

STATEMENT OF DR JOHN BEVAN-SMITH

I refer to an article published on the Poisoned Kiwi Substack dated 3 August 2024 entitled “Honestly Sam and Mark Bailey? Heterodoxies and The Truth Behind ‘A Farewell to Virology’”. To borrow the famous words of Justice Peter Mahon, this article is “an orchestrated litany of lies” that is utterly preposterous in its claims and profoundly malicious in its intent.¹

For the record, I am the sole author and copyright owner of the originating document I converted into the Statement of Claim, first mentioned at page 2 of the article above, which I gave to the Heterodoxies Society for the purpose of it commencing proceedings in the New Zealand High Court pursuant to the rules of the Society.

By way of a Resolution dated 1 August 2021, the members of the Society endorsed the Statement of Claim and appointed me to be the authorised Agent to represent the Society in legal proceedings. Those who supported this Resolution with their signature includes the author of the above Substack article. The redacted Resolution and the signatures are attached, together with the minutes of that meeting.

I filed the Statement of Claim in the Auckland High Court on 6 August 2021. On 8 August 2021, I received an email from the author of the above article stating that I had no authority to act on behalf of the Society despite his having signed the above Resolution seven days prior. In the interim, a late draft version of the Statement of claim was stolen from copies I had stored for safekeeping on the hard drives of the “Poisoned Kiwi” author and another Society member and which was given without my knowledge or permission to a media company to publish. On 16 August 2021, the latter member resigned from the Society, as did the “Poisoned Kiwi” the next day. On 27 August 2021 the draft Statement of Claim was published online by the media company claiming it had the Society’s permission to do so. The media company was notified that it was in possession of stolen property and ordered to take down the document, an order the company ignored. As the court had not yet released the Statement of Claim back to the Society for service, this could have had serious legal repercussions for myself as the person who had filed the proceeding on behalf of the Society.

This destructive behaviour had a devastating effect on the Society and on those members organising support for the proceeding.

Dated 18th August 2024



Dr John Bevan-Smith
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¹ Peter T Mahon, “Report of the Royal Commission to inquire into the crash on Mount Erebus, Antarctica of a DC10 aircraft operated by Air New Zealand Limited 1981”, 150 [377].

HETERODOXIES SOCIETY INC.

RESOLUTION BY WAY OF ENTRY IN THE MINUTE BOOK THIS 1ST DAY OF AUGUST 2021

This Resolutions confirms and ratifies the decisions made at the physical meeting of the Society held **11am Sunday 1 August 2021** at [redacted] by all Members signing below – or via later signature or email confirmation

The Chairperson (John) holds proxies for φ Members and shall sign the Resolutions in their capacity

John provided a comprehensive analysis of the Statement of Claim and related documents ready to be lodged with the High Court of NZ; the International Criminal Court (the Hague, Netherlands) and possibly to a (yet to be formed) Peoples Tribunal / Natural Justice Tribunal of NZ .

John also introduced [redacted] to the Membership and outlined his role to date; and possible role moving forward over the next few months. [redacted] then outlined his ideas in respect to Public Relations and Fundraising for the Campaign ahead.

After full and robust discussion IT IS AGREED THAT:

1. The Notice period as required by the Rules of the Society be waived for this meeting; and all future meetings where 80% of the Membership or more agrees. (NOTE – this constitutes a change of the Rules)
2. [redacted] be appointed Secretary to fill the resignation of [redacted]
3. [redacted] be appointed to act as Interim Treasurer (due to current incapacity of Craig)
4. A working Taskforce be established to expedite with urgency all the facets of the Campaign – being Applications for Hearings; the Hearings themselves; the fundraising for the PR Campaign around the cases; and all ancillary matters. That Taskforce shall comprise all people required as the Taskforce deems necessary with the initial members being:

John as Chairman
[redacted] as Interim Treasurer

[redacted] as Secretary

5. The Taskforce expedite without delay the process of the High Court Hearing; from filing of documents through to the actual Hearing(s).
6. The Taskforce make Application to the International Criminal Court (The Hague, Netherlands); from filing of documents through to the actual Hearing(s).
7. The Taskforce liaise with other groups in NZ and look to bring a case under natural lore/justice against the Defendants using a to-be-formed Peoples Tribunal where lawyers

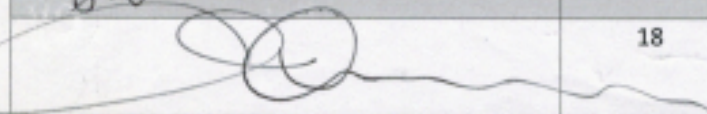

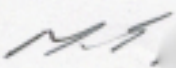
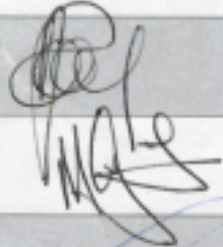
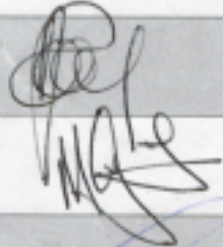
are not involved; and a jury is established to hear the charges brought. This may spill over into Criminal Proceedings as Crimes Against Humanity.

8. A bank account be established with ASB or some other bank of Building Society by the Taskforce requiring two signatories for the payment of funds.
9. The Taskforce shall be expend up to 80% of all funds collected by way of Fundraising in the Public Relations campaign; with the first \$10,000 set aside for costs of the actual Hearing including reimbursements to John, Craig and others for costs to date including travel; registrations; office costs and the like
10. The Taskforce be authorised to employ administration assistance as required; provided funds exist and are set aside to meet the costs of anyone so employed.

11. That John Bevan-Smith be appointed our duly authorised Agent to represent our Society in all proceedings within the NZ judicial system and International Criminal Court

Signed in Agreement of the above Resolutions: (accepted in multi parts)

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