



# It's official 'forced standing' is torture

## The Army class forced standing as torture

Torture claims might sound extreme by to a person with agoraphobia, this picture illustrates what an East Midlands Train ride feels like.

The House of Commons Transport Committee report (2003) on overcrowding concluded: "Failure to provide an efficient public transport system means that employers are faced with staff who are tired, stressed and uncomfortable on arrival at the workplace. Lateness at work, loss of productivity, sickness absence, missed and rescheduled meetings and lost business due to public transport overcrowding and delays all impose real and significant costs."

## Join the passenger fight back

The TrainSardine.org campaign is run by passengers who are sick of the poor service offered by East Midlands Trains on the troubled Liverpool to Norwich line. We are sick of the excuses given to explain the shortage of carriages and overcrowding at rush hour. We are frustrated with the inability of anyone to sort the problem, poor communication, and lack of respect. We intend to discover who is behind the chaos and give them the recognition they deserve.

Join the campaign at [www.TrainSardine.org](http://www.TrainSardine.org)

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