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# International Tum Pai Association



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To: Doug Bailey  
Re: Action of Release  
Action of Non-Recognition

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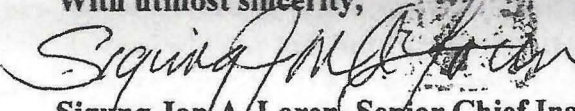
## Formal Release

Please be informed that in accordance with the Northern Tum Pai Association policies and the policies of the International Kajukenbo Association, and the powers vested in me by my superiors, I am releasing you as a teacher and student under, and of, my teachings in the martial art of Kajukenbo Tum Pai ( Tum Pai Gung-Fu ) and its affiliates. Your rank of 3rd Degree stands as earned, in the Kajukenbo system, but will no longer be recognized in the Tum Pai system as a senior rank. Thus breaking the lineage tie between us and the Tum Pai system.

As of this date this Formal Release breaks all ties, association, liabilities and lineage connected with the Tum Pai branch of Kajukenbo and you will no longer be recognized as a student, practitioner or Instructor teaching the principles of Tum Pai Gung-Fu or its advanced system of Yam Foon Jeet Sow Fut. Continued use of the Tum Pai name or Yam Foon Jeet Sow Fut (Night Wind Intercepting Palm), will be a direct violation of the Northern Tum Pai Association Policies and the International Kajukenbo Association policies of Formal Release from any branch.

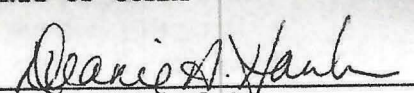
The violations and reasons for this action are, and should be kept attached hereto.

With utmost sincerity,

  
Si Gung Jon A. Loren, Senior Chief Instructor  
Northern Tum Pai Gung-Fu Association  
Yam Foon Jeet Sow Fut Society

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**Release statement and reasons for  
release of student Doug Bailey  
from the Northern Tum Pai Association  
by his Instructor Jon A. Loren**

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I feel that an action of this severity must be well thought through, which I feel that I have done. It should accompany much investigation, and should take into account all people involved, to be sure that it is the right decision and the best decision for all concerned. This I know I have done over the past 2 years and have not taken it lightly. This action was not taken for one reason, but for several reasons. There have been several violations of code, ethical traditions and ethics to policy.

Doug, most people would look at a release of a student by an instructor as drastic action. But I am sure you of all people, will consider it a blessing. This is something you have been trying to get for a long, long time. By being under me, you have felt your hands have been tied, especially when you have felt that you had superior knowledge to your teacher, which you demonstrated repeatedly. Now you have the total freedom to do what you want to do without any nagging connection to me. I realized after reviewing your attitude over the last ten years that you had been deliberately trying to do your own thing. Trying consciously and subconsciously to get me to make a move. The "Horsley/Heuer affair" gave you the perfect opportunity to force what you wanted for a long time. If I had allowed you to walk on me then, you would have kept going one step further - until we would have reached this point eventually anyway.

I have allowed 2 years now to pass since you broke away and wrote me to that note. This has been sufficient time for you to rethink your actions. Even at this point I probably would have never done anything, but you continuously have been critical of your teacher to your students and others. This tells me that you want total separation. This makes sense to me after reviewing your actions for the last 10 years. Not staying up on Tum Pai techniques, its structural requirements or theories to the point that there was less and less resemblance to Tum Pai. Ranking a student to be a Tai Chi teacher when you yourself were just a student teacher - never certified. Then to tell me there was no policy on certification! It took some work, but we finally traced this back to 1977 and not 1980 like I said, of when Tai Chi certification was implemented. It was implemented to avoid the exact problems that you created. Your Tai Chi needed a lot of work but you didn't like to be corrected and now your students look just like you - all the structural problems included. Now the teachers you have made are teaching the same level! You have some great people for students, but in your thirst to be dominate and create





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position, you have sacrificed them. Not only have you given them a terrible example of martial bearing and ethical tradition, but you have shorted them on the art that you said you were teaching. Now, if you had said you were teaching Bailey's Kung-Fu or American Freestyle, at least you wouldn't have been deceptive. What is amazing to me is all the things that you have done and are doing are all the very things you use to condemn in others.

Even at all this, if you had desired, we probably could have kept our connection. But, your continued verbal degradation of me, the one who started you from nothing and made you a teacher, is I guess, proof enough of your intentions. Since you have never tried to iron things out, you leave me no choice but to issue this release. I am convinced more than ever that you are smiling as you read this release.

I think what is the most discouraging for myself is that I trained someone who has shown such disregard for his students. I know, you have rationalized to yourself and to your students that you have done what you've done for their own good. How sad. You are supposedly saying your holding up ethics by your actions when you are really are making an example of demonstrating the utmost disregard for ethical tradition. This is a terrible position to leave your students in, for you break their lineage which is the essence of Gung-Fu. So what have you left them? Nothing but fragmentation, and you. No legitimate way to go higher than 2nd degree, unless you yourself go under another legitimate teacher, or make up rank yourself, or buy it in some way. Looking at your record, and where your head is at, making up rank would seem the viable choice. Everything you use to condemn in others! Putting yourself above others has ultimately been the cause of your demise in the Tum Pai system.



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Like I said, this is a very sad time for me, though this release means nothing to you. My sadness is for your students. This is my last communication with you. I do not wish you ill fortune, on the contrary, I hope you do well, but more so I wish your students well.

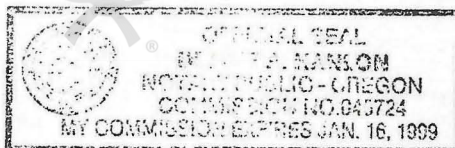
This release is necessary to free you, and to free me from our previous obligation as student and instructor. Now we can both say -"he has nothing to do with me", and get on with life.

With utmost sincerity,

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