

AFFIDAVIT OF FACT

Introductory Certification

_____, the Undersigned Affiant, hereinafter "Affiant," does hereby solemnly swear, declare, and state as follows:

1. Affiant is competent to state the matters set forth herewith.
2. Affiant has personal knowledge of the facts stated herein.
3. All the facts stated herein are true, correct, and complete in accordance with Affiant's best firsthand knowledge and understanding, and if called upon to testify as a witness Affiant shall so state.

Plain Statement of Facts

4. Myself, company and colleagues confirm and fully accept that the two artists VEVO alleges to have committed fraudulent activity are Axl Hazarika and Elektrokore only and that no other videos and artists have been affected.
5. Myself, company and colleagues confirm that Merlin is fully able to provide all details on the videos temporarily and/or permanently removed by VEVO including the reasons and explanation for their temporary and/or permanent removals.
6. Myself, company and colleagues confirm that Merlin has had access to VEVO's official statistics fully supporting its allegations.
7. Myself, company and colleagues confirm and fully accept that VEVO does not utilize any software specifically intended to detect fraudulent activity or views.
8. Myself, company and colleagues confirm and fully accept that VEVO uses 3rd-party software to track views and video activities.
9. Myself, company and colleagues confirm and fully accept that there was no counting error and that there is no possibility of this allegedly fraudulent traffic issue being the result of an error in VEVO's accounting system.
10. Myself, company and colleagues confirm and fully accept that all of this allegedly fraudulent traffic was coming from one source, a Facebook player, which VEVO has been unable to find or otherwise recreate.
11. Myself, company and colleagues confirm and fully accept that the email sent by charlie@merlinnetwork.org on Tue, Jun 16, 2015 at 4:41 PM CET will not be in any way modified, or doctored and that it reflects the official and final position of Merlin regarding this allegedly fraudulent traffic issue.

Verification

The Undersigned Affiant, _____, does herewith swear, declare, and affirm that Affiant issues this Affidavit of Fact with sincere intent, that Affiant is competent to state the matters set forth herein, that the contents are true, correct, complete, and certain, admissible as evidence, and reasonable and just in accordance with Affiant's best firsthand knowledge and understanding.

This Affidavit of Fact is dated the Seventeenth Day of the Sixth Month in the Year of our Lord Two Thousand Fifteen.

NOTARY PUBLIC