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To further ensure that the religious nature of Scientology and Dianetics is fully and properly communicated to all publics, the following label is to be printed in all Scientology and Dianetic books printed from the date of this policy letter. As regards printing prior to this date, all issues must have this label pasted on the page opposite the title page in the form of a book plate as follows:

TO THE READER:

Scientology is a religious philosophy containing pastoral counselling procedures intended to assist an individual to attain Spiritual Freedom. The Mission of the Church of Scientology is a simple one — to help the individual attain full awareness of himself as an Immortal Being, and of his relationship to the Supreme Being. The attainment of the benefits and goals of Scientology requires each individual's dedicated participation as only through his own efforts can he himself, as a Spiritual Being, achieve these.

This is part of the religious literature and works of the Founder of Scientology, L. Ron Hubbard. It is presented to the reader as part of the record of his personal research into Life, and should be construed only as a written report of such research and not as a statement of claims made by the Church or the author.

Scientology and its sub-study, Dianetics, as practiced by the Church, address only the "Thetan" (Spirit). Although the Church, as are all churches, is free to engage in spiritual healing, it does not, as its primary goal is increased spiritual awareness for all. For this reason, the Church does not wish to accept individuals who desire treatment of physical illness or insanity but refers these to qualified specialists of other organizations who deal in these matters.

The Hubbard Electrometer is a religious artifact used in the Church confessional. It, in itself, does nothing, and is used by Ministers only, to assist parishioners in locating areas of spiritual distress or travail.

WE HOPE THE READING OF THIS BOOK IS ONLY THE FIRST STAGE OF A PERSONAL VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY INTO THE NEW AND VITAL WORLD RELIGION OF SCIENTOLOGY.

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