RETRACTION STATEMENT

“It is with the utmost sincerity and regret that we make the following apology to Mr. John Haines and Vita Novus in relation to disparaging, false and malicious comments and information posted on various internet sites and blogs such as Complaintsboard.com, Reviewstalk.com and scambook.com for which we were responsible. These falsehoods were posted by us or caused to be posted by us in relation to John Haines, Vita Novus, Pickerel Lake Recovery Centre and other corporations associated thereto.

We acknowledge having undertaken a 28 month long slanderous internet campaign against the above referenced parties and associated corporations/facilities with the sole intent of negatively impacting Mr. Haines businesses and discouraging potential clients from attending such facilities through the communication of knowingly false and inaccurate information.

As a result of legal proceedings commenced by Mr. Haines and our desire to resolve said action immediately, we hereby fully acknowledge responsibility for our wrongful and deceitful actions and the scope of the damages we have caused to Mr. Haines and his companies. In order to attempt to limit the extent of our wrongful actions, we have agreed to forthwith remove and cause to have deleted all inaccurate and malicious posts which we have caused to be posted in relation to the affected parties.

Once again, we sincerely apologize to John Haines, Vita Novus and Addiction Canada for our involvement in the posting of falsehoods and inaccuracies relating to them. The content of our postings is not accurate, not based on facts and have no basis whatsoever and were posted with the only intent of disparaging Mr. Haines, his reputation and his business activities.”

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