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By e-mail: [meadowbooks@hotmail.com](mailto:meadowbooks@hotmail.com) and by post

Dear Madam

**Stephen Manning**

We are instructed by Stephen Manning who is the author of a literary work entitled "The Color of Truth Volume I: Patterns in Light".

We have seen the email correspondence passing between yourself and our client.

In or about March 2006 our client approached you for professional assistance as an author who was starting his own Print on Demand business also. It was agreed that you would provide professional guidance to our client in producing his books for print via his own company CheckPoint Press with Lightning Source in the UK and in America. You indicated that the initial costs would be in the region of £50 and you requested a payment on account. Our client arranged for an initial payment to be made to you on his behalf of £100.

The service that you were to provide to our client was limited to checking the integrity of the electronic version of our client's version of his book and to make any necessary adjustments in order that the book meet Lightning Source specifications. You were also to provide contiguous advice in the publishing process specific to our client's particular needs.

It was axiomatic to this agreement that you would return the electronic files, duly amended, to our client so that our client, through CheckPoint Press, could submit the book to Lightning Source for Publication. Contrary to this understanding and despite our client's numerous requests, you have failed to return his digital files to him. Accordingly, our client has not been able to distribute his book with his own pre-registered CheckPoint Press ISBN 09551503-3-7 through his own account with Lightning Source.

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