR	Mm-hmm.
967	HK	Yes. Because I remember one was white and uh, Afrikaans.
968	DR	Mm-hmm.
969	HK	The other was black.
970	DR	I'm just trying to think who the one of the shorts would be, it's unusual for a police officer to be wearing shorts.
971	HK	Huh?
972	DR	I was just wondering who the one in the shorts would be, because it's unusual for a police officer to be wearing shorts.
973	HK	I don't know who he was. He was,
974	DR	I'll get a photo of the two detectives.
975	HK	I don't maybe he was friend a friend to Wouter. I don't know
976	DR	That's what I'm thinking. Because the two private investigators, Johan and Dennis, Um, they were also on the scene. They shouldn't have been.
977		
978		They were the ones that were working with Mario that stole all that money. Um, I've got photos of them.
979		
980		Actually, I'll send it through, and you can tell me if it's one of them, because it's unusual for a police officer to wear shorts regardless of how warm it was.
981		
982		Did they say it was a police officer or he just was just part of the group? Did any of them introduce themselves or just Wouter
983	HK	Sorry?
984	DR	Did any of the policemen introduce themselves or was it just Wouter?
985	HK	No, actually no one introduced themself.
986	DR	Oh, really?
987	HK	Like, like my name is Ward. What? I'm here for this. No one introduced,
988	DR	So, they just followed…
989	HK	All they said whether we are police open or that's all.

990	DR	Yeah. I wonder how many of them actually were, but three of them were wearing real uniforms. So, they that they been police officers.
991	HK	Yeah.
992	DR	In a police officer van as well. Like a marked police van. Not no blank one.
993	HK	No. A marked police van. Marked police van.
994	DR	Mm-hmm. And I was gonna ask the time that you were there, did nobody knock on the door as a guest expecting to, to check in because you were there?
995		if I was arrested in the middle of December, then you would've been there the busiest two weeks of the year.
996		Was there nobody that, like, because I know they put notes on the outside of the property, didn't they, saying that, um, if your guests and your booked to stay here, you've been scammed, but did nobody turn up when you were there?
997	HK	Uh, no. Nobody came by the door saying that they, they, they're supposed to, to check in or whatsoever? No. Mm, no. Not, not at Liermans.
998	DR	Or No. But that, um, when you were working at Fisherman's,
999	HK	At Fisherman?
1000	DR	Mm-hmm.
1001	HK	Uh, before I moved to Liermans? No, no. Nobody came there.
1002	DR	And the two weeks that you were working there. 'cause you were there all day.
1003	HK	Mm-hmm.
1004	DR	Um, Nobody because, because people were booked to come and have their holidays there. So, it's weird that nobody, um, uh, that nobody at all because also…
1005	HK	No, by, by the time I was at Fisherman, uh, I've encountered with a number of guests there. I remember this other Americans, uh, some of them I remember he gave me a good tip of, oh, that was $40 each other, a black, black American. But by the time I was there, we never had someone knocking that I'm supposed to be here.
1006	DR	Say that again. Who tipped you?
1007	HK	Sorry?
1008	DR	What, guest, who, who gave you? You said somebody gave you a tip, guess at Lehman's or Fisherman's or?
1009	HK	Uh, at Fisherman's. It's a black American lady who was there. Um.
1010	DR	When was that?
1011	HK	What was her name? Was it Ja Ja, I just forgot her name. It was a black, but she was from U.S. I, I, she asked me to escort her to the, uh, to the beach.
1012		
1013		So, I took her down, down the ocean. We, we sat by the, the chair on the, uh, on the rocks down the, the beach there.
1014	DR	When was this?
1015	HK	I just forgotten her name.
1016	DR	But where, when was this? Sorry,
1017	HK	Sorry,
1018	DR	When, when was this? As in date wise? When was this?
1019	HK	Uh, this was in November.
1020	DR	And she, uh, but she was a Fisherman's or Liermans?
1021	HK	No, at Fisherman,
1022	DR	I think. Was she a, was she a large lady?
1023	HK	Sorry. A large Yes. at large.
1024	DR	Oh, yeah. Yeah. She was quite bubbly. She was like quiet, uh, friendly Yeah. Yeah.
1025	HK	Yes. That one really friendly. That was very friendly.

1026	DR	No, I mean, is I, I know there were guests then before I was arrested, but after I was arrested, there was no guests, There was nobody turning up.
1027	HK	No, no, no. Um, there, there was no guests.
1028	DR	Uh, so somebody took, turned up to the front door. Expecting a holiday, you would've known No, because you were working at the property. So, you would've known if people were, uh, ringing the bell and trying to get in or expecting a holiday.
1029	HK	Quiet, it's quite obvious. Yeah, sure.
1030	DR	Because, no, 'cause Wouter was saying that people were turning up expecting a holiday, which should have been the case, but you were working there. Um, and the, I mean, if you ring the bell at Lund, uh, Fisherman's, you can't not hear it. And if somebody was kicking up a fuss cause of, whatever, then you would've heard it shortly.
1031	HK	Yeah. There was a door, there was a doorbell system there. When someone pressed.
1032	DR	Ah,
1033	HK	You could hear inside the house. It, it, it was really loud.
1034	DR	Yeah.
1035	HK	Even in your room.
1036	DR	So, there was no guests and no visitors and No, no, nothing really there. There was no foot traffic. There was no.
1037	HK	Whoever, whoever, like the day at Fishermans was attended to either deliver guys or Uber guys Or someone who's coming to work or attended to. At my time with, at my time with, with my time there at Fishermans, there was never a point, uh, at a time where someone rang the bell, said, you know what? I was supposed to check in here. What? No.
1038	DR	Mm-hmm.
1039	HK	I never experienced that.
1040	DR	Yeah. Because that's why I didn't understand about his report. Because you worked there for the two busiest weeks of the year. So, in theory you would've.
1041	HK	Yeah. They all of November. They, all of November that was there. I never.
1042	DR	Oh, no, you're about November before I was arrested.
1043	HK	Hmm.
1044	DR	You're talking about before I was arrested or after?
1045	HK	I think it was before.
1046	DR	That's what I'm saying. Are you talking about now, before or after? Because you were working at Fisherman's before and after.
1047	HK	Before the arrest. When I was working there. We never had, there was someone knocking at that I was supposed to be here. Whatever.
1048	DR	No, no.
1049	HK	Even after I got arrested.
1050	DR	Mm.
1051	HK	As we were working there. No, no one came Um, you know what, I was supposed to check in here.
1052		
1053		No. Maybe if, even if they came, because there was a poster that Mr. Wouter put on, on the, on the premises that if he, if he ever happened to come here to check in, know that he come the, the guy who was doing this is arrested, now the house is closed.
1054		
1055		That was the message on the poster.
1056	DR	Yeah. 'cause when I went past in March or April, it was still on there and on Liermans that poster with his number on it, um,
1057	HK	Oh yeah, sure.
1058	DR	Yeah. No, I knew that the, no, I mean, no get, nobody turned up before the arrest expecting a stay.

