

## DECLARATION

I...declare and state as follows:

1. I am a resident of California, a United States citizen and am 66 years old. I am of sound mind and am fully qualified to make the following statements.
2. I am a trained auditor, an ordained minister and a Founding Scientologist. I have been a member of the Church since 1960, and am a veteran Sea Org member, having served as an officer and executive in the SO for more than 42 years.
3. The allegations of Mike Rinder, Marty Rathbun, Tom DeVocht and Amy Scobee are blatant, despicable lies. These apostates are no longer Scientologists and they are filled with hate. They left in disgrace and have teamed up with avowed enemies of the Church – people who have openly stated they are out to destroy Scientology. They are bitter and are telling lies to forward their own ends. In my 50-year career in Scientology, I've seen apostates like this come and go. After they leave, things invariably get better.
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7. ... Mr. Miscavige is the *only* person that I have seen in my entire career, who has demanded L. Ron Hubbard policy be followed to the letter while he, himself, applies it fully and completely. He is *the* person who has.
8. In the decades that I worked closely with Mr. Hubbard, I became intimately familiar with exactly how Mr. Hubbard operated day to day in carrying out the activities he did as the Founder of the Scientology religion and Commodore of the Sea Organization. He is the most caring, considerate and humanitarian person I have ever known. His first and foremost concerns were always the wellbeing and optimum survival of others, the Scientology organizations, the parishioners and the happiness and wellbeing of not only all Scientologists, but the people of this planet, no matter what their race, creed, religion, age or gender. L. Ron Hubbard worked harder than anyone I have ever known. He kept a 24/7 schedule 7 days a week. No matter the volume of his workload, he would never leave

to go to bed until his traffic was done and he had answered every communication sent to him, handled every situation that had been presented to him for an approval, answer or direction. Yet, despite the enormous volume of work he accomplished daily, he always had time for the executives, staff and crew that worked for him and worked with him. He would see us daily, walk through our work spaces and greet us and find out how we were doing – as well as hold meetings with his aides and ship and management executives each day to give them direction and guidance, coordinate priorities and brief them on his developments, breakthroughs, plans and intentions.

9. ... [Mr. Miscavige] duplicates L. Ron Hubbard in his attitude, devotion, care and concern for the Scientology religion, the parishioners and Scientology organizations. His care and humanitarian concerns about the people of this planet – irrespective of nationality, color, race, age or gender is like nobody I have ever seen apart from L. Ron Hubbard. His devotion to duty, his incessant hard work and his constant care and attention to those who work with and around him – their wellbeing, their enhancement, their physical health and their progress in Scientology is truly outstanding. He constantly keeps his staffs briefed on command intention, planning and strategic direction – just as L. Ron Hubbard did.

10. In the years that I worked closely with Mr. Hubbard, I learned all of the details of his plans for the future, those things that he directed must be done within the Church after his departure and his postulates and goals for the expansion of Scientology and the salvation of all mankind over the coming decades. As the Executor and Trustee of his Estate, I also had access to all of Mr. Hubbard's personal papers, his handwritten notes and his many directions concerning the carrying out of his goals.

11. I have personal knowledge of the fact that L. Ron Hubbard appointed Mr. David Miscavige to be the leader of the Church after his departure from this life, had implicit faith in Mr. Miscavige and entrusted Mr. David Miscavige to carry on his work.

12. I have personal knowledge too, that what Mr. Miscavige has done over the past 23 years, since Mr. Hubbard's departure, has been to fulfill Mr. Hubbard's dreams, carry forward his plans and intentions and execute *exactly* what Mr. Hubbard wanted done. I know that Mr. Miscavige has done this, and more, and has carried out Mr. Hubbard's

wishes in a professional, dedicated manner, exactly as L. Ron Hubbard directed.

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20. I know that through his actions and his personal efforts, Mr. Miscavige has saved the Church from numerous attempts to undermine and destroy it, and has expanded the Church internationally into the world's fastest growing religion on earth.

21. Quite aside from handling a massive workload and working literally 24/7, Mr. Miscavige is the most caring, considerate and humanitarian person I have ever known apart from L. Ron Hubbard. He always has time for his fellow man. If Mr. Miscavige spots someone who is not doing well, he immediately gets that person helped. The despicable lies and false accusations of the apostates are an attempt to defame Mr. Miscavige – the man who has done more for Scientology than anyone in history and who is loved and admired by millions – in an attempt to destroy the religion of Scientology. The bottom line, however, is that since their departure, the Church has flourished and prospered, expanded as never before and will continue to do so exponentially, from here on out because Scientology is based on truth and is the only workable solution to this dwindling society and because of Mr. Miscavige's dedicated and on-purpose leadership. It is evident that these apostates are bitter at having lost their posts and positions as a result of committing transgressions against the group and then walking out, in a total delusion that they would be contacted and asked to come back and help (which is something that will *never* happen). It is also evident to me that their departures from the Church are a result of their own transgressions against Mr. Miscavige and against the Sea Organization and the Church of Scientology.

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23. Rathbun never knew L. Ron Hubbard, never met him and never even corresponded with him or worked for him. Rathbun is the antithesis of everything L. Ron Hubbard stands for and diametrically opposite to the executives and staff that L. Ron Hubbard held in high esteem. He never cared about his fellow staff members, never studied L. Ron Hubbard's technologies to help anyone and all he wanted to do was fight – not real enemies, but those he created and even the people who worked in the

same organization as he did. Rathbun was hated by fellow executives and staff for his physical violence and his arrogance.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July 2009.

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