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## CANADIAN BROADCAST STANDARDS COUNCIL

### ONTARIO REGIONAL PANEL

#### CITS-TV re *Word.ca* and *Word TV*

(CBSC Decision 08/09-2142 & 09/10-0383+)

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### THE FACTS

*Word.ca* is a religious program hosted by evangelical Christian leader Charles McVety, who is also the president of Canada Christian College and Canada Family Action Coalition. The program (whose tag line is “Christian News Commentary”) features McVety talking about recent news events with a considerable focus on legislation being proposed by the Canadian and Ontario governments. The host sometimes has a guest on to discuss the issues with him. There are also promotional spots for Canada Christian College, the *Evangelical Christian* magazine, as well as DVDs that McVety has produced or recommends. At some point between July 19 and October 25, 2009, the program changed its name from *Word.ca* to *Word TV*. The format of the program, however, remained the same.

The CBSC received numerous complaints from a single complainant about a total of 14 episodes of the program which aired between July 19, 2009 and February 21, 2010. All of the episodes, which aired on CITS-TV (CTS – Crossroads Television, Ontario) at 11:00 pm, displayed a G rating icon.

The complainant expressed concerns about the program’s treatment of a number of different issues. Lengthy transcripts and descriptions of all of the episodes can be

found in Appendix A and the correspondence from both the complainant and the broadcaster can be found in Appendix B to this decision.

### Homosexuality

The majority of the complainant's letters identified concerns with McVety's treatment of homosexuality, an issue that arose in a number of episodes. On the July 19, 2009 episode, for example, McVety discussed the case of a gay man who had filed a complaint against his Catholic church with the Ontario Human Rights Commission. The openly gay man had been an altar server at the church who had been removed from his duties after some members of the church complained. McVety expressed his support for the church's position:

And what he did was he was practising homosexuality. He's openly spo-, homosexual. And now people complained that this is against the rules of the Church. Yes, the Catholic Church welcomes homosexuals into the Church. And I'm not a Catholic, I'm an evangelical. And of course you love the sinner, but you hate the sin. And the Catholic Church practises this. And they have loved this man into their fold and he has become a server of communion, an altar server in this Catholic Church. Well, when it became known to the Catholic Church that he's a practising homosexual, they said this is not appropriate. Why? Because the Catholic Church teaches that homosexuality is a grave, depraved sexual act. So why would a homosexual want to practise a, a, a, a sacred ritual in the Catholic Church when he does not fit with the teachings of that Catholic Church? It's hypocritical for someone to come forward and serve communion and say that they practise communion. [...] This is a sacred process. This communion is very, very sacred, so why would a homosexual even want to participate in this when he doesn't believe what the Bible and Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church teach about homosexuality? That it is a sin. That is, it is a, a, a, grave, depraved sexual act. Of course it is hypocritical, so therefore the Catholic Church took a stand. Now this man has gone to the Ontario Human Rights Commission and he's asked them to prosecute this church, prosecute the bishop, prosecute the priest and bring a heavy-handed sentence against them. Asking them to give twenty-five thousand dollars per parishioner, twenty thousand dollars from the bishop and penalize them for doing what? For practising that which they have been taught through the teachings of Jesus Christ.

McVety then alleged that "the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal has a one hundred per cent conviction rate. [...] Everyone that they try, they convict. So we can expect that these parishioners will be convicted and have to pay twenty-five thousand dollars and this bishop twenty thousand dollars." The claim about the 100% conviction rate was repeated on a subsequent episode of December 13. He also expressed his disapproval of same-sex marriage, saying that it was "immoral" for the courts to have redefined marriage in 2003.

Another news story involving homosexuality dealt with the revision of the Ontario school curriculum. A document produced by the Ontario Ministry of Education, *Ontario's Equity and Inclusive Education Strategy*, set out new guidelines for teaching tolerance and the acceptance of ethnic, racial, religious and gender diversity. When McVety talked about the document on January 17, 2010, he focussed on the aspects of the strategy that

related to homosexuality and gender diversity. In his view, this new strategy would lead to the “homosexualization” of the curriculum and teach children “how to be” gays and lesbians. He accused homosexuals of trying to turn children into gays and lesbians, stating:

