

**R. v DEAN BONESS AND OTHERS**

On September 13, 2004 at the Crown Court at Chester Bateman, Bruce, Cooper, Stocking, Sheridan, Keeley, Turner and O'Hanlon pleaded guilty. On November 17, 2004 Bebbington pleaded guilty on re-arraignment. On January 5, 2005 Schofield was convicted. On January 7, 2005 (H.H.Judge Woodward) they were sentenced as follows:

Bebbington

Threatening behaviour—Community Punishment Order for 160 hours; anti-social behaviour order for four years.

Bateman

Affray—five months' detention in a young offender institution; anti-social behaviour order for eight years

Schofield

Affray—two years' imprisonment; anti-social behaviour order for 10 years Bruce

Affray—eight months' imprisonment (E.D.R. 7/5/2005); anti-social behaviour order for 10 years Cooper

Threatening behaviour—Community Punishment Order for 160 hours; anti-social behaviour order for four years.

Stocking

Affray—five months' detention in a young offender institution; anti-social behaviour order for eight years

Sheridan

Affray—four months' detention and training order; anti-social behaviour order for six years

Keeley

Affray—five months' detention in a young offender institution; anti-social behaviour order for eight years

Turner

Affray—four months' detention and training order; anti-social behaviour order for six years

O'Hanlon

Affray—four months' detention and training order; six-year anti-social behaviour order.

There were three convicted co-defendants:

Carl Graham Wood (d.o.b. 9/10/70) pleaded guilty to affray and was sentenced to 16 months' imprisonment and a 10-year anti-social behaviour order.

Graham Jones (d.o.b. 7/12/71) pleaded guilty to affray and was sentenced to eight months' imprisonment and a 10-year anti-social behaviour order. Adam Paul Fatcher (d.o.b. n/k) pleaded guilty to affray and was sentenced to a four-month detention and training order and a six-year anti-social behaviour order.

The *ASBOs* were in the terms of a football banning order, the court having no jurisdiction to pass an actual football banning order.

“The defendant must not for the duration of the order,

1. Enter any premises for the purpose of attending any football matches in England and Wales that are regulated for the purposes of the Football Spectators Act 1989.
2. On any day that Chester City AFC play at a regulated football match at the