

## Message 1

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From: Tim Brown [REDACTED]  
Sent: 16 August 2021 11:35  
To: [REDACTED] Shareholder relations  
Cc: [REDACTED]  
Subject: Fw: The Rock newspaper D2H

Dear Both,

You will no doubt have been aware, or made aware, of a publications we have started to distribute today.

We started delivering a D2H which we were led to believe was a lifestyle / health and wellbeing publication. It turns out that it is more controversial than that. On the back page is a plea 'Help Fund The Rock – people funded newspaper – distributed independently to remain fiercely free from the establishment we seek to hold to account. All work done on the local Jersey paper, has been done free of charge, and we give thanks to those who contribute and help to keep it going. Please email us at: [therocklightpaper@protonmail.com](mailto:therocklightpaper@protonmail.com)<<mailto:therocklightpaper@protonmail.com>> if you are able to continue to support us.'

The front page has a banner 'Children have a natural immunity!'. There are articles about the 'privatisation of our coast is leaving behind a legacy of atrocities and must be stopped.' 'Jersey takes part in a global rally for freedom.' There is a feature section with a banner 'Science Delusion' with an article 'All claims about 'viruses' as pathogens are false.' Another feature section with the banner 'Health Gleichschaltung' carries the headline 'The 'Nazification' of the NHS'. And so on...

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Our line is that it is not our role to act as censor. We are the delivering in good faith as we deliver everything if it is legal.

I would be grateful to hear your views on the matter.

Tim

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17 August 2021

Dear Tim,

### Distribution of "The Rock"

Thank you for the email addressed to my officers with regard to the distribution of "The Rock" (the "Publication") and the content of same. Thank you for promptly identifying the risks involved and informing the shareholder.

I do not wish to intervene in the operational matters of Jersey Post, however I am pleased to hear that you have ceased distribution of the Publication pending further advice/direction. Jersey Post is of course tasked with the delivery of many types of documents, letters and parcels and cannot be expected to review and censor every item it is asked to deliver. I am grateful for your swift action in light of the high number of complaints from Islanders both to Jersey Post and on social media.

I appreciate that Jersey Post has a choice as to whether to accept future material for distribution. In forming a view on that choice, Jersey Post may wish to consider whether:-

- a. Whether copyright has been infringed in relation to the publication/re-publication of any material contained in the current publication;
- b. Whether the content (e.g. reference to "Nazification") in the current publication is consonant with the tenor of Article 60 of the Postal Services (Jersey) Law 2004:

Jersey Post may wish to obtain its own legal advice as to how the matter might be handled.

I look forward to hearing from you further as to how Jersey Post chooses to proceed.

Yours sincerely



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## Message 2

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From: Tim Brown [REDACTED]  
Sent: 30 August 2021 16:16  
To: [REDACTED]  
Cc: [REDACTED] Shareholder Relations  
Subject: Re: Letter from Deputy Pinel

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We are still taking legal advice but happy to have a call to discuss our latest thinking.

Are you able to confirm that no government agency, such as (but not solely) the police, are conducting any investigation or review into the contents of The Rock paper?

Thank you

Tim

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