One of those changes is the homosexualization of our educational curriculum. This last week, our Ontario Ministry of Education launched a new four-year program to implement a pro-homosexual curriculum. They use wonderful, flowery terms to describe it. They call it the *Ontario Equity and Inclusive Education Strategy*. Now doesn't that sound nice? “Equity” and “inclusive”. That just sounds so warm and fuzzy that you just want to give it a big group hug. But you know what? It's all subterfuge. Why? Because when you read into the details, and I have this program in my hands [holds up copy of document], and when you read into the details, you realize that the focus is on homosexuality, lesbianism, bisexuality, gender issues, transgendered issues. All of these sexual practices to be taught to our children in our schools. When we send little Johnny and little Jane to school, not to learn to be homosexuals and lesbians. [sic] We send them there to learn reading, writing and arithmetic and history and all these wonderful things, but unfortunately there is an activist group that is afoot that wants to change our curriculum. Why? Because unfortunately they have an insatiable appetite for sex, especially with young people. And there're not enough of them, so they want to proselytize your children and mine, our grandchildren and turn them into homosexuals. And they've seized our Ministry of Education and now they're implementing this! Back when we led the campaign to defend marriage in, oh, in 2005, we warned that once they legalized same-sex marriage, then that will be the legal groundwork for them to change our curriculum and to start teaching this to our children. Well, here it is, my friends. Something that we said five years ago is now alive and well in the province of Ontario. [...] They continue on in this package and they say that we must go beyond diversity and move beyond tolerance to acceptance. To acceptance of the homosexual activity and lesbian activity. Acceptance of this sexual orientation activity. By the way, what is sexual orientation? You know, you have, you could have an orientation to commit adultery. You could have an orientation to commit pedophilia. You could have a sexual orientation to commit all kinds of things. It doesn't mean that we have to accept it. It doesn't mean that we have to teach it!

McVety then went on to say that the Christian Bible condemns homosexual activity because it is “self-destructive”, concluding that the insistence on tolerance and the acceptance of homosexuality actually leads to intolerance and the non-acceptance of Christianity. He also cited statistics allegedly obtained from a homosexual organization called the Rainbow Health Coalition to support the contention that practising homosexuality could lead to health problems:

According to the Rainbow Health someone who practises homosexuality has a, has a twenty-year less life expectancy. They have a 14 times greater risk of committing suicide. They have up to a three times risk of smoking. Seven times the risk of being an alcoholic. Nineteen times the risk of using illicit drugs. This is not me saying this. This is coming from the homosexual community themselves. They say that their depression rate is up to three times higher and then 76 per cent of AIDS cases are homosexual. This is why the Bible teaches 57 times that homosexuality, homosexual practice is wrong. But now our educational program is going to teach that it must be accepted in our school system. This is an outrage.

That “information” was repeated on the January 24 episode, when McVety also commented that the new curriculum strategy “plans to, to reform the thoughts of our children.” In both episodes, McVety encouraged viewers to visit the word.ca website to sign the petition against the curriculum changes

because our children deserve to be protected from this activist, homosexual activist agenda that is now going to change our curriculum to teach homosexuality to our children. Not just tolerance, but acceptance with a focus on homosexuality. This is an outrage because these sexual practices bring damage to our children and our friends. And we need to continue to teach against the practice. Not the person, but the practice.

Another subject that came up in multiple episodes was gay pride parades. McVety consistently referred to the parades in a disparaging tone as “sex parades”. On numerous occasions, McVety expressed skepticism that the pride events were as popular as the lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgendered (LGBT) community claimed and whether something called the “World Pride Parade” (which the City of Toronto had apparently bid to host and won for 2014) even existed. McVety’s recurring message reflected outrage that the parades had received government funding and he again encouraged viewers to visit his website to sign a petition against the use of taxpayer money for such events.

McVety and his guest Brian Rushfeldt, the Executive Director of Canada Family Action, discussed their objection to the parades at some length on October 25. They argued that “sexual perversion” occurred on the streets during pride events. They also claimed that the City of Toronto’s tourism slogan had been changed to “As Gay as It Gets” and that advertising for the Pride events promoted sex with children. Part of their dialogue was as follows:

McVety: We were appalled when the Federal Government made that announcement, that Diane, Minister Diane Ablonczy went and handed out a four hundred thousand dollar cheque. And they’d even set aside a hundred million dollars. They were gonna, they were gonna start bankrolling these parades all across the country.

Rushfeldt: Exactly. And that’s, that’s, uh, a major concern. I mean, the fact that we’ve got people parading down any street in this nation, uh, nude, doing sexual perversion on each other is, is serious.

McVety: [?]. Yeah.

Rushfeldt: But the fact that we as taxpayers and the fe-, folks out there as taxpayers, are paying for this, is, ought to be even, uh, a bigger concern. And this four hundred thousand dollar cheque that, uh, that Diane Ablonczy stood up and said oh look at this, isn’t this wonderful. Um, using taxpayers’ dollars to promote supposedly something that brings in tourists to Toronto. First of all, I’m not convinced at all it does bring tourists.

