

Witness Statement

I, John Morgan, also known as Rafia , of 23a Oval Road, NW1 7EA London UK, do state as follows:

- a) I am John Morgan, born in 1949, and I am a disciple of the Indian Mystic Osho also known as Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh. I became a disciple in 1978 and spent most of my life from then on in close proximity to the person I considered my Master or Spiritual Teacher. In the early 1980s I started working as a therapist in the Commune that existed around the Master. My therapeutic work consisted of leading groups and trainings such as The Osho Therapists Training, The Osho Tantra Intensive, Fresh Beginnings, Inner Man Inner Woman, The Path of Love and as well as giving individual therapy sessions.
- b) In 1989 Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh changed his name first to Osho Rajneesh and shortly thereafter to Osho. According to his suggestion, I started using the name Osho as part of the titles of the therapy work in recognition of the fact that all the work I developed was in the presence of the Master and was inspired by his unique vision and fundamental understanding and perception of the human condition. At no time ever was there the idea or suggestion that the name Osho was in any way a Trademark or something to describe a licensed product of any company. The idea that the name Osho is Trademarked occurs to me as completely and utterly absurd and impossible.
- c) After Osho's death in 1990 I continued to use the name Osho to clearly express that my whole work and therapeutic approach was an outcome of my deep appreciation for my Spiritual Master and the immense richness and teachings I have recieved from being in His physical presence. Since his

death I have traveled to many Osho Centers in many countries, giving Osho-Therapy in Osho groups, Osho Trainings, Osho Events and Osho Festivals such as Path of Love, the Osho Therapist Training, Osho Tantra Intensive, Osho Inner Man Inner Woman.

I still do so today.

- d) I have always been using the Name Osho as a means to point to my Master and my connection with him. I was using the name Osho in an independent and free way. Never, to this date, have I ever been approached by any company such as OFI or any other individual to qualify, restrict or justify my use of the name Osho. I have also never signed any paper, contract or licence agreement. There were never any guidelines from anybody that I had to follow. Also there was never anyone controlling or supervising my use of the name Osho.
- e) I am also very clear about the fact, that the participants of my groups, trainings and events never have gotten the impression or even had the idea, that I was using the name Osho according to guidelines or licences of any company whatsoever.
- I feel fortunate to be able to represent and be associated with a man of such quality and status and also feel fortunate to be able to share this unique experience in my work.

I MAKE THIS WITNESS STATEMENT believing all the facts stated above to be true

Below is the author's signature, which is hidden for protection of personal data.

John Morgan

September 26, 2011

Date