



Alex Fish retired in 2006 with an extraordinary record of managing public order events behind him. Since 1988 he has held senior command positions at many scenes of public disorder including the Notting Hill riots, Poll Tax riots, dozens of events at Wembley Stadium including those where serious disorder occurred, was seriously injured during the Tottenham riots where Keith Blakelock lost his life, and many marches and ceremonial events.

Alex has attended many bomb incidents over the years both detonated and defused and was silver commander for several days after the 7/7 terrorist attack in London. He was also in charge outside the Libyan Embassy when WPC Yvonne Fletcher was shot. Alex has also provided the firearm authorities for many operations, had involvement with Operation Kratos and the deployment of armed personnel to deal with suicide bombers

During the last 18 months of his service Alex acted as the designated Match Commander for all events at the new National Stadium at Wembley looking at the provision for anti-terrorist measures and completed a review of the London Resilience Team on behalf of ACPO. Since retiring he has taken up employment as the Security Consultant for the new Wembley Stadium.

Apart from his public order skills Alex has extensive Borough Commander and community policing experience which has seen him working with, and gaining the trust of, significant ethnic communities such as Sikhs and Muslims in Southall and Hindus in Harrow, playing a significant role in the development of the Metropolitan Police Hindu Staff Association.

As a Borough Commander he had to deal with the implementation of the use of PCSO's (Police Community Safety Officers) and has strong views about their usefulness, community policing in general and the public's fear of crime.

With his background experience and current employment at the New National Stadium at Wembley, Alex is ideally placed to comment on all aspects of policing public events including the upcoming 2012 Olympics.