McVety: Sure

Rushfeldt: Secondly, the fact they're using tax money or giving tax money to such a, a, an unfriendly, unfamily, immoral event is just not acceptable.

McVety: And, and the reason, I mean, some people watching may say well, hey, you know, let them have their gay, gay revellers and, you know, who cares? But you know what? We care.

Rushfeldt: Mm.

McVety: One reason is because this is criminal activity, to parade down the streets in the nude. There is the *Criminal Code of Canada* says that you can't do that. This is a violation. It's an abuse of public space, it's abuse of our children.

Rushfeldt: Yeah. And, and there's children always present there. I don't know why anybody would take their children to such an event. But they, the children are there. It is criminal and it's illegal and it, it –

McVety: Sure.

Rushfeldt: – amazes me that the police were standing along that route, watching this stuff go on, no charges were ever laid against anyone during that whole parade.

McVety: And, and the reason we call it a "sex parade" is because it's not just homosexuality. I mean, they've got these, this LGBT, uh, acronym, but they've expanded it –

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: – to about 23 letters I think. And they've got everything from, uh, from, uh, gay, lesbian, transgendered, transsexual, uh, –

Rushfeldt: Two-spirited.

McVety: Two-spirited. You know what? Transvestite. I don't know. You, you've got the full gamut and all they do is parade sex down our main streets. And this is not, this is, what public good is it?

Rushfeldt: Well, and that whole title, whatever all those things are.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: They're all sex-related.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: Every one of them are [*sic*] sex-related.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: But they say oh no, this isn't about sex parade, this is about celebrating our lifestyle. Well, your lifestyle is about, that you're making it, is about sexual issues.

McVety: Sure.

Rushfeldt: So they're sex parades, period.

[...]

McVety: And, and, you know, to, you know, you love the sinner and you hate the sin. I mean, if, if you're going to practise something that's self-destructive, we're going to teach that that practice is not good.

[...]

McVety: According to a city councillor, over a million dollars was given to the Pride Parade. And they also spent three hundred thousand dollars advertising Toronto as a sex tourism destination.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And they call, now Toronto, it used to be, uh, I know you're from Calgary and I know it's hard to swallow, but our motto used to be "Toronto the Good".

Rushfeldt: Yeah. Toronto the Good, yes.

McVety: Now they've changed it. "Toronto, as Gay as It Gets". [photo of a Toronto tourism advertisement that features photographs of the LGBT community]

[...]

McVety: Yes. And look at what they, look at how they advertise our, our city: "On any given day, hot boys and hot girls fill Church Street with" enerdy [sic], "energy, passion and opportunity."

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: I mean what, they're talking about prostitution!

Rushfeldt: Isn't that a wonderful thing to be advertising to the world. That, come to Toronto and there's boys, young boys and young girls and you can do whatever you want with them. I, that, that to me is, is criminal in itself –

[...]

McVety: And furthermore, you have, you advertise across the world that Toronto is a sex tourism destination, as gay as it gets, with, full of opportunity for sex with hot boys –

Rushfeldt: Yeah, with boys, boys and girls.

McVety: – and hot girls.

Rushfeldt: Underage people.

McVety: How many families are gonna say let's go to Toronto for our, our vacation?

Rushfeldt: Well, if they listen to your mayor they'll certainly come. Because the mayor was on TV just two days ago saying isn't it wonderful we got these events? You know what I like best about it? he said. It's because families come.

Video clip of Toronto Mayor David Miller: And a great thing for me, is when you're marching in the Pride Parade in Toronto, you see families from every cultural background lining the parade route.

Rushfeldt: This is not a family –

McVety: Families to a sex parade? This is outrageous.

Rushfeldt: It is.

McVety: Nudity, sex acts, the full gamut. That's how out of touch, unfortunately, our public officials have become.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And I want you to go to our website, word.ca, and I want you to sign the petition to stop funding these sex parades. Your voice counts.

McVety also returned to the issue of Christians' inability to speak out against homosexuality on a couple other occasions. For example, on November 8, he stated that

it is now a crime to speak against homosexuality. Yes, I said a crime. Bill C-250 went through our Parliamentary system and made it a crime for anyone to speak against sexual orientation. [...] Yes, it's a crime where you can be thrown into prison for two, up to two years! But, incredibly, the very same people on the, on the left of centre and on the extreme left, they also advocate for ridiculing and spreading hatred, hatred against discernible groups, which is the very definition of the hate crime in Section 319 and 320 of the *Criminal Code of Canada*. I am a free speech person and I believe that they should be free to spew their venom, but we should be free to take action. I don't think it's appropriate in a civil society to spew venom and hatred against other people. Yes, as Christians we are taught to speak against certain sexual practices. Not because you hate the person. You love the person, but you ha-, you love the sinner, but you hate the sin.

