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SATURDAY 17th. DECEMBER
FROM 8.00 P.M. TILL LATE (LATE BAR)
THE OCTAGON CENTRE,
SHEFFIELD UNIVERSITY STUDENT UNION

## NEW 8 DEFENCE CAMPAIGN

The trial of the Newham 8 is at present continuing at the Old Bailey. They are 8 youths who have been charged because they were defending themselves and their community against racist and fascist attacks.

Prior to their arrest, the Little Ilford School was regularly attacked by group of racists. This prompted the whole community, particularly the youth, to defend their brothers and sisters.

While escorting the school children home, some plain clothes police officers abused and attacked the group. They defended themselves and were promptly arrested by uniformed officers in waiting. In effect, it was a <u>SET UP BY THE</u> POLICE.

The Campaign calls that <u>SELF-DEFENCE IS</u> <u>NO OFFENCE</u> and that the Police and State are criminalising the rightful activities of the youths and community to defend itself.

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