

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



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During the oral communication section of the agenda for Tuesday, January 26, 2010, Francois Choquette spoke about the Church of Scientology.

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"It is Not Even Wrong"

A famous phrase coined by quantum physicist Wolfgang Pauli after a reading a bad student paper.

"I am FOR Churches"

Jeff Stone, Jan. 12, 2010. That's a case of "Not Even Wrong"

That statement was simply Wrong, because it violates your oath to the Constitution of The United States's first ammendment, the establishment's clause. Government institutions may not be used to support ANY religion.

That statement was further "Not Even Wrong", because Scientology, in many's opinion, is NOT a religion.

L. Ron Hubbard: "Scientology has opened the gates to a better world. It is not a psycho-therapy NOR A RELIGION." "The Creation of Human Ability 1971"

L. Ron Hubbard: "Scientology 1970 is being planned on a religious organization basis throughout the world. ... It is entirely a matter for ACCOUNTANTS and SOLICITORS."

Scientology is in fact a cult because they worship a PERSON as opposed to a DIETY.

It was naive to believe the Anonymous pamphlet PR by Scientology; It is equally naive and Wrong to believe Scientology is a CHURCH.

Submitted by F. Choquette
1/26/10 Item Q11
(date)

Why is Scientology not a religion and Gold Base not a "Church" in 2010?:

Human rights violations:

- False imprisonment
- Physical abuse, beatings
- Coerced abortions
- Human trafficking of adults and minors.
- Passports confiscated, all correspondence **intercepted**.
- Investigation of False Imprisonment was closed by the DA.**

Labor Violations

- Excessive work hours, no pay.
- Sleep deprivation
- Sexual harrasment
- Sea Org minors (Billion Year contract), taken from parents, sent to different states.

Safety Violations

- Road/traffic safety, worker safety
- Unsafe living and working conditions (Cine building)
- Toxic working conditons

Medical neglect

- Uwe Stuckenbrock

Election violations:

- American citizens prevented from voting at Gold Base.
- Illegal 3rd party contributions
- Political contributions by scientologists with no salary

Abuse of the law:

- Harassment of critics with private investigators.
- Abuse of the police force, SWAT teams
- Hubbard: "The purpose of a lawsuit is to harass"

Letter to Riverside County Board of Supervisors
January 5, 2009

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Re: Proposed Ordinances 884 and 888: Targeted Residential Picketing Board meeting
January 6, 2009, Agenda Items 3.28 and 3.29 (Supervisor Stone)

Honorable Chairman and Supervisors:

I live in British Columbia. I once lived at Scientology's Gilman Hot Springs headquarters. I actually helped set up the Gilman base in the 1970's while in the organization's forced labor camp, the Rehabilitation Project Force, or RPF. I was inside Scientology and close to founder L. Ron Hubbard, and I have been one of the organization's key enemy targets for 27 years.

I write to tell you that not only I but thousands, and even millions, of people around the world are watching what you do in this matter. Your county has acquired a bad reputation for its Scientology-instigated injustice procedures.

It is clear that these proposed ordinances are intended to specifically benefit the Scientology organization headquartered in your county at Gilman Hot Springs. I realize that the ordinances are worded to appear to benefit all county residents, but that is clearly to cover the fact that the ordinances have been concocted for Scientology to be applied to prevent, or stupidly restrict, protests or picketing at the Scientology base.

It would therefore be irresponsible of the Board of Supervisors to not determine and announce or publish exactly how those ordinances would apply at and to the organization and property for the benefit which they are being proposed.

Before these proposed ordinances are passed, you owe it to your citizens to go to the Gilman Hot Springs property and, with the participation of the Scientology organization and its protestors, establish exactly what will be the real effect on the protestors' rights and abilities to protest.

Scientology is a religion because the US Federal Government says that any organization can determine to be a religion and it's a religion. In fact, your Government says that only an organization itself can determine if it's religious or not. It can be a commercial scam, a criminal conspiracy, or an antisocial cult, and it is a perfectly fine religion according to your national government. All of such enterprises or organizations, of course, are eminently picketable. The US's laws that protect and encourage picketing, of course, were enacted to give the victims of such organizations, and other citizens offended by such organizations' victimizing, a right and way to confront the victimizers. **Virtually all of the fraud, extortion, human rights abuses and other antisocial and criminal victimizing behavior in Scientology "churches" and affiliated entities around the world is ordered and controlled from the organization's Gilman Hot Springs headquarters.** You should expect picketers at Gilman from around the world until Scientology stops victimizing people and makes reparations to all the people it has victimized.

These proposed ordinances benefit the victimizers, and there is no need for these ordinances except to benefit the victimizers. Why any Riverside County official would want to benefit the Scientology victimizers to the clear detriment of Scientology's victims and their supporters can only be answered with deception or corruption.

Please, before you vote on these proposed ordinances, at a minimum establish for all your citizens' benefit exactly what will be the effect at all points where the Scientology property at its Gilman Hot Springs headquarters adjoins public property where picketing must and will occur.

I pray that all of you will search for wisdom in this matter.

Respectfully,

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Cc: various media

**Riverside County Board of Supervisors
Request to Speak**

Submit request to Clerk of Board (right of podium),
Speakers are entitled to three (3) minutes, subject
Board Rules listed on the reverse side of this form.

SPEAKER'S NAME: FRANCOIS CHOQUETTE

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Date: JAN 26, 09 **Agenda #** PUBLIC COMMENTS

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the appeal below:

☐ **Support** ☐ **Oppose** ☐ **Neutral**

I give my 3 minutes to: _____

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Speakers who intend to conduct a formalized Power Point presentation or provide printed material must notify the Clerk of the Board's Office by 12 noon on the Monday preceding the Tuesday Board meeting, insuring that the Clerk's Office has sufficient copies of all printed materials and at least one (1) copy of the Power Point CD. Copies of printed material given to the Clerk (by Monday noon deadline) will be provided to each Supervisor. If you have the need to use the overhead "Elmo" projector at the Board meeting, please insure your material is clear and with proper contrast, notifying the Clerk well ahead of the meeting, of your intent to use the Elmo.

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Individual speakers are limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes. Please step up to the podium when the Chairman calls your name and begin speaking immediately. Pull the microphone to your mouth so that the Board, audience, and audio recording system hear you clearly. Once you start speaking, the "green" podium light will light. The "yellow" light will come on when you have one (1) minute remaining. When you have 30 seconds remaining, the "yellow" light will begin flash, indicating you must quickly wrap up your comments. Your time is up when the "red" light flashes. The Chairman adheres to a strict three (3) minutes per speaker. ***Note: If you intend to give your time to a "Group/Organized Presentation", please state so clearly at the very bottom of the reverse side of this form.***

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