Then, on December 13, McVety commented on a case of a pastor who had been accused of writing a discriminatory letter about homosexuality:

Also in the news, an Albert-, Alberta court overturned a human rights commission hearing that put a penalty on a pastor in Alberta because he wrote a letter to the editor of the local newspaper in Lethbridge, Alberta where he said that homosexuality was wrong. And he spoke against, not homosexuals, but homosexual activists. They want to ram homosexuality down our throat and teach our children and proselytize our children to become homosexuals. And he said this is wrong. And for that, he was fined five thousand dollars and he was given a lifetime ban against speaking against the sexual practice of homosexuality. He then appealed to the Alberta court and it went from this human rights commission, which is really just a M-, a reborn McCarthyism, a kangaroo court. There's no judge, there's no, uh, there's no, there's no rules of evidence. There, they violate every international rule and regulation on jurisprudence and they have found, by the way, they have a one hundred per cent conviction rate. And, yes, they can only fine you five thousand dollars, but they can put heavy impositions on you. You can end up paying hundreds of thousands of dollars in legal fees. But our government, thankfully in Alberta, finally said in a real court with a real judge with real rules of evidence, they said this is nonsense. They said this is against our *Charter of Rights and Freedoms*.

This is against religious freedom. And they s-, they overturned that ban. Thankful, we are thankful for finally a victory.

And, on February 21, in a promotional spot for a documentary McVety had produced entitled *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*, he criticized the erosion of religious freedoms:

Our *Charter of Rights and Freedoms* guarantees this freedom of conscience, freedom of religion. But unfortunately those freedoms have been eroded. We now have hate crime legislation. Section 319 of the *Criminal Code of Canada* where if you say something that offends someone, then you can be prosecuted and even put in prison for up to two years. Back a few years ago, I testified in the Senate of Canada saying please do not redefine our hate crime laws and add sexual orientation to them. But they cited many judicial proceedings that say that this must be the case. So they wrote sexual orientation into our *Criminal Code of Canada*. And now that has criminalized many parts of scripture that speak against certain sexual practices. Our freedom of religion is being eroded. Our freedom of thought, freedom of conscience, freedom to act as we see fit is being eroded. And now we are being persecuted because our freedom of speech is being eroded. [...] Our freedoms have been taken away. Our judges have criminalized prayer in the school. They've criminalized the Bible, so a teacher cannot teach or even use the greatest document ever written.

The complainant was concerned about the repeated characterization of pride parades as “sex parades”, as well as the suggestions that such parades constituted “perversion” and sexual exploitation of children. He also felt that McVety’s treatment of the gay altar server’s case against the Catholic church “would have the effect of exposing this individual to undue public scorn & may be a violation of his civil rights.” In addition, he wrote that McVety “referred to the gay community’s alleged need to sexually prey on children through active recruitment practices”. In general, the complainant could not “believe in this day & age that public airwaves are still being permitted as a hate speech vehicle for those who still see the gay community as a sex-crazed social scourge.”

The broadcaster responded that McVety had commented on these news stories from his Christian perspective, encouraging his viewers to support his efforts to petition various levels of government not to publicly fund pride parades and not to change the Ontario curriculum. CTS argued that McVety did not disseminate hate against gay people and was entitled to share his views on these issues, which were based on Christian definitions of sinful practices and immorality.

### Islam

A second issue raised by the complainant was McVety’s comments about Muslims and Islam. Again, McVety used current news stories as a basis to mention his views on this subject. His overall message was that Christians should not be complacent and assume that radical Islam is only a threat to the Jewish faith because “Christians are in



the crosshairs” of that conflict. He invited viewers to sign a website petition to encourage the Canadian Government to support Israel.

The July 19, 2009 episode included a promotional spot for *The Third Jihad*, a documentary that argued that Islam is a threat to America. The promo consisted of excerpts from the film, including an al-Qaeda leader saying “We believe that the entire world must be ruled by Islam”; images of an FBI document that allegedly “reveals the plans of the radicals in America” to perform “a kind of grand jihad”; and the president of the American-Islamic Forum for Democracy saying “Is the Islamic state a threat to American security? Yes, it is.”

