

Line to take

- Not confirming.

Q: (Tom Claffey, RTÉ, Dublin):
There is considerable speculation that Dermot
in Hammersmith was unarmed. If that's the case
do considerate political damage

- Circumstances of this

SOPs: are being investigated.

I think it's very important not to jump to any
the facts are established. I've got no comment
except that I very much regret any loss of life
circumstances. And there is no exception.
and police enquiring
under independent

Q: (unidentified)

How hopeful you are about
Police leadership authority.

SOPs:

I think there are sensible grounds for being
are good grounds for expecting further progress
made progress. It's been slow, but of course
and so I'm hopeful.

Q: (John Egan, BBC News)

Some of the Irish parliamentarians here have
the manner in which the arrests took place.
being done to the peace process...

SOPs:

... if they are, they are. I'm afraid that
in which the arrests took place. I re
file has occurred, due to a completely inac