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Re: Program to be aired about Debbie Cook

Dear Ms. Marsh:

I understand you intend to air a story about Debbie Cook. I felt compelled to inform you about Ms. Cook regarding information you do not have and should.

My name is Greg Wilhere. I am a Scientologist and have been for the past 43 years. I have also been a senior member of the Scientology religious order, the Sea Organization, for 42 years. My position within the Church concerns safeguarding Scientologists through application of our Ethics and Justice Codes.

I worked directly for our Founder, L. Ron Hubbard, for many years and acted as his emissary in many fields and endeavors. It was through my direct and personal relationship with him that I saw a great man and humanitarian.

I have worked both directly and indirectly for Mr. Miscavige, the ecclesiastical leader of the Scientology religion, for 30 years. He has been my personal friend for as many years. I have personally seen his care for Church executives and staff and that is why he is admired and appreciated by thousands of us throughout Scientology organizations.

Mr. Miscavige has been the ecclesiastical leader of the Scientology religion since the passing of our Founder. With Mr. Miscavige at the helm, the Church continues to grow as even ABC can see with new Church openings, our humanitarian campaigns for human rights, anti-drugs and disaster response, and our education and literacy initiatives. It is Mr. Miscavige who is spearheading

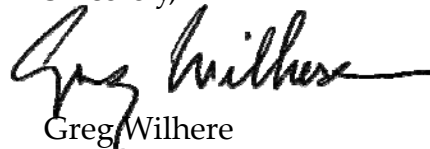
those. Look at the creation of what we call "Ideal Organizations" which are now populating major cities of the world.

I have heard the allegations made by Ms. Cook against Mr. Miscavige. She appeared to benefit from her application of Scientology ethics procedures and she returned to her position in Florida after a few weeks. Her characterizations of what occurred are denied. They follow the same story line as another apostate ABC already did a show on: Marty Rathbun. The bottom line is you are listening to someone, Debbie Cook, who is working in tandem with Marty Rathbun, who is now her "legal advisor." Rathbun admitted he was the one who suborned perjury in a legal case more than a decade ago.

I will end by telling you this: Mr. Miscavige worked directly for our Founder. What Mr. Hubbard wrote about Mr. Miscavige predates Debbie Cook's allegations and says it all. L. Ron Hubbard said of Mr. Miscavige: "Trust and friendship are things forged in fire and pounded out on the anvil of life. We have been through a lot together. I trust you as you trust me."

Debbie Cook knows that Mr. Miscavige is relentless on seeing that L. Ron Hubbard's Scripture is applied. I urge you to consider the truth of what you are about to broadcast.

Sincerely,



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