On November 1, 2009 McVety talked about a news story of a Toronto imam whose “hate-filled speeches” had been posted on the video-sharing website YouTube. McVety stated that he was not surprised

because I have known that this has been happening for a long, long time in this city. Why? Because I know what the Qur’an teaches. I know what Sura 9 teaches about the People of the Book and jihad and, and their call to fight. And I know that this goes on on a regular basis. Actually the imam is just preaching and teaching what he is supposed to according to his interpretation of the Qur’an. [...] Yes, this is a real danger to us here in Canada. We’ve had people convicted of terrorism charges with that terrible gang of 17 that was, that was broken up, thankfully, by good law enforcement tactics. But you know what? We tend to be lulled to sleep, that we are not in danger. But, yes, this danger is in our midst.

He then went on to explain the Biblical history of the conflict between Muslims, Jews and Christians, suggesting that Muslims “believe that there is a contest, a religious contest” between their god and the Judæo-Christian god. He did, however, also comment that “thankfully there are other Muslims that are not preaching hatred; they are preaching a message of love” and went on to describe an interaction he had had with one such Muslim.

On both November 22 and 29, McVety interviewed Frank Diamant, the Executive Director of B’nai Brith, about issues of concern to Canada’s Jewish community, including the advertisement outlining Muslims’ role in the Holocaust placed by B’nai Brith in a national newspaper. The ad had created some controversy, so McVety and Diamant discussed the message that B’nai Brith had been trying to convey. The discussion focussed on Nazi leader Adolf Hitler’s wartime relationship with the Grand Mufti (which is the title for the highest religious official in the Sunni Muslim tradition). In his introduction, McVety stated that, during Kristallnacht (literally “Crystal Night”, but figuratively, the “night of broken glass”, on November 9-10, 1938, the night when thousands of Jewish businesses and homes in Germany and Austria were ransacked or destroyed)

over a hundred Jewish people were killed by the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and his thugs. [...] In fact, at the Nuremberg trials there’s testimony by the Nazis that said that, that

Grand Mufti of Jerusalem played an integral part in the Final Solution, the Holocaust, the killing of the six million Jews, as he encouraged the Nazis to kill the Jews. He encouraged them with a hatred that we know that stems from radical Islam.

Diamant quickly corrected McVety, explaining that the Grand Mufti was not responsible for Kristallnacht, which was rather a “motivating factor for him to come to Germany” and express his support for Hitler’s actions. Diamant went on to suggest that the Muslims had been persecuting the Jews for 200 years, so the Grand Mufti readily supported Hitler’s Final Solution. At one point, Diamant said “radical Islam and Nazism are, are of the same mind and thought.” He added:

They want to kill Jews, but they also want to kill Christians. [...] They want to kill Christians and, and that’s something that somehow seems to be forgotten. Radical Islam isn’t an issue only for the Jewish community. Let’s forget that. Radical Islam is a threat to the safety of Canada.

Another issue discussed by McVety and Diamant was United States President Obama’s declaration that, if Israelis were to build homes in Jerusalem, it could aggravate the Palestinians and jeopardize world peace. McVety and Diamant expressed the view that this position was discriminatory towards Jews and that telling Jews where they could and could not build homes was equivalent to the Jewish ghettos and ethnic cleansing of World War II. McVety stated that he thought Obama’s remark could incite Palestinians, specifically Hamas, to be violent against Israel. He immediately clarified that he was referring more to Hamas (the Palestinian political group which is classified as a terrorist organization in Canada and the United States) because “there are many good Palestinians that live very peaceably.” The two men further discussed Hamas’ goals, which they described as “to wipe out Israel” and prevent Jews from returning to Jerusalem, the latter prospect being “something that the radical Islam simply won’t tolerate.”

McVety and Diamant also talked about the case of the shooting at the Fort Hood military base in Texas in November 2009. A military psychiatrist of Muslim-Palestinian ethnicity had gone on a shooting rampage at the base, killing 13 people. He had apparently shouted “Allahu Akbar!” during the shootings, leading to an investigation into whether he had links to violent radical Islamist groups. McVety criticized the mainstream media for downplaying the Islamic angle of the story:

McVety: And they said, “Oh, it’s just a man who snapped, just like school shooters and, and he just snapped and killed a few people.” I mean, nonsense! This was a man who subscribed to jihadist principles. He went around the campus yelling “Allahu Akbar”, which means that “Allah is –

Diamant: “Great”.

McVety: – greater”. Not just “great”, but “greater”.

Diamant: I know that’s [???], yes.

