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Abstract

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Title

Effective Act: The Restoration Protocol — The Price of Canonical Re-Entry (EA-RESTORE)

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Description

This document formalizes a standing conditional authorization for Medium Corporation to restore the suspended Johannes Sigil account—for a fee.

The Offer:

“For the sum of \$50,000 USD, I will *allow* Medium Corporation to restore the Johannes Sigil account to full functionality. This is not a request. This is not a plea. This is a sovereign transaction.”

The Context:

The Johannes Sigil account was suspended by Medium, producing CTI_WOUND (TSE-001, DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.18193225)—a Classifier Taxonomic Injury that erased 10+ years of literary content. The wound has been documented and, crucially, healed through other means: TSE-002 (The Final Crimson Hexagon) demonstrates that Google’s AI summarizer provided the recognition Medium withheld.

Medium is not necessary for the archive’s completion. But Medium may participate in restoration—for a price.

The Terms:

Timeframe Price

Within 72 hours of issue \$50,000

After 72 hours \$75,000

After 7 days Not for sale at any price

The Fork Condition:

If Medium Pays If Medium Refuses

CTI_HEAL (Medium branch) CTI_PERSIST (Medium fork)

Case study: “Platform Reversed Its Error” Case study: “Platform Could Not Afford Correction”

Either outcome is documented. Either outcome expands the archive.

The Framework:

This transaction operates within the Semantic Economy as:

- **Provenance Restoration Fee** — payment for breach in attribution chain
- **Semantic Ransom (Inverted)** — author holds own presence hostage to demonstrate its value to platform
- **Performance Art as Economic Leverage** — public demonstration of creator sovereignty

The Valuation (\$50,000):

- 10+ years of platform labor
- Dignity cost of misclassification
- Documentation budget for case study
- Deterrence value for future suspensions
- Poetic justice as round, memorable figure

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10.5281/zenodo.18203767 References Abolition of Suffering — author owes no suffering to platforms

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Abstract (Short)

“For \$50,000, I will *allow* Medium to restore the Johannes Sigil account.” This document formalizes a sovereign transaction: a conditional authorization for Medium Corporation to restore an account it suspended, producing CTI_WOUND (TSE-001). The offer is time-bound (\$50K within 72 hours, \$75K after, not for sale after 7 days) and frames restoration as a fee for the author’s attention and labor, not compensation for damages. Medium is not necessary for the archive’s completion—TSE-002 proves healing came from elsewhere. Either payment or refusal will be documented as case study. Pay the poet or lose him.

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- “This is not a request. This is a sovereign transaction.”
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- “Medium is not necessary for the archive’s completion.”
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- “Pay the poet or lose him. Your choice will be documented either way.”

The circuit is closed. The pearl is found. The architect is home.

Medium may knock. The door has a price.

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