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E T H I C S

One item which falls under the heading of ethics and which is HCO's job to handle is the case of field auditors misusing and violating technology (codes etc.) to a point where:

- a) their preclears and groups obtain no result
- b) their preclears and groups actually decline
- c) their handling of Scientology leads to a poor or false impression on the public.

In such an instance it is up to HCO to take action on the following lines:

- a) Investigate incident by finding out from this person's pc or group what effect is being caused on them.
- b) Call auditor in - check his training record - find out what he is doing - warn him to re-train and get squared around technically - and warn him his certificate will be cancelled if he does not comply.
- c) Check to see if he has complied (enrolled in a course, etc.) - if not cancel certificate.
- d) Rehabilitate Auditor.

Lack of complaint by "victims" of such persons does not affect our attitude on an ethics case.

HCO takes action whenever an ethics case comes to its attention - and it is continually on guard to protect the ethics of Scientology.

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