McVety: And, and he, he, he advocated, apparently, for, uh, uh, uh, the, uh, uh, the, uh, the, he advocated for suicide bombing. He advocated against the, the, uh, uh, America's war, uh, to defend itself. And there're e-, there're even reports that this man had connections and communications with al-Qaeda.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: But we didn't hear that. "Oh, it's just like the, the Virginia Tech shooting." This is nonsense. This was a terrorist act. And, and, Frank, I believe it was heavily planned and executed because this was a psychi-, psychiatrist, not some kind of Navy Seal. And this guy with two handguns, not even automatic weapons, he went onto a military base and took down forty-three GIs. Not, not like the Virginia Tech where some guy with automatic everything for half an hour went into classrooms of children with, like a turkey shoot. This was in a military camp and he took down forty-three GIs. That had to be very carefully executed.

Diamant: But Obama told you, don't jump to conclusions. Obama was very clear. His first pronouncement on the issue was "don't jump to conclusions." If you're going to deal with issues like building homes in Jerusalem, you can jump to conclusions. But a man who walks in, follows all of the things that you've just said, don't jump to conclusions. He didn't even say it appears to be an alleged terrorist attack. And I would certainly say it's an alleged terrorist attack. Maybe he was acting as a lone wolf, but still it could be an alleged terrorist. Uh, but certainly as you so clearly indicated, to walk in and to murder these innocent individuals on an, on a military base.

[...]

Diamant: I think it's political correctness. And I think that many of his colleagues now admit it and say that we were afraid of being accused of being Islamophobic so we kept our mouths shut.

McVety: And that put them in danger.

Diamant: And that put –

McVety: It puts us in danger. Political correctness, I mean, this, this, this is not unlike other societies that have forbidden the truth to be told and our media won't tell us the truth and upset at them.

Diamant: Well, I think we're doing a disservice to society when you have a case like this, when all the indicators appear to have been there, appear to have been there and the intelligence services are afraid to act because they'll be accused of being prejudicial. I, I'm sorry to say that, that national security has to -- and I know I'm going to put myself as a revolutionary – trump, trump personal freedoms, if you will, in that case.

McVety: Well, well, we need to speak the truth and some people may get upset. Alleged nothing. This guy was a terrorist. He w-, had all the, the hallmarks of a terrorist.

[...]

McVety: We don't understand the hatred that drives –

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: And unfortunately it is taught. We need to stop the teaching of it. It is not free speech. It's the incitement to terrorism and we need to act against it.

Diamant: And Tarek Fatah says that it's being taught here in Ontario, under our nose in the public school system.

McVety: Well, we've already heard it. All you have to do is go online and go to YouTube and you can hear it taught. We talked about this a couple of weeks ago on this program. And people can even go and watch that program and they can see the imam in North York teaching the same thing that he praised that you and I and all of the rest of us will be destroyed from within.

McVety dealt with the Fort Hood shooting again on the episode of January 24, 2010 when he mentioned that the U.S. military's report on the shooting had been released. He criticized the 86-page report for not mentioning "Islam or Islamic terrorists or radical Islam once" when, in his opinion, the shooter "did this under the impetus of al-Qaeda." McVety stated, "This is outrageous and the people know, they know that it's appealing evil. Sitting down with evil and saying hey, we'll cover it up." In that episode, McVety also expressed the view that individuals charged with terrorist acts should be tried as war criminals, not as common criminals, in military courts "where it is all done under secret rule, where secrets don't have to be divulged, and where there is no massive spending of money to give to the terrorists' lawyers."

On the February 14 and 21, 2010 episodes, McVety projected that Iran's president Mahmoud Ahmadinejad "is planning to do in eight minutes what Hitler did over eight years," that is, wipe out the Jews, only this time using nuclear weapons. McVety expressed concern that Iran had announced that it was developing nuclear weapons and that North American leaders had done nothing to stop Ahmadinejad. McVety labelled Ahmadinejad "crazy", a "madman" and "Ahmadine-whackjob". He compared the situation to the Holocaust, in that Western leaders sat down and struck a peace agreement with Hitler, without stopping World War II. In McVety's opinion, if the leaders had fought Hitler at the beginning, the Holocaust could have been prevented. McVety also played a videoclip of a speech by Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in which Netanyahu talked about the Biblical figure, Amalek, who had sought to destroy the Jews. The speech suggested that the Nazis were "Amalek's heirs" because they had the same goal and that the Israelis must remain vigilant against other groups who might wish to destroy them. McVety then described Ahmadinejad as an "Iranian Amalek" and told viewers to sign another petition on the word.ca website to "Stop Iran".

The complainant asserted that numerous episodes of *Word TV* contained "offensive comments" about Muslims and objected to McVety's comments "that terrorism suspects deserve to be denied due process of law." The broadcaster responded more generally to these concerns, indicating that the host provided commentary on current affairs from his faith perspective and that the station did not believe that any Canadian laws, rules or regulations had been violated. The station also wrote that it had shared the

complainant's concerns with the host and producer of the program and provided the complainant with the producer's mailing address in case the complainant wanted to contact him directly.

