

Ah, apology 57. An ideal time to make things right with the Heinz 57 company, but such an apology has to be left behind for now as I have said some seriously messed up things I simply must prioritise. Not that I have anything to apologise to the food company for as I like tomato sauce. Heinz 57 are scum, there you go NOW I need to apologise. Sorry for calling you scum, I didn't mean it. Anyway, firstly I'll be PROPERLY saying sorry to Lionel Messi for saying he chopped off another footballer's arms whilst playing (again 'causing mayhem' has two meanings, and I feared the worst when I heard that from a commentator); I'm sorry for getting angry with EE for them not giving me a reminder to top up my phone (although it would have been nice); and I'm sorry to my alarm clock for saying it wasn't working properly. I actually misunderstood how it worked, it's just I find reading instruction books boring and perplexing. Now that I think of it, I also need to apologise to the referee for me presuming he let the match continue after the apparent bloodshed. Clearly I have a grossly warped view of football and its rules. You're not allowed to tackle someone in the penalty area but it's fine to use swords? People think the Grand Theft Auto games are corrupting society, God knows what football does. People look up to Messi, no one looks up to video game characters that don't exist, making Messi particularly dangerous. In my prior world view, anyway. So, sorry again!

Now sorry to EE. I guess normal people don't need reminders to do everyday, routine things as simple as topping up mobile phones, but I DO. I'm not mad that I didn't get a reminder text recently from them, but I suppose I feel anxious and on edge. It was perhaps an exaggeration when I said I was going through extreme stress right now because of this situation, but if for whatever reason I can't work out how to add money to my mobile it WILL be extreme. So can I have an apology from you? I am a loyal customer after all, even though I did once have my mobile number deleted from existence after not using it for over nine months. Boy, am I not doing that again though, telling everyone my new number was basically Hell on Earth. And you know what? That wasn't your fault, you know what that really shows? My lack of social life, so of course I'm not expecting an apology from you! Hoping for one maybe, but not expecting one. I'll tell you who I'm really not expecting an apology from: Lionel Messi. Or my clock, clocks can't speak. Technically it can show digitalised letters if it can show numbers, but I'd have to get my apology one letter at a time because of limitations of the clock's size. Something like 'S... O... R... R... Y... S... I... M... O... N...' I'm wondering if that would be sweet or creepy, though. The message sounds innocent enough, but yeah I think I'd be horrified. Anyway, sorry EE again. You top up your phone every 30 days, it's not the craziest maths problem in the world to work out the date. As I haven't done a maths problem in many, many years however, I'm not going to lie, it's not as easy working it out as I was letting on.

Now sorry to my alarm clock, in particular the DTL digital alarm clock I ordered off Amazon. (I think giving its full name shows respect, it's like calling me Mr. Simon Wiedemann, rather than 'Si'. Why do people sigh? When they're fed up, so it's very offensive I've been named after that feeling. Realistic, though). Furthermore, this may sound like a silly thing to say, but having watched some of the Toy Story films and experiencing periods of mental illness, I have formed a bond with some of my household objects, making my apology even more sincere. Well, not really. Anyway, what am I saying sorry for exactly? Well, I recently said that if you press the 'extra 5

minutes rest' button more than twice, it stops working. Not true, in my sleepy stupor, I must have flicked the off switch. Whoops. It's not a reason to send the thing back, is it? And I have the audacity to say the clock was in the wrong?? Having said that, it probably makes sense to apologise to the people who MADE the device, rather than the product itself. So sorry to them. For whatever reason, I can't seem to find out the company who made the item, though. 'Light/Snooze' is written on one of the buttons, but that doesn't sound like a business name to me, Philips is a legit name. Unless there is a man called Mr. Light and a guy named Mr. Snooze, and they teamed up to form an alarm clock business, together? A.I. says 'Light' is an Anglo-Saxon name meaning 'cheerful', but Snooze is 'exceptionally rare' (unsurprisingly, it possibly describes a person who is 'sleepy'). The chances of Light-Snooze being a brand name are tiny, so let's say sorry to the mysterious clock maker, whoever you are. And bye!

(Oh, EE reminded me in the end, now I'm REALLY sorry, and I didn't have to talk to anyone, perfect).