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THE STATE OF CLEAR

There has been some confusion lately on exactly what is the state of Clear.

The confusion was introduced by a statement, not mine, that the state of Clear had harmonics, which is to say there were different states of Clear.

This is not true. Although it is quite impossible to obtain an absolute in this universe, the state of Clear is, actually, about as close as one can come to it.

I have given some time to it, lately, and have come up with a definition which fits all cases. It is as follows:

A CLEAR IS A BEING WHO NO LONGER HAS HIS OWN REACTIVE MIND.

The only exception, very, very, very rare, is one who didn't have a reactive mind in the first place.

The Book One definition of Clear is valid.

I believe I know what has been happening that caused the confusion.

Without invalidating the case gain of anyone (and NED for quite some time now has been making true and valid Clears), a few pcs and technical personnel have been mistaking the state of RELEASE for that of CLEAR.

You see, there are an awful lot of gains that can be made with auditing. Few people, walking on the street, have any idea whatever of how much better they can get. It is really a question of how much better is better.

A person hits a floating TA that simply won't turn off, his wife and girl friend ooh and aah on how much better he looks, he hasn't kicked the cat for days and is no longer coughing. He says, "By golly, I must be Clear!" even though he really can't pass the test. So the technical people, seeing him glow, say, "I don't want to invalidate this guy," and they let him declare and he goes to an SH or AO and falls on his head when he starts to climb the next ten light-years to OT. He was just a RELEASE.

There are MANY levels of release. It means simply that one has lost a fixation or an aberration of one kind or another. One should get a reality on the light-years of gain obtainable between the guy on the street and the state of Clear.



It's simply that we are too good at making Releases today.

So I looked over this problem and found an outness in the lineup which I have described more fully in HCOB 12 Dec. 81, THE THEORY OF THE NEW GRADE CHART.

There has just been a change in the Grade Chart (HCOB 12 Nov. 81 which has been reissued as HCOB 12 Nov. 81R, Rev. 14.12.81, to correct an error in it where someone else redefined Clear).

This change in the Grade Chart will go far to handling personal misconceptions. Scientology lower grades can produce an abundance of wins. These releases go far to straightening out one's environment and life and set one up to have, most usually, a far easier run of it in New Era Dianetics.

Scientology lower grades sometimes exteriorize a person but to date, to my knowledge, have never produced a Clear: That was not their purpose.

Remember that with Dianetics Book One techniques I could produce Clears. But it took decades of development of auditor training skills and precise statements of processes to bring it up to where others could. That point has now been with us for some time in developed training technology and New Era Dianetics.

We are making Clears today with NED, make no mistake about it. But it should prove even easier to do so once the pc's own life and environment have been straightened out with all those releases available lower on the new chart.

There is even another chance at Clear if the person misses it in NED. He still can go on to an SH for his Solo Auditor's Course and an AO for the old Clearing Course. It is even being worked out now so that he can begin his Solo Auditor's Course right in his local org—he'll need it to go on to OT.

A tiny percentage of people, who haven't made it, want to declare themselves Clear as a status symbol, but when they try to go on to OT, it catches up with them, and in any event can be handled. The releases, given good auditing and a cooperative pc, are there to be had, and in cases that have not been wiped out by the psychs or who can be gotten into communication by an auditor and cooperate, the state of Clear is there to be had.

And it is just as worthwhile as it ever was.

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