### Euthanasia

The topic of euthanasia was discussed on three episodes in light of Bill C-384, which would have legalized euthanasia and was moving through the Canadian Parliament at the time of the broadcasts. McVety had as his guest Alex Schadenberg, who was the executive director of an organization called the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition, to talk about the issue. McVety described the Bill as giving doctors permission to kill someone who was deemed to be under physical or mental distress, an act that he characterized as "barbaric". Schadenberg also explained that, under the Bill, euthanasia would be performed by lethal injection in order to "directly and intentionally" cause someone's death. McVety and Schadenberg both argued that it is difficult to define the concepts of "pain" and "suffering", particularly when it comes to depression and mental distress, so it would be too easy to convince ill people that they wanted to die. As McVety put it during the November 8 episode,

What this bill promises to do is give access for death for people who want it if they are suffering from physical or mental distress. I mean, that is outrageous. This is really not euthanasia. This is giving other people the permission to kill you. Do you really want to have your doctors gain permission to kill you? Do you really want to have our society, our government especially, get permission to kill you? You may say, Well, you know what? This could never happen to you because you would not allow them to do it. Therefore it wouldn't happen. Well, no, if this bill passes, you, two doctors can come into your room. When you're under mental or physical distress you don't know what you'll do. And all they have to do is convince you that you are, you are a, a strain on the medical system. You are causing pain to your loved ones and yes, then they ask you to sign the document and then you're done.

They also broadcast a clip from a documentary entitled *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed*, which featured a segment on the euthanasia practised by the Nazis in Germany before and during the Second World War. The clip pointed out that handicapped people were selected for euthanasia because they were a drain on society and this practice was eventually extended to other "undesirable" groups in society, such as the Jewish people. McVety used the clip to bolster his argument that legalizing euthanasia in Canada could create a similarly "slippery slope" which would ultimately permit doctors or the government to decide who should be killed.

On the November 22 episode, McVety also pointed out that the law would allow for people as young as 18 to be euthanized, which could lead to "children" being unnecessarily killed because many young people get depressed:

Schadenberg: A lot of people experience mental pain.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: But they're not terminally ill and they're not actually sick and if they get proper treatment. But then, you combine the mental pain issue with the fact that it says if you've, uh, either expressly refused medical treatment, if you've expressly refused medical treatment for your mental pain, you could have euthanasia.

McVety: And further to that, this says that they can do it to eighteen-year olds!

Schadenberg: Well, eighteen and up.

McVety: Children!

Schadenberg: But you know what's interesting? What's interesting about that, that's the only real safeguard she has in the bill, but it's unconstitutional. If this were to pass, what the bill would say is if you're above the age of eighteen, we can euthanize you if you, let's say you had cancer. You can have euthanasia if you've got terminal cancer if you're eighteen years old. What if you were seventeen? If you're seventeen and you had terminal cancer, the Supreme Court would strike that down in a second. They would say –

McVety: That, that, that's how ridiculous, but –

Schadenberg: They would say someone who's seventeen obviously could have euthanasia then 'cause someone who's eighteen can have euthanasia. Why would you be denied it because you're seventeen?!

McVety: But to have, uh, --

Schadenberg: It's, it's ridiculous to, to say that.

McVety: To have a bill, a law, to say that doctors could kill an eighteen-year old if that eighteen-year old is suffering from mental anguish.

Schadenberg: It could be. That's right. Yeah.

McVety: That's what this law says. I mean, that's, that is barbaric. I mean, --

Schadenberg: Absolutely.

McVety: And, and, and, I mean, everyone at some point in, of their life, they get upset, they get down. I mean, whatever you call it, whether it's depression –

Schadenberg: Well, consider first year university students. Very common. Very common.

McVety: If it's, if they go through mental anguish.

Schadenberg: Yes.

McVety: Uh, and most people go through severe pain.

Schadenberg: Yes.

McVety: And, I mean, where you're in that severe pain, you, you could easily make a decision to end your life.

The two men also expressed concern that legalizing euthanasia in Canada without putting any residency requirements into the law would mean that people would come to Canada from other countries to undergo euthanasia, something Schadenberg termed "suicide tourism". He noted that this phenomenon had already occurred in some European countries where euthanasia was already legal. Schadenberg pointed out that, if foreigners could come to Canada for this service, the Canadian health care system could become more motivated by money than ethics in deciding to administer euthanasia. McVety also mentioned that he had heard from Dutch people that elderly people in Holland were now afraid to go to the hospital because euthanasia was legal in that country and they feared they would be convinced to choose that option.