1059		
1060		But I just thought after the arrest, that's peak period.
1061		
1062		So, there should have been people, well, at least one or two, um, expecting a holiday.
1063		
1064		I was just curious 'cause I thought I would be like an interesting thing to see how that lady reacts because by having me arrested and moving in, However many people were booked to stay there, that she ruined their holiday.
1065		
1066		Uh, but so I was curious if people turned up and she was, she didn't care. I mean, obviously she didn't care, She didn't care about me or the dogs, but, um, I thought at least some people would turn up. Um, but So you didn't, you never really interacted with the guy at all? He was an always upstairs working. It was just her instructing whatever changes she wanted done to the property.
1067	HK	Mm-hmm
1068	DR	No, that's what I mean. So, it was a question. Sorry. It was only her that you ever dealt with the wife, you didn't really deal with the husband.
1069	HK	The question is what?
1070	DR	It was only the wife that you dealt with. You never really dealt with the husband. He was always upstairs working.
1071	HK	Come again, the husband. What?
1072	DR	Sorry? It was only the wife. The new owners, it was only the wife that you ever interacted with?
1073	HK	Yeah, the husband was, uh, was busy with work. He, he is the guy that he business with work upstairs. His wife is the one who was a bit interactive. Talk to her, of course. Not in a because we, she used to talk to Clement, Cement was our, somehow like our supervisor, so
1074	DR	Mm-hmm.
1075	HK	We, we got orders from Clement, Clement got orders from the wife. So, the wife is the one who was like, she was in charge. Like, I don't like this, I like this. I was like this.
1076	DR	Mm-hmm.
1077	HK	Yeah.
1078	DR	Did they keep the cabanas?
1079	HK	Huh?
1080	DR	Did they keep the cabanas?
1081	HK	What?
1082	DR	You know, the cabanas, the, like the four poster beds with the curtains that are outside.
1083	HK	The curtains?
1084	DR	The cabanas, like, there was one in, um, there was two in Liermans. The ones I had made, the wooden ones with the curtains and the mattresses that you would sit in.
1085	HK	Oh, I think they, no, they, they kept those.
1086	DR	They kept the, yeah.
1087	HK	Yeah.
1088	DR	Um, okay. But you, yeah. So, you don't know if it's the hotel yet? 'cause I haven't got.
1089	HK	No, I haven't. Since, since January. I haven't been, I haven't checked, uh, that site to what's happening. All I could see is from Clement's status. I used to see them before we could post them. Llandudno Hotel what.
1090	DR	Mm-hmm.
1091	HK	I think he put itself on, on Facebook to,
1092	DR	You don't know how long in advance Clement was working for them. Do you like, I mean, I mean, two questions really. Do you know how long in advance of the arrest Clement knew about the arrest or how long in advance the arrestee was working for them?

1093	HK	Um, uh, to be honest, connecting for me personally. Okay. Uh, I will tell you to what Joe said, because I don't wanna, I don't wanna put these words in my mouth that I knew or what, what, what, but, uh, that's, that's why I was saying that.
1094	HK	
1095	HK	Even you Darren you could, if you were to connect the dots, you would still reach the conclusion to where is Clement in all this.
1096	HK	
1097	HK	Okay. So, uh, I can't point that he is connected in all this. Okay. But I, I wish she also, I wish she also talked to Joe, because Joe is the one who confide to be like, you know what?
1098	HK	
1099	HK	Clement is aware. Okay. How would you conclude? Because all of you are grounded. All of you detained. There's one person who is not detained. There's moving up and down. He's laughing with the officers. He's laughing with Wouter, so, okay.
1100	HK	
1101	HK	Honestly, I can't say he's involved with all this because I was, I, I was.
1102	DR	Well, he was the only one wasn't handcuffed and he was left to freely move around and as you said, he was speaking with Wouter and Ragy Like they were friends.
1103	HK	Yeah.
1104	DR	And there was no conversation about, so yeah. I mean, the conversation had obviously been had prior to, I was just curious if, if, if.
1105	HK	I thought for us that maybe,
1106	DR	But Clement told you though, Clement said that he'd come to an arrangement though, didn't he?
1107	HK	Sorry?
1108	DR	Clement told you that he'd come to an arrangement. He didn't. He didn't, he wasn't keeping that secret. He didn't, he wasn't embarrassed by it.
1109	HK	Uh, he told me, uh, that one, he told me that, uh, there be that, uh, that he, that's why he's still there. Okay.
1110	DR	Mm-hmm.
1111	HK	That's why he's still there working, because it's not that he, he was thrown out on the house too, because he never set foot outside of the house. Ever since those things happened.
1112	DR	Mm-hmm.
1113	HK	It didn't go out. He's still there. All, all he did was just change the furniture and put the new one.
1114	DR	Mm-hmm.
1115	HK	So, he told me that there many companies I given that he still continues work with them.
1116	HK	
1117	HK	So, the only thing that I can point is that he knew the arrest was but. Uh, anyone can conclude in his or her own way that, uh, uh, this what happened. 'cause someone can even conclude that I think he knew that this what's gonna do happen was gonna go down.
1118	HK	
1119	HK	But I can't, I can't say that he's involved in all this, but what I can confirm to you is that he told me that he's, there's better than agreement with the order that he still continue working there.
1120	DR	Yeah. I just didn't know if you knew how far in advance. 'cause I know he knew about the arrest, but I don't know how many days ahead and I know he was working for Wouter, but I don't know how many weeks that was for. I was just don't know how long kind of they took him into their confidence. But he did. Yeah. I mean Right. He definitely knew about the estimates, why he kept the card from you. Um, but yeah, he,
1121	HK	Uh, I came to know about the whole arrangement of him continue working for them. Uh, during the day of arrest.
1122	DR	Mm-hmm.

1123	HK	He told me that, uh, we made an agreement, uh, not on, not on that very day of arrest.
1124	DR	Mm-hmm.
1125	HK	You think the, the agreement was made maybe some few days before I don't know how long before, is it a week Is it a month or work before, but the arrangement was made before the arrest that, uh, you continue working for them, so.
1126	DR	Mm-hmm.
1127	HK	Uh, because the reason why I'm saying the arrangement was made before is because during all this time, he told me before the meeting, because the meeting which was happening there.
1128	DR	Mm-hmm.
1129	HK	Clement also was part of it. So, he told me,
1130	DR	Oh, he was in the meeting with, uh, Ragy and the four others and Wouter?
1131	HK	Yes. Yes.
1132	DR	Okay. Yeah.
1133	HK	So, he told me this before the meeting, so that's why I'm.
1134	HK	
1135	HK	The arrangement bit that's gonna continue working. I'm, I'm sure maybe had a call with the new owner of the house that, uh, uh, I'm sure Ragy was, someone else had to give the details of him so that he can continue talking to the owners in the state of the house.
1136	DR	Say that again, sorry.
1137	HK	So, I, I'm saying the owners, the new owners of the house.
1138	DR	Mm-hmm.
1139	HK	Were given Clements numbers, so that maybe the, it's just my assumption.
1140	DR	Mm-hmm.
1141	HK	That maybe the, the, the, they talk about the house, the house, the, the condition of the house itself. So, I suppose, I believe that's when they made it, they came to an agreement that, uh, you continue being the caretaker of the house.
1142	DR	But this was before the arrest though?
1143	HK	Yes. That was before I, I'm saying it was before the arrest because he told me these words that, uh,
1144	HK	
1145	HK	And he had been offered a job on the day of arrest before the meeting that they had. If he told me about these words after the meeting, I would say maybe he'd just been told that they.
1146	DR	Oh, I see what you mean.
1147		So, he told you as I was being arrested and spoke about it as if it had been agreed sometime earlier. So, it was before, yeah, it was before the arrest. So yeah.
1148	HK	Before the, before the arrest. He, uh, I mean, during the arrest, before the meeting is when he confirmed me that, uh, there was an agreement that the date, so this guy was agreed before the arrest?
1149	DR	Yeah. So, they included him in the whole situation. And the whole plan was, because the, the thing is, it's like it's gonna, there's not gonna be any piece of paper that like, like from one of them to the police to say, now he can go and arrest Darren.
1150		But like, it's clear everything points to. Uh, Ragy.
1151		Can never remember the new owner's name. Raj is the guy. Um, what's the girl, what's the woman's name? Do you remember her name?
1152	HK	Who?
1153	DR	The, the new owner? The wife?
1154	HK	Uh, no, uh, nun. I've been speaking while, I forgot her name. Names. I used to remember the, but I forgot their names.
1155	DR	I've got it here some. Um, his is Raj. I think.
1156	HK	Raj.

