From: Ritchie Sinclair <contact@7fires.com>
Date: August 19, 2010 6:07:10 PM EDT
To: Kevin Hearn <sandwiches@sympatico.ca>
Subject: Re: house of invention

Norval never knew Rolf Schneider - in fact no one knows him - and according to their scam he has been dead since the late 1990s.

Robert Voss is not the name McLeod testified to in court this past March 18. He testified under oath that all the work, yours included came from a man named "David" Voss who (according to their scam) kept 2000 Morrisseau paintings in a storage locker at Kakabeka Falls (just outside Thunder Bay). Where he got them?...from Rolf apparently.

No one knows Voss either, though McLeod testified to having met him 6 years ago when Voss tried to sell him eight Morrisseaus for $8000 but McLeod didn't buy because he already had too many Morrisseaus in stock (he claims to have 160 Morrisseaus on hand in a sworn affidavit from 2008).

Letters have been produced that the forgers claim to come from David Voss but they are obviously written by several people including a girl, Lisa Morrisseau. Voss may be a fictitious "provenance" identity or he may be an actual person that nobody ever met and no one can find. Who knows?

The person not being mentioned that these paintings, including yours, actually came from is "Gary Lamont" also known as "Gary Bruce Thacky". He is a "Hell's Angels" hangaround who traded Morrisseaus for drugs and helped launder money through reselling them. He is a drug dealer. The Randy Potter paintings, yours included, all 2000 of them, came from Lamont. Norval sent sworn declarations to Lamont and Potter and McLeod - to no avail of course. All three have been interviewed recently by the RCMP. (as testified to in court).

Irving Jacobs? - never heard of him - how did he get a painting from "Robert Voss"? Probably made up or a dead end. Perhaps if you ask him for the contact info to Irving he'll play his hand. A rudimentary search of "Irving Jacobs" on Google shows no such person in the Toronto area - especially one that sells art.

Didn't McLeod mention Randy Potter auctions or Kahn auctions to you before? How come they aren't in the "fake provenance" mix to go with your "fake painting?"
Just curious, has McLeod mentioned me yet? Still meeting with Gerald McMaster? How's the music going?

all the best,
Ritchie

Kevin Hearn wrote:

hi ritchie..

j Mcleod sent me the following provenance for my painting:

Norval
Rolf Schneider
robert Voss
Irving Jacobs (Toronto)
any thoughts?

hope you are well..

kevin
On 2010-08-03, at 11:46 AM, Ritchie Sinclair wrote:

Hi Kevin
I wrote to ask how they liked it.
Here is the response from Michele.
:-]

Wow! Are you kidding?!
It is wonderful!
He is an amazing musician. I haven't emailed him and didn't have a number to call him back with or anything. I really wanted to respect Kevin's privacy. His music is so melodic.
That song almost floats.
How wonderful that he has pursued his passion and crafted his art and brought more love and goodness into this world because of following his bliss.
I admire the creative world he lives in, he is blessed.
Give him my warm regards and I will only contact him through email if he wishes this to be so.
All the very best to you my friend.
Kind regards,
Michele

Kevin Hearn wrote:
Hi Ritchie.

glad you like it! did those guys enjoy it? kev

On 2010-07-30, at 1:08 PM, Ritchie Sinclair wrote:

Hi Kevin

I really love this sweet song. Its done me a World of good. I just wish Norval were here to rave about it with me. (Of course he would demand that you leave in the entire outro!) It makes me feel happy.

I hope you don't mind...I forwarded the song to Michele Vadas yesterday because I know that she and Gabe could really appreciate it too. The three of us and a dozen others feel like we've been on a bad trip. Your song captures the simplicity of the truth. Its a breath of fresh air. Thanks.

Ritch

Kevin Hearn wrote:

Hi Ritchie,

The record I am working on is called "routine cloud maintenance".

There are some playful, child-like songs on it.

This will be one of them.

It is still a work in progress, so think of this as a rough sketch.

There is a long outro that needs to be cut down to size,
and the mix is very rough.

this is just to give you an idea.

I hope you like it.

kev