

The House of the Veil

Bath, England

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Circular to the Veiled and Witnessed

From the Inner Circle of 'Palakah' (The Keepers)

Since the year 2010, when we, the present Inner Circle of twelve, assumed the solemn duty of supervising the Conclave of Forbidden Magik Inc., from our esteemed predecessor, Mr. Jessop Martinborough, we have striven, in good faith and quiet diligence, to preserve both the venerable traditions and the working customs that he so judiciously set in motion, ever mindful of adherence to The 3 Laws.

As keepers of a lineage whose origins predate the modern Conclave, we remain ever aware that our stewardship is but a chapter in a much longer account. The ways of the Veiled are not of our invention, but of our continuation.

During the years 1979 to 1997, Forbidden Magik served as a discreet refuge, providing mental and personal release for those burdened by unspoken or socially unpalatable acts. Each Offering (a statement, confession, or testament of inner truth) was made in trust, the offeror finding comfort and release in its publication, a small redemption through revelation.

Upon the transition of stewardship in 1997-1998, when Mr. Martinborough, together with his associates, succeeded the, now deceased Mr. Archibald Critchfield of Newbury and Mrs. Mabel Rowlands of Windsor, the scope of Forbidden Magik was thoughtfully broadened. This expansion allowed for a more equitable distribution of donated funds to the Veiled, that is, the membership as described within The Ritual of Veiling. Prior to the turn of the millennium, such disbursements were executed rather spontaneously, at the discretion and good judgement of the Inner Circle.

Since the year 2000, allocations to Veiled members, including all within the Veiled, Witness, Elder, and Inner Circles, have been determined by what the Inner Circle deemed right and just, in accordance with circumstance and contribution.

In recent years, with the welcome participation of the Santi Sangha, the Sanctuary Community at Woodland Hindat, the Inner Circle has refined the existing plan of remuneration. Under this scheme, payments are made in proportion to the activity

and devotion of each Veiled member; whereas before such payments were granted spontaneously, they shall henceforth follow a clear and consistent measure, as detailed below.

The Payout Plan

- 1. New Offerings made during the relevant period of review**
 - 2. Average votes bestowed by others, reflecting the perceived heat or potency of the Offering**
 - 3. Number of votes cast by the member upon the Offerings of others**
 - 4. Advice or guidance offered in response to published Offerings**
 - 5. Number of active introductions resulting in the admission and participation of new members, thereby ensuring the continued vitality of Forbidden Magik.**
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As of this day, the First of November 2025, the above plan shall be administered with exact percentages assigned to each category, ensuring fairness, transparency, and honour among the Veiled. Thus, we affirm that all measures shall proceed in accordance with The 3 Laws, with the blessing of the Keepers and under the gaze of the Inner Light.

Let all who serve beneath the Veil take this as both guidance and assurance that our shared purpose remains undimmed. May discretion be our strength, and service our light.

With every good wish, and in steadfast service to The 3 Laws,

The Inner Circle of Palakah

(The Keepers of the Conclave of Forbidden Magik Inc.)

"In Silence, Light Endures."