1157	DR	I think he's called Raj. He's quiet, he's got like a bit of a, he's older than her. Um, she's quite pretty well, she's pretty, he's very pretty. Um, but younger than him. Um, he's.
1158	HK	Yeah, the wife is younger than him. The wife is young. Yeah, of course. She's pretty, she's pretty.
1159	DR	Um, but I can't remember her name. Uh, yeah. Name.
1160	HK	I forgot this guy's name.
1161	DR	Huh?
1162	HK	I forgot this guy's name.
1163	DR	No, I can't remember now. Um, I did write it down somewhere. No, it doesn't matter. It's not that important. Um, what was I gonna say?
1164		So what interests me is how quick, so Ra Raggi turns up literally minutes after I'm arrested, and then the others come 15 minutes later, 15 minutes later, 15 minutes later.
1165		So, they were all, they all knew that they were coming for a meeting that day, long before. It was not like they suddenly reacted to me being arrested, that that was all planned and in the pipeline.
1166	HK	Yeah. From what I noticed there was meeting signed up, the lady that they again, sit down after everything else.
1167	DR	S Say that again. You gone quiet. Sorry.
1168	HK	I, I'm saying, my assumption is they had already, they, they had a, they had arranged for a meeting after everything and, uh, uh, and, and uh, happened, uh, because we looked at how this guy came.
1169	DR	Sorry.
1170	HK	Somebody can tell that, uh, they planned the meeting after everything.
1171	DR	Yeah, So they planned the meeting before the arrest. 'cause they knew the arrest was gonna happen is what I mean.
1172	HK	I suppose so. I suppose so.
1173	DR	And was it the, was it this meeting where er said he's gone for good this time? Uh, when was it that he said that?
1174	HK	What?
1175	DR	When Wouter said, you said Wouter said something along the line. I can't remember. He said he's gone for good this time. He is not coming back. He's never getting out.
1176	HK	
1177	HK	The very same day when he was escorting us, when, when he picked us from Leirmans, when we were going, he was on the phone to, to this other lady.
1178	HK	
1179	HK	I know she was the owner of Li of Leirmans because he was asking, he was asking, I told you need anyone to continue?
1180	HK	
1181	HK	Working at his, the house that this guy talking about me, that I'm, I'm around, I'm available.
1182	DR	Yeah. So, in the same conversation about the owner should hire you, that's when he was saying to her that I'm gone for good this time. They've, they're not coming out.
1183	HK	Yes.
1184	DR	Um, and you didn't, I'm trying to try to think what it was there, something else.
1185	HK	Hmm.
1186	DR	So, in the meeting it was Wouter Ragy, this lady who we think is his assistant. Two other men, both Indian and Clement?
1187	HK	Yes.
1188	DR	Okay. Um, and did Raggy. did Raggy, and did Ragy ever come back after that day? Did you ever see him come back to the property?
1189	HK	No, I never, no, I never, I never saw him again.
1190	DR	Um,

1191	HK	I never saw him again.
1192	DR	And you've never seen Inga the owner?
1193	HK	Sorry.
1194	DR	Have you ever seen; you've never seen the owner of Leirmans?
1195	HK	Have I ever seen, ever seen the.
1196	DR	The owner of Leirmans, the Keith, or Inga, the owners.
1197	HK	Sorry. Darren comes again.
1198	DR	Have you ever seen the owners of Leirmans?
1199	HK	No. The, the owners of Leirmans?
1200	DR	Mm-hmm.
1201	HK	No, actually, I've never seen the owner of Leirmans.
1202	DR	Mm-hmm. Yeah. Okay. Uh, I think that's it. Can you think of anything else that's important or relevant or, oh, you said that Clement had been stealing my stuff even before the arrest, like clothes and bits and bobs.
1203	HK	Uh.
1204	DR	Did he, he did, did it and he sold them, or he would send them back to Malawi or he would just keep them in his room because I looked, loads of stuff went missing even before I was arrested.
1205		
1206		And what they've given me back is like a fraction of what is mine. I just did, I assumed he's maybe, I don't know, maybe he's got some very nice boots now.
1207		
1208		Um, but did when the stuff that, all the new stuff in his room, they bought that, or it was stuff that was taken from the house?
1209	HK	The stuff, which was on his, on, on, on his room.
1210	DR	Mm-hmm. You said that they remodelled his room? That was part of the agreement. You said they remodelled his room?
1211	HK	Yeah. They, they, he told me that they had agreed to, to renovate his room because by then his bathroom was closed.
1212	DR	Mm-hmm.
1213	HK	They said they're gonna renovate it. And, um, all the, he asked, he wanted more space for, for the wardrobe, they're gonna buy another state of wardrobe.
1214	DR	Okay.
1215	HK	And instead of tv? DSTV tv.
1216	DR	Mm-hmm.
1217	HK	So, we had to throw away, it took all the furniture, which was in there out.
1218	DR	And, and, and Mercy kept some with mercy, but kept some with mercy. Where, at the, at the camps Bay house? 'cause she.
1219	HK	uh, no, no, no. Uh, in Hout Bay, Mercy.
1220	DR	Oh. Where she lives at her home?
1221	HK	Uh, at her home.
1222	DR	Uh, I wonder if you put anything else there. I wouldn't be surprised.
1223	HK	That's where she took the couch to.
1224	DR	Which couch was it? One, the ones that I bought or his,
1225	HK	The one which was one in his room.
1226	DR	I don't remember. Um, okay. You don't remember the exact words that Wouter said to Inga like in their conversation when he was talking about me?
1227	HK	No. All I remember is him saying that, uh, now Darren's gone for good, now we've got him.
1228	DR	Mm-hmm.

