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Peter Reynolds
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13 March 2019

Dear Mr Reynolds

**RE: Cease and Desist
Our Client – Cannabis Trades Association UK**

We are instructed by the Cannabis Trades Association UK (CTA). We write in relation to a number of inappropriate actions carried out by you in a personal capacity and by Cannabis Professionals (CannaPro) in a professional capacity.

Our list of complaints is as follows:-

1. You have been informed a number of times by businesses owned by CTA directors that they do not give you permission to list their companies on the CannaPro website. By listing these companies on the website, you are implying that you have some sort of association with those companies. This is a clear misrepresentation of the facts, as you have no association or relationship with these companies.
2. You have repeatedly stated in public that you left the CTA of your own accord. This is a misrepresentation of the facts, you were expelled from the CTA.
3. You are the administrator of a Facebook group regarding the CTA. You have repeatedly and maliciously posted false and misleading information about the CTA online.
4. You have made a number of groundless attacks of a personal nature against the chair of the CTA, Mr Mike Harlington.



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You have been informed directly by the CTA and its directors that this conduct is unacceptable. The CTA has tried to resolve these issues with you directly but you have failed to engage on any reasonable and rational basis. Indeed you posted a factually incorrect response suggesting it contained "spelling mistakes and grammatical errors" when this was not the case.

The CTA can no longer tolerate this conduct, particularly when you use CTA director companies to give CannaPro a veneer of legitimacy where none exists. The CTA will no longer tolerate the personal attacks made by you upon the organisation and its directors.

We write to formally demand that you cease and desist from this course of conduct, otherwise they will proceed to seek a formal court order to compel you to do so. We demand that you take the following actions immediately:

1. Remove any reference or links to businesses owned or associated with directors of the CTA from the CannaPro website. A list of business is provided with this letter.
2. Remove the Member companies who have asked the CTA to intervene on their behalf.
3. Desist from claiming that you left the CTA of your own volition. This is simply not true and creates a misleading impression about your expulsion from the organisation.
4. Remove and deactivate the facebook group referred to above.
5. Desist from making defamatory statements about the CTA and any of its Directors.

This hostility directed at the CTA and its directors has gone on long enough and is damaging to the CBD industry in the UK as a whole. You are free to continue with your CannaPro endeavour as you please. But do not make any further public reference the CTA, its Directors or any businesses owned by its Directors.

If you do not comply with these demands, we are instructed to seek a court order to compel you to comply. We will seek to recover any legal costs incurred in obtaining this order from you.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mackrell Turner Garrett". The signature is written in a cursive style and is followed by a long horizontal flourish.

MACKRELL TURNER GARRETT