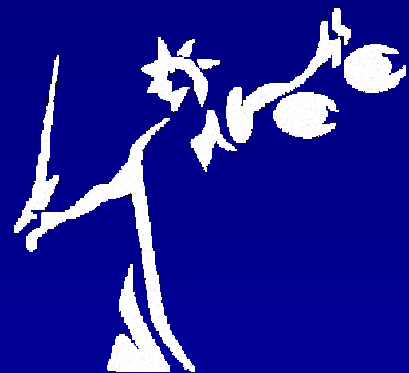


# Third Party Interventions

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# Historical background

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- JUSTICE represented individuals before UK courts and European Court of Human Rights, see e.g. *Weeks v United Kingdom* (1989) 10 EHRR 293
- Establishment of Criminal Cases Review Commission in 1996 allowed JUSTICE to withdraw from individual casework
- Continued programme of intervening in cases raising issues of public importance involving protection of fundamental rights

# Terrorism and counter-terrorism

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- *A and others v Secretary of State for the Home Department (no 2)* [2005] UKHL 71 re the admissibility of evidence obtained under torture outside the UK by non-UK officials
- *R v F* [2007] EWCA Crim 243 re definition of terrorism under section 1 of the Terrorism Act 2000
- *Secretary of State for the Home Department v MB* [2007] UKHL 46 re control orders and Art 6
- *AF and others v Secretary of State for the Home Department* [2008] EWCA Civ 1148 re Art 6 disclosure

# International rule of law

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- ***Al Skeini v Secretary of State for Defence*** [2006] re the extra-territorial application of the Human Rights Act to UK troops in southern Iraq
- ***Al Jedda v Secretary of State for Defence*** [2008] UKHL 58 re use of indefinite detention of a dual UK/Iraqi national under UN Security Council resolution 1546
- ***Ramzy v Netherlands*** (forthcoming), re the application of Art 3 ECHR to deportation on grounds of national security following ***Chahal v United Kingdom***.

# Asylum and immigration

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- ***Ullah v Special Adjudicator*** [2004] UKHL 26 re extent of prohibition against non-refoulement in cases of ‘flagrant breach’ of ECHR.
- ***R v Secretary of State for the Home Department ex parte Limbuela and others*** [2005] UKHL 66 re refusal of asylum support under section 55 of the Nationality Immigration and Asylum Act 2002.
- ***EM (Lebanon) v Secretary of State for the Home Department*** [2008] UKHL 64 re ‘flagrant breach’ of Article 8 in deportation to Lebanon

# Other recent interventions

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- ***Van Colle and another v Chief Constable of the Hertfordshire Police*** [2008] UKHL 50 – Art 2 duty to take preventative operation measures.
- ***R (Corner House) v Serious Fraud Office*** [2008] UKHL 60 – re decision to drop BAE fraud investigation
- ***OO v Secretary of State for the Home Department*** (House of Lords, pending)

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