1229	HK	Now we have him. Um, and he, he was surprised to, to be denied a warrant at one of the magistrates in, I don't know whether the Hout Bay or somewhere else.
1230	DR	That's the one that he said that I must, the, the reason he declined the warrant was because I must be paying magistrates.
1231	HK	Yes. He said, I think he might, he might have one of the magistrates in his pocket.
1232	DR	Mm-hmm. But and he said, you said, he said I was never something, like I was never, he's never coming out or he is never coming back 'cause he never coming back to the house.
1233	HK	Uh, like, I don't know what you meant by never coming back. Is it in the house or maybe out of jail? I don't know.
1234	DR	Mm. Okay. Yeah. Um, I think that's it. I can't, is there anything else that we've missed? Because anything else that we went through yesterday that.
1235	HK	No. Um, can't, no. Thank you Darren.
1236		All I, all I have to say is, as I said this other, that uh, I don't if, if there need be, I would really love to maybe to help you, uh, in everything.
1237		About this, but the only thing that, as I told you is I don't wanna be, uh, in court, as I said, was I just don't, I just don't trust the, the process, the S.A thing I've heard people being shot, the witness being shot and all that. So
1238	DR	You mean SAPS the police.
1239	HK	I've got a lot of responsibility back home. I don't wanna be in trouble with anyone else, but I have, The information that I've given you will really help you to figure out what, uh, what happens.
1240		I was eager to tell you this because I just felt the need of telling you the whole thing because I had connected my dots in my own, in my, my own investigation.
1241		To be honest. I found out that someone, things never, um, went in an honest, uh, manner.
1242	DR	Mm-hmm.
1243	HK	So, uh, I, I hoped that maybe the need inform that you'll get for me, maybe to, will help you now that you are struggling to get back your property, all that stuff today and all that. Uh, I want to, I, really wish to see you coming back on your feet and maybe continue doing your business. Probably this time around we may be honest more Honest people.
1244	DR	Yeah. Well, it couldn't be less on this. I mean, that was the, because I mean, if you hadn't have told me what happened at Lehman's, I wouldn't have known because it would be impossible.
1245	DR	
1246	DR	How would I know?
1247	DR	
1248	DR	I think that what they definitely thought I was in there forever, and therefore I would never found out that they separately went, I don't even think that they, they don't know now that I know what happened.
1249	DR	
1250	DR	Um, they just, well, there's no reason why I would. Um, but it's funny that of everything you say, the two things that stick in my mind most is one that you thought Wouter was the chief of the police and the chief of the operation, which says a lot, 'cause he's a private individual.
1251	DR	
1252	DR	But also, that you'd concluded that it was the owners of Lehman's and Fishermen's that had got together with Wouter i.e. the three.
1253	DR	
1254	DR	Um, because you'd put those, when you say join the dots, um, the fact that you've come to that conclusion on your own, I think says a lot because that's exactly what happened.
1255	HK	Yeah, I think those ways because later if, you know, it's difficult to just point out to someone that, uh, you did this and that because later on you'll be asked to prove.
1256	DR	Mm-hmm.

1257	HK	So, it's like you're dirtying someone's image. But that's why I'm saying you are old enough to connect the dots and see clear point that you know what this guy did, you know from what I'm seeing this guy did is but from the point that I've given you, but easily connect to what's really down.
1258	DR	Say that last bit again. Sorry it went quiet. The inverters on full power here, so I can't hear a bloody thing. Lemme just turn the inverter down.
1259	HK	Yeah. I was saying, uh, from what happened, from what I've just explained, you can easily connect the dots.
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1261		You can easily reach the conclusion and this what happened.
1262	DR	Yeah. Yeah, well I think it's, it's obviously there's connections with the police, but there's, I mean, Keith, who's the, Keith and Inger, the owners of Leirmans, were obviously speaking to Ragy and the new owners, they, they concocted the whole thing amongst, amongst all of them.
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1264	HK	So, like, yeah, so you're right, three like Fishermens, Leirmans and Wouter. Um, but I don't know how, I dunno what he would've said to the Hawkes to get the SWAT team involved. I mean, that doesn't happen unless there's something very serious. Like he must have said there was guns or something.
1265	HK	
1266	HK	Yeah. Okay. Yeah. Well, if you think of anything else, let me know. Um, thank you very much.
1267	HK	
1268	HK	I'm gonna digest all this and get it off to the lawyers tomorrow.
1269	HK	Alright. Yeah. Thank you.
1270	DR	Cool.
1271	If DR	Okay. Yeah. Cool. Um, yeah, so I'll speak to you, uh, in the morning.
1272	HK	Okay, cool.
1273	DR	Brilliant. Thank you.
1274	DR	Speak later. Goodbye.
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1278	HK	Hello?
1279	DR	Hey. Hey, Marcus. How are you?
1280	HK	Uh, I'm good. I'm good. Uh, just sort of giving you a call because I want, I'm about to go to the bathroom.
1281	DR	Okay. Thank you for sharing. Um, yeah, yeah. No great.
1282	HK	Yeah, that's what, that's what, uh, that's what happened. I knew, you know, there two days after I joined, you were Clement, I remember telling me, he showed, he even showed me, uh, this, this dismissal letter that you wrote before.
1283	DR	He, he showed you what, sorry.
1284	HK	He showed me a, a dismissal letter that he had once wrote that. Um, uh, I even took a photo, but I, I think I del. I got lost, but I took a photo of it because he was saying in the letter he was saying, um, you suspect him of talking to someone privately investigators. So, I asked him a question like, is, but is it true? He said, ah, Of course, he, it's true, but I, I fought it hard that they believed me, that, uh, I don't talk to those guys. He mentioned that, uh, you were with, this another guy, I don't know who was very serious about the allegations, but he, he fought it hard. Then he forgive him, you see? So, I, I didn't, by then, I didn't know, Wouter.
1285	DR	Mm-hmm
1286	HK	Uh, but clearly the, the day of arrest is when I. *[break in recording silence]*

1287	HK	Is, I don't worry. So, like what do you mean? Don't worry. uh don't worry. You see these guys, uh, this guys, this guy is this guy the owner of the house, this one is the Indian guy who came on the red Ferrari is it a Bugga, I think a Ferrari he was in Gracia, I think you know him.
1288	DR	Oh, uh, Ragy. The Indian guy that owns the Fishermen?
1289	HK	Yes.
1290	DR	Yeah. He's got a lot of very expensive cars. But he came with,
1291	HK	Yeah. He's the owner.
1292	DR	You said he came with his wife for his mom or something?
1293	HK	Yes. Uh, this guys came, uh, the new owners, he came with his wife first, and then the day later, uh, with, uh, his mother-in-law and father-in-law. Um, I've just forgotten their names because I've been, I was there for about two to three weeks, taking... So yeah, I knew them because they used to talk and all that.
1294	DR	You mean the, the, the new owner, or Ragy? 'cause Ragy is the owner. But then I know he was talking about selling it to friends. But when you say he knew him,
1295	HK	Yes, he, he sold the house was sold to someone Ragy, this, this Indian small guy in a, with a fancy, fancy car. He, he, yeah, Clement told me that he's the owner. But again, he told me that the house is gonna go to some other people. So, the house now is, I believe in. Uh, in another Indian guy.
1296	DR	Yeah,
1297	HK	he sold the house to his fellow Indian guy. So, because they, they, they took out everything. They, they took, actually, remember they telling us that there, they bought the house, now they wanna try to renovate it. Uh, later on Clement told me that they also want to do the same business of hotel, some sort of, uh, so it, he talk much that, ah, this guy, they say they're gonna gimme trainings. Time. They're gonna take me to India, fly me to India to learn more about hospital and all that. So, they trying to put it to, uh, what even the statuses when these days is putting in WhatsApp status. He's, he's talking, they've changed the name to Llandudno Hotel. They're calling it, uh, they're calling what? They're calling it Llandudno Hotel. Something like that.
1298	DR	Llandudno Hotel? Mm
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1300	HK	But they took away most of your stuff. Most of the, not all the things, because one thing that I was. *[background noise or typing]* They would just say, uh, okay, let's take this, uh, we don't want this one. You can take this downstairs, but, uh, let's take this one some. So, some of the things they remain, some of the furniture are still there.
1301	DR	Mm-hmm.
1302	HK	Some of them, uh, they went down the garage. Um, some of them, they were broken. They were thrown outside, they, they had to take, um, uh, this vehicle removal guys to take it, to throw it away. Most. Of the things were broken, but most of your clothes were packed in plastics there that there, I don't know if they've taken them out.
1303	DR	Well, they gave me, they, they sent some boxes back that had a few clothes in, but not, they've not sent anything else. When you say broken, you mean the furniture or my personal stuff?
1304	HK	Um, no, not your personal stuff, but some of the furniture, I know with the removal and all that.
1305	DR	Mm-hmm.
1306	HK	Uh, because the furniture going up and down. Some of them were broken, like I remember some few chairs, uh, just small chairs.
1307	DR	Mm-hmm.
1308	HK	Uh, some tables, but there isn't much of the furniture, most of which is still there up in the, uh, in, in the rooms.
1309	DR	Yeah.
1310	HK	Most, most of it is still there. The ones that we were moving were from, maybe from the, uh, from lounges and. Some other living rooms, but most of the things are still there.

