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HCO POLICY LETTER OF 23 FEBRUARY 1978

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(Revises and cancels HCO PL  
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BOARD OF REVIEW

Occasionally an administrative body takes an action or issues a directive or order that:

- (a) Results in lowered statistics
- (b) Causes contraction of an area
- (c) Results in an injustice.

This is usually the result of incomplete CSW, acting on rumor without proper investigation and violation of basic policy.

The correction hat for this has mainly been worn by LRH.

The function of a Board of Review is to look into injustices, technically incorrect findings and instances of flagrant injustice or out-ethics actions which are destructive to stats.

The Board is convened by any LRH Comm or KOT who appoints a Chairman and two other members. Members of the Board are appointed based on their own good statistics, high ethics level and knowledge of Ethics and Justice policy. They are preferably Org Exec Course graduates.

A Board of Review may be originated by the LRH Comm or KOT per his hat as given in HCO PL 12 Feb 1978 Issue II, POWERS OF LRH COMMS, KOTS AND THE LRH COMM NETWORK and HCO PL 12 Feb 1978-1 Issue II Addition of 20 Feb 1978, or a CSW may be submitted to the LRH Comm or KOT requesting a Board be convened.

The Board, once convened, reviews the data concerning the matter using standard investigatory procedure and bases its decisions only on LRH policy. It has no authority to write or issue new policy or issue new directives or orders. The Board can only cancel an action, directive or order which has been found to:

- (a) Be impractical
- (b) Lower statistics
- (c) Cause contraction
- (d) Result in an injustice
- (e) Violate basic LRH policy.

It is expected that very few appeals will be lodged and few Boards will have to be convened as the function of org execs and Exec Councils is to implement the long standing and successful programs already covered in LRH HCO Policy Letters. Directives, orders and actions taken should be toward this end.

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