Subject: [Fwd: Re: restricted?]

Date: Fri, 27 May 2005 14:42:20 -0700 **From:** Brian Platts
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Subject: Re: restricted?

Date: Fri, 27 May 2005 13:26:11 -0700 **From:** Lee Lau <lau@leelau.net>

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Councillor Crist,

It is not my intention to engage in a debate with you by email. I am, of course, familiar with oriental sages as doubtless you are with Teutonic sages and if you wish to debate same perhaps we can move this to some philosophy forum or perhaps a World War II discussion board?

You are indeed correct that you do not need my permission to post to FONVCA and if you read again, I neither sought to give permission nor gave it.

Please re-read the portion about NSMB. You are cordially invited to engage in debate on the thread I previously referenced.

I regret the large nature of this circulation list but in the spirit of reciprocity have included all participants (willing or unwilling) in the list.

Regards

---- Original Message -----

From: Ernie Crist

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Sent: Friday, May 27, 2005 1:18 PM

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Dear Mr. Lau:

You are mistaken on two counts.

1) The criteria set by you are themselves highly subjective and have, I believe, been established by you so as to totally control and, exclude any and all input at variance with your aims. You seem to forget that this is first and foremost a political and moral issue and that it's outcome will be decided by political and moral factors, more or less. I also believe that the real reason you are putting conditions on the publication of what I have to say, is because you know that you stand on slippery grounds and are afraid of my arguments. I believe you know that sooner or later you will lose.

I am surprised that you would even attempt to convince me otherwise. Clearly you have no respect for my intelligence or for the intelligence of people who disagree with you. As for your sense of fairness, it leaves a great deal to be desired and surely is not in the tradition of free debate as we understand it in this country.

No rational case can be made to engage in stunt biking on ecologically sensitive, soft, steep,wet and forested slopes on one little Mountain for the benefit of the whole world except to make a politically motivated and defiant anti social statement that we will do what we want as this is our way to show our contempt for all the values this society espouses. I believe that you do not have the courage to challenge this society in areas where it counts which is the reason why you are fighting to bike on Mount Fromme - a poor substitute and in fact a copout. Whether you yourself are aware of this or not is quite irrelevant. Surely you are not telling me that in order to exercise and engage in strenuous outdoor sport activities, you have to risk the environment and the ecology of Mount Fromme.

2) I do not need your permission to post any of my email on FONVCA or anywhere else except of course those jurisdictions under your control and I will not stoop so low. There are no slaves in my culture and neither is there any slave tradition. However, sooner or later even you will reap the wages of your anti social agenda. If you have any doubts, I suggest you read or re-read your own oriental sages.

Yours truly,

Ernie Crist

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