1311	DR	Yeah. Yeah. I thought they would keep it for the new hotel, but, um, what, I was confused, so, so Ragy, so Ragy is the Indian guy with the flash expensive cars. 'cause I know he was selling it to some friends in India. Um, and I know they were, they were gonna come over at Christmas so that they, they stayed at the house or Ragy stayed at the house.
1312	HK	No, not Ragy, but the, the new guys Oh, the new ones just barely, yeah. A few days after you, you, you being arrested? They came, the new guys, the new owner
1313	DR	Mm-hmm.
1314	HK	That's when Clement told me that this is the new owner of the houses.
1315	DR	Oh, I see.
1316	HK	So, he stayed there with his wife and his mother-in-law and his father-in-law.
1317	DR	Oh, okay.
1318	HK	Yeah. Yeah.
1319	DR	But they
1320	HK	His father and his wife were there.
1321	DR	Yeah. But they always told me that they didn't want to use the house for like, anything commercial, that they just wanted to stay in it. Um, but
1322	HK	I think this is, yeah, I think this is now coming to jealousy. Because I think they knew how much you getting from that. They were like, ah,
1323	DR	Mm-hmm.
1324	HK	I think, or maybe Clement he might have told him that maybe that Darren was making him a lot of money for this. So, we can also do the same. I don't know. But then they're doing the same business. They have now since flown they flew back to India.
1325	DR	Mm-hmm.
1326	HK	So, it's only Clement. I don't know if that, uh, but since it's operational, I think because I, I've seen statuses with some other new faces there, like Cause, I don't know if they, whether they're guest or maybe they're just relative to the owner of the house.
1327	DR	Ah, but that's on his WhatsApp or that's on something else.
1328	HK	On WhatsApp. I, most of the time I see his status on WhatsApp.
1329	DR	Oh, okay.
1330	HK	Yeah, because he called me. Some days uh few weeks ago. Like, you know, that Darren is out. I don't know because I was, I I was, I I did ask on that group that you, you had created about Luxe, I asked, uh, I've heard you out. Darren, are you out? I even texted you and text message to your WhatsApp, I think the other number with this one, but I still texted you? I was asking, I did out, so I, I was like, I don't, I don't know that he's out. Ah, he's out. Uh, if you need, let me, do you need, do you need a job? Like my friend, I still need job, but, uh, I'll just wait and I might talk to him. Maybe he can take you back. I like So you do talk to him? I was like, I haven't. I haven't spoken with him, but later on, I might give him a call like, ah, okay. Okay, fine.
1331	DR	Yeah. Yeah. He's being very crafty because he's got no intention of talking to me about getting you a job. He just wanted to find out whether we were talking to each other.
1332	HK	Yeah, that's what I noted later on that I think all he wanted to know is if I'm talking to you or not, because, but luckily enough I just told him that I know I haven't spoken to him. I don't even know that he's out and all that. So I think he was just trying to find out whether I do speak with you, because he knows that I, I did have your number.
1333	DR	Mm-hmm.
1334	HK	So he thought maybe his guy, maybe he's still working for him and all that.
1335	DR	Yeah, yeah, yeah. No, I mean, it's best not to tell him anything. I mean just say, you've never spoken to me
1336	HK	On, on the, the day before you got arrested. I was at, uh, at Lux. You remember he sent me to buy some other flowers and all that?
1337	DR	Oh, yeah, yeah.

1338	HK	When I was there, yeah. He called me like, I need, I need Darren's card. I need the card. Like, uh, okay. But tomorrow, Darren is also has also sent me to back to town to buy some other some other few more stuff like uh. No, just, just give me the card. You, you, you get it later. So in the morning, I went there, I was like, I need some bed sheets and pillowcases because Darren told me that, uh, they're coming. We have some guests who are coming to just view the house.
1339	DR	Mm-hmm.
1340	HK	So I did some. Pillowcases and a card, because later on I need to go in town. He is like, ah, Darren has the card, you see? So like, okay, if Darren has the card, let me go up so that I get the card because he's aware of my program. He's like, ah, no, don't disturb him because he's sleeping now. I was like, but I need the card. Ahh Don't worry. He, he's. I'm going to bring the card to something around 10 or 11. Don't worry, he let him rest. I was like, okay. But later on is when he told me that I knew that Darren is going to get arrested. So I didn't want you to, to, to get in the mix. I just want, because I knew that the guys were, uh, were coming. Because before the cops came, he told me that, uh, Wouter…
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1342	DR	Oh, oh, sorry. Uh, uh, Wouter and all that lot came before the arrest to like, make to look at the house or something.
1343	HK	Before your arrest. Uh, I'm told that some of the guys were already there just going up and not in the house, but, uh, I in the road going up and there just to check.
1344	DR	Mm-hmm.
1345	HK	Uh, just to check, I things, you know, I think they're afraid of those bodyguards and all that. So that's what he told me. Clement. But before, you know, down there, they found me cleaning me the who are you, ahh we are police open up. So I open, they, they was trying to arrest me and hold me by the belt I was like chill now, what do you want? You are under arrest, like for what? So they started explaining; where is, uh, Ollie they were looking for Ollie? Where is Darren? Like, I'm just a housekeeper here. Can you please chill down and tell me what is happening? Wonder like for what?
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1347	HK	Uh, they were like no, we we're not arresting, you just brought you for question. I was like, I'm fine. So I, I, I noticed something strange because all of us were like handcuffed. We were down. Like we, we were being, you know, tossed up and down, but Clement was just with those guys like chilling, laughing. Going up and down with the cops, I could see that it's not, you know, so I talked to um, Joe, I talked to Joe, the, the, those guys. I was like, I'm, I'm sensing something. Do you see what I'm seeing? So those guys too were like, yeah, Marcus, this guy I think is working with this guy. I was like, so now I, I started connecting the dots. Everybody has told me is when I realised that white guy? The Wouter guy. Oh, this is a guy. So he came around. I was like, I'm afraid you, he came to give me some pep talks, like, are you afraid? I like, yeah, because I've been arrested and all this. Ah I don't worry. This doesn't concern you. You guys gonna be okay. He's just between them and Darren, you know? So why you not bothered because they arrested you? He was like, I'm a big guy, you know, don't worry. I'm a big, I'm there. I already knew about all this and all that. I was like, ah, okay. So I was like, okay. Are you gonna be okay? Anyway, I'm, I'm going be, so I was like, what about your job now that, Darren is going? So, uh, this guy's offered me just chill just see what's gonna happen. This guy's offered me job. So I think that, uh, they had first met him to give, to give, uh, to give them more information about you in exchange for, you know, a job and everything else you see.
1348	DR	Yeah, 'cause, well, somebody told me that, I mean, a long time before that he was talking to uh Wouter. But the thing, um, that's when, um, uh, Mario went to, to sack him. Um, and I stupidly, I stupidly felt guilty and thought, because in my head there was nothing useful that Clement could tell them because firstly, nothing was going on that was wrong. I mean, we never had a single double booking in the entire time I, I was in that property, so I thought, what's Clement gonna tell them apart from the color of my underwear or, you know, my, like, my movements? But I never left the place anyway 'cause I was always too busy working on it. So what was, I don't really understand what it was that he could tell me that was useful.

