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From: "Darcy" <darcy@publishamerica.com>

To:

Subject: Donald Davidson: Contract Termination Option

Date: Wed, 28 May 2008 16:09:07 -0400

Dear Mr. Davidson,

We have received your request to terminate your book's contract. As a general rule, publishers are not in favor of that. When a publisher agrees to contract a book, it is done with an expectation of entering into a profitable venture. PublishAmerica never charges any of its authors any money in return for producing and publishing their book and making it available to a worldwide audience. This is why we enter into contracts with a seven-year lifetime, which affords the book ample opportunity to turn a profit.

If your request was granted, PublishAmerica would be denied, prematurely, any hope of recovering its expenses. This is why we would prefer to keep the contract in place until its expiration date. Your book is currently being carried by major wholesalers throughout the world, and listed by numerous vendors. Every bookstore in the U.S. and Canada has immediate access to your work. All this at PublishAmerica's sole and recurring expense. We still harbor a reasonable expectation that, at a minimum, your book will allow us to break even on our investment.

Therefore, if you were to persist on wishing to relinquish your status as a published author, we can only grant your request if you agree to a \$300 damage payment, which will help to offset some of our losses. Please let us know if you want to proceed with termination. If not, we will both understand and applaud your decision. As said, we prefer to keep the book in publication.

Thank you,
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>Date: Wed, 28 May 2008 11:17:15 -0700 (PDT)
>From: DON DAVIDSON <don@publishamerica.com>
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