

From: thedashmanagement@lindaellis.net

To: [xxxx](#)

Subject: RE: letter

Date: Wed, 10 Jun 2015 14:58:36 -0400

Ms. xxxx,

Thank you for your email and prompt removal of the poem from your website. I do appreciate your position and I am sorry for your loss, however, that does not change the consequences of your actions or excuse the infringement. The Dash is a product, one by which Ms. Ellis makes a living and pays her bills. Please understand our position in that your organization has used this product and distributed it without authorization and without paying applicable licensing fees, thereby causing irreparable and immeasurable damage to her company and her work. It is because of infringements exactly like this that the poem, "The Dash" is wrongfully available. These infringements have required her company to institute a vigorous enforcement policy to protect Ms. Ellis' copyrights. She now must spend her time, money and resources to address the violations of her copyright that have resulted through no fault of her own. Every unauthorized use or printing of "The Dash" perpetuates the infringing and compounds the expense and resources needed for her company to protect the copyright of her most valuable product. We must stand by this copyright policy to protect the value and integrity of Ms. Ellis' work. Just as your organization received it and chose to share it, so will many of those who received it from them. Thus, the cycle continues.

Due to the circumstances you detail in your email we are willing to reduce our offer of settlement from \$5,000.00 to \$2,500.00, which is the cost of the annual online posting license if permission was granted. Attached is a release for your review and executions. Please respond promptly to our offer of settlement to resolve this matter.

Sincerely,

John W. Jolin

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