1349	HK	I don't even know either, because when we were going, even Wouter took us from, uh, Lax uh, get you things, you, you have to pack and go like, okay. Then as I told you, he took us a video. You guys, I want to confirm with the camera, that you're not under duress. You're not forcing you. So we like, so we also like I know. Let's just get you like, oh fine. Yes, we confirm that you are, we are not forcing us. So I'm gonna offer you a ride. Then he dropped us up by the gate, but in the way he was talking to a lady at Lax he goes, okay, I've seen you, we've done a good job at Lax. The grass is looking nice, the flowers. Like, ah, yeah, I've tried. So, uh, I'm gonna try. Uh, my best to talk to the owner, uh, for the time being. Maybe you can still continue working on the garden and all that.
1350	DR	Mm-hmm.
1351	HK	So he, he asked for my number. I gave him, he called for the owner who he talked to, the owner of the house, the lady, pick up, the guy with Marcus, the one who was talking, taking care of the, of the house. If at all you need him, please give me a call. Like, okay. Then they started, they continued talking that the guy's going forever, you know, so when they started, um, he was debriefing him, ah, about everything that was happening, you know, this, what happened. So, so they were like laughing like, this guy's going for good and all that. Ah, okay, cool. But, um, then he was so happy, you know, seeing you going. I think he's also, I'm saying that he's somehow a person for vendetta because, uh, he, he seems not have been sleeping with, at his house because of you, he was so eager to get you locked up because I asked him, like, Sir, at leaast, we, may I know, uh, what is happening. I've just been seeing all this, but I don't know what really happens. You know that guy, uh, he's a mafia. He's been double-booking and stealing money from people. What? Like, okay, okay, fine.
1352	DR	He, said he said I was the mafia?
1353	HK	Yes, he mentioned that word. He's a mafia. Um, he even also mentioned this other word. I don't know, uh, apart from scum, he also mentioned another name, but he mentioned that he is mafia know that guy is a mafia. Like, okay.
1354	DR	[chuckle] Wow. Okay. That's quite bizarre.
1355	HK	Yeah. So,
1356	DR	No, but yeah. Yeah, you're right. It's, for him, it's, I mean, that's his job, but it's become personal. I like literally, I think he's done nothing else all year, but, like work on trying to put me in prison. He's like, he's obsessed.
1357	HK	So what really happens with these private investigator? So he was hired by the police or maybe the owners of the properties?
1358	DR	No, no. He was hired by the owners of the property, uh, the owners of, um, Lierman's.
1359	HK	Oh, okay.
1360	DR	Last year, back in May. And, um, I sent you the link for the, when he did…
1361	HK	Yeah, I've watched the videos. I watched the first photos here.
1362	DR	Yeah, that was back in July and he's been trying ever since. But because legally, the, the, they couldn't get me out. That's why they've been doing all the arrests because that way they removed me. Um, because when I went to get bail the, the first time, um, the wife, said that I stole stuff from the property, but the stuff that she was talking about, I put in storage and they were even on the lease to go in, so she knew it wasn't stolen. So it was completely made up. And then when I got to court, they'd made out that the value of the stuff that's stolen was almost a million rand, which means it makes the offense much more serious, which means getting out is much harder. So the whole thing was designed not just to put me in prison, but that I would stay there for a very long time or forever. So what you're saying makes sense because if he said to her, oh, this time he's gone for good, it means that they thought that they were gonna basically bury me in prison, I guess.
1363	HK	Yeah, after seeing that two months, three months is going I really thought that maybe you are really gone for good. So Darren have really taken Darren for good. I never knew that maybe you come back, you know?

1364	DR	Well, it was. It was, it was difficult. Because they had, they rigged the whole bail thing. They'd made sure. 'cause also the, the, the arrest that I was talking about, the first time they paid because all the police officers are being paid by them. They paid the police to not close that file. So when I went to get bail and they go, oh, he has previous matters, like to make out, like I've got loads of like history and stuff like that. Um, and loads of things like that that they made out. And also because they stole my passport so I couldn't extend my visa. They were trying to get me for being an illegal immigrant. So that way you're not gonna get bail because they think you're gonna run away. I mean, the whole thing was pre-planned months in advance.
1365	HK	Yeah, I remember. I remember, I remember in, um, I remember Wouter, talking about. Um, he like, no, you know what we had to go to, uh, he said he had to go somewhere to get the, the bail because Darren has paid all the magistrate in Hout, Hout Bay, In whatever. He paid all the guys who had to go somewhere else. This guy is mafia. I was like ah okay.
1366	DR	Who did I, who did? Who did I pay? Who, who's he saying I paid? like the police or something?
1367	HK	He said, you pai, yes. He said you had paid the, the magistrate and some of the police guys, they're under your pay. So you, he have to go somewhere to get the what, uh, warrant of arrest. Uh, because one of the magistrates was saying no, because. They had saw it was stupid so they had to go somewhere else to get the what. The, the, the warrant of arrest.
1368	DR	Oh, sorry. So the magistrate, when the first magistrate, they went to get the arrest warrant and said, no, there's no case. And then they took it to a different one? Yes, yes. They, they, they went, they went somewhere, I think in, in Hout Bay?
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1370	HK	Give you this warrant. So they had to go somewhere. So they had suspected maybe those guys are under your pay.
1371	DR	Oh, so, so he said, because the magistrate, the first magistrate wouldn't give him the arrest warrant that I was paying people off or something. But how would I pay, how would I know who they're gonna take the arrest? Who, how would I know who are they gonna go to? Pay what?
1372	HK	You see
1373	DR	Pay all the magistrates in Cape Town on the off chance that somebody's gonna take an arrest warrant.
1374	HK	I, I don't know, I don't know.
1375	DR	But that makes sense. Then. So they went to Wynberg to get the arrest warrant because, um, um, but it, but the, the bizarre thing is the police in Hout Bay are the ones he's paying. So maybe they, maybe that they, because of last time they said, look, we're not gonna do this again. You know, we did it for you last time and now we're gonna get in trouble. So you have to go somewhere else.
1376	HK	Yeah. Go somewhere else. Maybe. Maybe.
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1378	DR	Because, Belleville commercial crime or something. It was a different one to last time, but he was clearly being paid by them. Um, 'cause he was the one that was walking around with me.
1379	HK	I was so worried that I was like surprised to see all those vehicles and police, because I thought maybe just gonna be maybe some few police or maybe one vehicle when I was, when I reached there. SI saw a line, a line full of people even wondering, is there a president? This has the president come this side or what? Because I was even fighting that. Oh, come on. What? What has Darren done to deserve all this guys?
1380	DR	Yeah. Yeah. That I. was. I heard this bang and I looked downstairs from where my bedroom, you know where my bedroom is In the top floor?
1381	HK	Yeah. Yeah, yeah.
1382	DR	And I could see these huge police cars and I knew, I knew what they were doing, and so I just sat down and had a cigarette and waited. But I could hear them banging all the way up where they were blowing doors in or whatever they were doing. And then eventually somebody came from,
1383		*[Silence]*
1384		[Transcript Ends 00:18:00]

