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ISSUE VIII

RELIGION

CONFESSONAL AIDS - SALE OF

(Ref. HCO PL 9 July 1969)

Confessional aids, Hubbard Electrometers, are religious artifacts employed in the Church of Scientology Confessional.

As such, they may be sold only to Ministers in good standing of the Church of Scientology, or bona fide Ministerial students.

The following contract is to be filled out by anyone wishing to purchase a meter. The completed contract is then to be filed in the Church's Val Docs.

CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE OF CONFESSONAL AIDS (E-METER)

WHEREAS the Hubbard Electrometer is a sacramentally privileged article of faith used by Ministers of the Church of Scientology as a confessional aid.

WHEREAS the meter measures spiritual activity and does not, nor is it intended to, diagnose or cure any physical ailment.

WHEREAS as a holy article of faith of the Church of Scientology, the use of the E-Meter is limited to those few who are recognized by the Church as privileged to have the use of the E-Meter.

WHEREAS it has long been Church policy that only ordained Ministers, theological students preparing for ordination, or those seeking the highest levels of spiritual awareness above Va may use or have possession of the meter.

This Agreement is entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, between \_\_\_\_\_ hereinafter referred to as "applicant" and the Church of Scientology of \_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter referred to as the "Church".

Applicant being duly privileged by the Church to be invested with the use of the E-Meter by his/her being in the status of ordained Minister of Church/qualified theological student preparing for Ordination/or theological student seeking levels of spiritual awareness above Grade Va, warrants, covenants, and agrees as follows:

I realize that the E-Meter is a sacred article of faith of the Church and that it is not intended for, nor can it be used for the prevention, diagnosis, or treatment or any physical ailment or disease.

I confirm my vows as a Scientologist and pledge  
and contribute the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,, the parties hereto have  
executed this Agreement, the date and year first  
hereinabove written.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby attest that I  
am a fully ordained Minister of the Church of  
Scientology/theological student in good standing/  
parishioner seeking higher levels of spiritual  
awareness above Va.

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Minister in good  
standing of the Church of Scientology of \_\_\_\_\_  
on behalf of the Church of Scientology of \_\_\_\_\_,  
do hereby condone as true of my own knowledge the  
validity of the statement of the aforementioned  
applicant, and do sponsor the above applicant for  
possession of the Confessional Aid (E-Meter).

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

WITNESS \_\_\_\_\_

The wording of the above contract may be changed to  
suit local conditions with the consent of the A/G.

Robert H. Thomas  
Deputy Guardian US

for

Jane Kember  
The Guardian Ww

for

Mary Sue Hubbard  
The Controller

Authorized by AVU

for the

BOARDS OF DIRECTORS  
of the  
CHURCHES OF SCIENTOLOGY