Listening to the radio on the way home from work, I hear that a man in Weston-Super-Mare (My home town) has been fined £75 and given 3 months conditional discharge. For what? Allowing his dog to foul in a public area. Now obviously the radio report was slightly wrong, a dog is allowed to have a shit in public, you just have to pick it up afterwards and place it in one of the few dog shit bins that haven't been burned by vandals.
This CRIME is something that I could potentially end up in court for, however, the dog belongs to my wife and I told her before she got it, that she could have a dog, but she would have to pick the shit up. My day in court is well rehearsed.

Judge: "Why did you allow your dog to foul in public, without then disposing of the offending article?"
Me: "I didn't"
Judge: "Clearly you did, otherwise you wouldn't be here right now"
Me: "It's not my dog"
Judge: "What do you mean, it's not your dog?"
Me: "It's my wife's dog and I told her before she got the bloody thing, that she could have one, but she'd have to pick the shit up"
Judge: "So then why did you allow your wife's dog to foul in public?"
Me: "I tried to stop him, but he didn't understand me when I said stand up straight Alfie, you're not allowed to shit in public."

You can imagine the judge getting rather annoyed now.

Judge: “Stop blabbering on Mr Simmons, it boils down to this, you allowed your wife’s dog to foul a public area and didn’t dispose of the offending article.”
Me: “That’s right judge, My wife’s dog had a shit, I was walking the dog because my wife was at work, If I wasn’t arrested, I could have picked her up at 9.15pm from her workplace and drove her to the offending article so that she could dispose of it. Now could you remind me why I’m here, no, never mind I remember now, I allowed my dog to foul a public area and didn’t dispose of the offending article. It’s a very strange charge when you consider that I don’t have a dog!”

Case closed, I’ll probably be charged for contempt instead.