1385		HOUSEKEEPING TRANSCRIPT 3
1386		[Transcript starts 00:02]
1387		[Phone ringing]
1388	DR	And then from the, the side with the lift with a gun. Um, but, but there's no way, I mean, the police officers were definitely corrupt and being paid, but the swat, swat team, I think somebody like Wouter must have said, oh, there's guns. Be careful. So that, that way there would be a big arrest. Um,
1389	HK	Oh.
1390	DR	Because also like the fact that they were, I mean, they took my computers and uh, phones and all the paperwork. So they had everything from the office, but they were still going around the house, opening every drawer and every door. So they were clearly looking for something. And I said to the guy, I said, you're arresting me for fraud. So why are there police here with guns? And also, what are you looking for?
1391		Because you're clearly looking for something very specific. And I think because Wouter, they, they all. There. There's this myth that somewhere in the house there's a suitcase with diamonds and cash. I think they were looking for that. They were looking for that, but I think they must've lied. I mean, you don't have a SWAT team arresting somebody for fraud. That just doesn't happen.
1392	HK	Fraud. Yeah, definitely. Yeah. Yeah. That was way too much for a fraud case. I saw it. That was way too much for a fraud case.
1393	DR	Mm-hmm. But also the, the, I mean the Hawks were there, but I don't think the Hawks were like corrupt involved because they were the ones that were like, no, no, you can't. 'cause they saw when that, you know, the, the way they parked that car way out the front. So I had to walk around so that the cameras could get like a good, good shot and the man from the Hawks said, no, no, no, no. Bring the car into the garage. This is not fair. You can't do this to somebody. And that's when the policeman said, no, no, no, no. And then he took me. And then as he was taking me around the outside of the car rather than the near bit, that's when the guy from the Hawke said, no, no, no. Take him to the short, the short route to the car. And then he said, put a jacket over his head. And, uh, clearly the investigating officer had been told by Wouter, no, no, park the car way in front so that you can make sure that you parade him around the outside and then that way the cameras get a good shot.
1394	HK	Yeah. those guys. Yeah, they really wanted to make a show out of it.
1395	DR	Mm-hmm. But you said that, um, you thought, um, you said Wouter said something about the cameras, or he told the cameras before it was coming down.
1396	HK	Yes. Yes. When, when, when you, you were coming down the elevator dumpling down.
1397	DR	Mm-hmm.
1398	HK	He, um, he told the, you know, there was this camera guy outside, he was in a mask like,
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1400	DR	Confused, but, so they were clearly told to arrest Ollie because they were asking you thinking you Ollie, but what, what, what is it Ollie's supposed to have done?
1401	HK	Sorry,
1402	DR	What is it? Ollie's supposed to have done that they would want to arrest him?
1403	HK	I don't know. But they were clearly looking for you and Ollie, Ollie was also would've been part of the person getting arrested.
1404	DR	Mm. But then that shows it's got nothing to do with fraud because Ollie never, he didn't do bookings. He never did bookings. But the reason I think they wanted to get Ollie was because he was a witness to, you know that video that I sent you with all the Nigerians and stuff?
1405	HK	The video that…that was clearly a scene… Yes, Yes.
1406	DR	Yeah, because he was a witness to that and they were trying to mop up all the people that saw that…
1407	HK	Wouter came with those guys right? [audio unclear]
1408	DR	Sorry, say that again?

1409	HK	Wouter came with those guys, the bouncers, huh?
1410	DR	Oh. When, oh, sorry.
1411	HK	I mean in your video.
1412	DR	Oh, yeah, yeah, yeah.
1413	HK	The Video,
1414	DR	Yeah. He tried to break into the house to do and he threw everybody out. Um, Ollie was there. Um, I think Clement was there. They, they literally beat up the housekeepers, um, and then threw them out.
1415		And then that's when we went to court to get the property back. Um, um, but Ollie, shh wow, I mean, Ollie, that's what I'm saying. It can't be anything to do with fraud or the business because Ollie never did anything with the business. He lived at Fisherman's and not because he was homeless and I let him.
1416	HK	He was so pissed off, he was so pissed off in there, you know, when I saw the videos, like Ollie he like stood, stood to the, to his ground, that he didn't take any bullies from him.
1417	DR	Mm,
1418	HK	Because I see. He was so frustrated in the first place in how Ollie responded to all this. So I think that there is some kind of, some kind of like revenge. Like let's show this boy who we are and all that.
1419	DR	Oh like a like, like a vendetta, like, like revenge or something?
1420	HK	Yeah, yeah, yeah. Because Ollie they were looking for him, if he was there he would've been taken together with you.
1421	DR	Iyo, but then what were they gonna charge him with? Or were they gonna make up that He did? I mean, usually, yeah. iyo. 'cause they know he was nothing to do with running the business. He was just, well, I mean, mostly, you know, sometimes he'd checked the guest in, but I, I let him live at Fishermans 'cause he was homeless back in December last year. No, I'm sorry, January last year. So you're right. It's just because it's because he wants to teach Ollie a lesson for standing up to him.
1422	HK	Yeah. Yeah, definitely. Definitely.
1423	DR	Yeah. These people are crazy.
1424	HK	So what's your plan now? Are you gonna open some other few guest houses now? Or?
1425	DR	Yeah. Well I need to get my furniture back from that one.
1426	HK	Oh.
1427	DR	And, um, then, then start all over again. Um, but we have to, I have to speak to the lawyers as well because there's no way, there's no way, I'm gonna let them get away with what they've done. They've managed to steal everything and they've, they've put all this stuff on the internet, how I'm scamming people and stuff like that, so that it looks like what they're doing is genuine.
1428	HK	Yeah, they made a very bad picture for you in the internet. In internet.
1429	DR	But also they lied at court because when he did the eviction thing when I was in prison, you know, when we went in in November and it was in that terrible, terrible state and we spent all that time and money and I stayed there, what, seven, 10 days and we made it look nice again. But they made out that we had left it in the condition we found it in in November. And like, but at the same time he's saying to you, oh, you've done a fantastic job. The garden's looking great again. The house is looking great again. But in the court papers, they told the judge that we had trashed the property and that they had had to spend the money making it look nice, when in fact they trashed the property and we spent the money making it look nice. Yeah
1430	HK	Because I've seen the, the previous picture of Lux and the, the, the latest one.
1431	DR	Mm-hmm.
1432	HK	And clearly you can see really big significance. They also didn't looked nice after you took it.

1433	DR	Yeah. Yeah, yeah, yeah. I mean the, the work we did at the beginning was, was major work. It looked awful, but like when we went, when you were the housekeeper there, that was after they'd had it for a few months, and it looked awful. and then we spent ages trying to bring it back to life. And then they turned around and told the judge that, that the damage was done by us and not them, and that they had spent the money making it look nice.
1434	HK	Okay
1435	DR	Mm, Anyway. Alright. Okay.
1436	HK	Alright. Thank you, Darren.
1437	DR	Yeah, thank you. Yeah, thank you for being honest. It's helpful. Thank you.
1438	HK	Yeah. I'm so sad to what Clement did, because we even where we, where we we where I was staying when I told the guys you can't do this, you don't do this to someone who. He's basically, he's feeding you, he's building a house for you because all that money that was taking from you, he is building a house. He was building a house back home. And even the he's, he's now his recent salary. He's complaining because he's too small as compared to what you are getting, and people like this is what he wanted because there is someone who is paying you good and he would also steal from him, who never questioned you about everything. But you, you gave him away to the, like you, you, you threw him under the bus and now you are complaining. So, so India's a you can't trust Indians.
1439	DR	Yeah. Well that's what I thought. I mean, I, I, like I said to you other day, I increased his salary, I think about two weeks before the arrest. Bizarrely, the reason I increased it was purely because he'd been around for the, since the start and for his loyalty 'cause he'd been, uh, at that time I thought he'd been, you know, like a good friend or a good employee and I've increased his salary. I think he was only eight and a half, although he got lots of extras and he went up to, I think put up to 12 or 15. So I don't imagine Ragy is paying him anything like, like, like that. So, but Ragy is a typical, he's a, he's a con artist. He'll tell Clement whatever it is he thinks Clement needs to hear to get him on side. And then the minute,
1440	HK	Yeah,
1441	DR	He's got what he wants, then he'll screw Clement over.
1442	HK	They didn't talk a lot of things to him because I mean, like I look at the phone as like, is this your phone? Ya Darren bought it for me. He's like, oh wow. I think Darren is really taking good care of it because no one could buy a phone for you, like an iPhone for you. Okay, that's nice. But all. At the end and seeing someone doing all that, even now, even me, I, I'm so pissed off. That's why I had to tell, because it was, it was so heavy for me. Like, no one day when even when Darren is in, is in UK, I'm going to call him medical. I text him to just so that he should know, like, this is what happened to someone, uh, from someone who, who he trusted so much because I was really very much pissed off, you know?
1443	DR	Hmm.
1444	HK	Very much pissed off.
1445	DR	Well please. But like you said, because of Clement's actions, it meant everybody else lost their job. Um, I mean, it, it, all of that work that we did on the properties was for nothing. Well, it wasn't for nothing. It benefited the landlords in the end. Um, but I mean, like you said, I mean, I, I lent Clement so much money to help him build the house, and I never asked for a cent back. I was supposed to deduct every month from his wages. I never, in the six, seven months since I lent in the money, I never took it back. He would ask for 5,000 and then another 5,000 and whatever, whatever. And like he never bought any food. I bought all the food, and I would cook for him most of the time. If I was cooking for myself, then I would make for everybody. So, and I, he's never gonna get that from Ragy. Ragy. Ragy will look at Clement like a, like a lower-class citizen, like beneath him. Um, because that's what Ragy is like. Whereas when in, in the house before the arrest Clement and everybody, we all, we all worked together. We were, I, you know, it was, but, but Ragy, Ragy wouldn't care. [ruffling, scratchy sound] And if, if Clement, Clement ever becomes [scratchy sound] this, he gets hit.

1446	HK	Oh my God. Okay. Okay. Alright. I wish you the best. Just hit me up when you get settled and if, if there's anything on the ground.
1447	DR	No, I will do for sure. A hundred percent.
1448	HK	Yeah. Yeah.
1449	DR	Okay, cool. If you think of anything else, let me know as well because it's, it's helpful. Thank you.
1450	HK	Alright. Alright.
1451	DR	Okay. Alright. I'll speak to you later. Take care.
1452	HK	Alright.
1453	DR	Thank you.
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1456	HOUSEKEEPING TRANSCRIPT 3	
1457		[Transcript Begins 00:00:01]
1458	HK	And there was also someone using a smartphone and this guy who, uh, the one with a Mustache, the police officer.
1459	DR	Mm.
1460	HK	He also had his phone raised up. So, like he, he's coming, he's coming, he's coming. Come take photos, take a video. You take a video, you take photos. You see, that's when I knew that Darren is coming down.
1461		Uh, Clement, was by our side. Then, then he ran away to the other stairs.
1462	DR	Uh.
1463	HK	I think he didn't want you to see, to see him. Remember you, remember you telling, uh, I remember you telling, uh, Joe that, Joe, can you watch over the house tonight?
1464	DR	Oh, yes. I was leaving. I said yeah. I said to Joe. I said, I said they, I said they're trying to take the house, so can you look after it?
1465	HK	Yes. That Clement was just, uh, you just missed him. You, you run, run away behind the what, behind those? Uh, in the garage as we go to the stairs.
1466	DR	Oh.
1467	HK	All the, all that time we were going up and down taking statement. They took my photos, statements, my passport. They took some statements. They, then, Clement was just moving free to work it up and down. Even drinking coke, drinking water. What, while all of us? Were down. They took, you know, they had to take, uh, I was just lucky because my passport was okay then, but they had to take away some guys, uh, some guy's passport and phone. That lady who was cleaning there,
1468	DR	Mm
1469	HK	By that time they took away a small phone. Up to now they haven't, they haven't given them back. And maybe, maybe, maybe this time around that you are out, maybe they're gonna give her back. But, uh, as of last month, she was complaining that she didn't get, uh, she didn't back get back her phone?
1470	DR	No. Well, they, they took my stuff and they still haven't given it back because they're still hoping to do, they, they're hoping to do it a third time because I got out. So, they're gonna try again. That's why they're trying to keep everything. But I saw, um.
1471	HK	They, did they give you back the phone?
1472	DR	No, no, no, no. They've still got it. They've still got my
1473	HK	They, have it?
1474	DR	Yeah. Yeah. And my computers.
1475	HK	Oh, okay.
1476	DR	Um, but they, when I was leaving, I saw Wouter give the house keys for Luxe to the, um, investigating officer. Um mm-hmm. But, um, did you say, so they arrested you at Lux? Not at Fisherman's?
1477	HK	No. They, they arrested me at Luxe. I was at Luxe by then.

1478	DR	Hmm.
1479	HK	They arrested me at Luxe, they locked the doors. They took all the, the Wouter, took the Wouter, took the keys. The one who also opened for me when I came back for my clothes.
1480	DR	So, but that, that was bef, Oh, so the police arrested you before they came to the, my house.
1481	HK	No, no, no. They're already, they, they were already at your house? I think so if from that, from, from Fishermans, they had to go back to LAX to fetch for me or, and, and what Ollie, and the already, or they just divided themselves when they were going up there some went down, uh, Lux, but I'm sure all came to Fishermans and they came back to [inaudible] they came back looking for Ollie, Uh, they, fortunately…