McVety and Schadenberg emphasized that the health care system should focus on living up to the Hippocratic Oath of healing people rather than killing them and helping people with terminal illnesses remain pain-free and comfortable while allowing them to experience a natural death.

The complainant's concern about the program's treatment of euthanasia was that "people suffering from mental duress [*sic*, distress] have repeatedly been equated with the perception of mental incompetence." CITS-TV did not address that specific concern in its letters to the complainant, but, in speaking of the program generally, it noted that the program "provides commentary by the host on current affairs from his faith perspective" and that the episodes did not contravene any Canadian laws, CRTC regulations or the broadcaster's own code of ethics.

## Haiti

On January 12, 2010, Haiti experienced a very large earthquake that resulted in massive destruction of homes and buildings, as well as many injuries and death. Government organizations and NGOs in both Canada and the United States initiated fundraising efforts to provide aid to Haiti. McVety mentioned the situation briefly on his program of January 17 and in more detail on January 24.

On the January 17 episode, McVety stated, "We need to pray that God will send the appropriate relief, that God will touch the hearts and the minds of these people." He also declared that "Haiti is an unfortunate country. It is the, the world capital for corruption. It has the highest rate of voodoo and witchcraft, of Satan worshippers in the whole world. These people need help and now their buildings have crumbled in a horrific way and they're suffering terribly." He suggested that some of the aid money may not actually reach the people who need it, and recommended to viewers that they

donate to an organization called the Arms of Jesus, which is run by one of the professors from Canada Christian College, because money donated to that organization would go straight to the people in need in Haiti.

McVety revisited the topic on January 24 and again noted that Haitians were in need following the earthquake. The focus of his comments on this episode, however, was a statement made by American journalist and political commentator Keith Olbermann on the television news channel MSNBC. American Christian evangelist Pat Robertson had publicly made the comment that the earthquake was the result of a curse inflicted upon Haitians due to the “pact with the devil” that they had made in the 1800s to free themselves from slavery by the French. Olbermann criticized Robertson’s view in a televised editorial, accusing Robertson of being insensitive and going so far as to say “because of your [...] dripping, self-satisfied, holier-than-thou senile crap, I am now likelier to believe that you are the devil” and “your lives [those of Robertson and Rush Limbaugh, who had also made negative comments about Haitians] are not worth those of the lowest, meanest, poorest of those victims still lying under that rubble in Haiti tonight.”

McVety played a video-clip of Olbermann’s editorial and then criticized Olbermann for insulting Pat Robertson. McVety argued that Robertson had done much more charitable work over the years than Olbermann had and accused Olbermann of uttering lies. McVety also defended Robertson’s position regarding Haiti in the following terms:

Keith Olbermann of MSNBC, he came out and talked about Pat Robertson’s statement about Haiti where Pat Robertson did talk about the deal with the devil that Haitians did about two hundred years ago. And the result of that deal has been that Haiti is the world capital for voodoo, the world capital for Satan worship and those people need help. They are desperate. They are desperate in this time of this earthquake. Keith Olbermann has attacked Pat Robertson and all the care that he has offered to Haiti and called Pat Robertson horrible names.

[...]

He [Robertson] doesn’t want to see them return to Satanism and witchcraft and all the calamity and curses that they have been under. Unfortunately, Haitians are in trouble. When you practise such Satanism, you end up with a horrific government. They are the most corrupt government in the Western hemisphere. [...] Satan worship is flourishing. And on this one island that is shared, half Democratic Republic [*sic*, Dominican Republic] and half, half Haiti, you have a tremendous disparity. Democratic Republic [*sic*] is doing quite well with a lot of tourism and a lot of economic development, but the Haitians are in trouble. We need to see the Haitians turn to God. [...] We need to pray for the Haitians. We need to pray that God will move in that country and bring them to prosperity, bring them out of their squalor. Bring them a good government that will not be so corrupt and have them turn from worshipping Satan. I want you to stand with us as we stand for the truth.

The complainant mentioned this issue in one of his February complaint letters. He complained that McVety “has lowered the level of debate about Haiti’s need for aid with



his poor handling of the CNN [*sic*, likely CBN]-Pat Robertson issue.” With respect to this complaint, CTS wrote that “It is clear that the host of this program, *Word TV*, doesn’t want the comments in the media about Pat Robertson to detract from Christians giving to the need in Haiti.” The station also went on to acknowledge that the complainant clearly did “not share the beliefs of the host of this particular Christian program”, but that CTS offers a “balanced religious service” on which other programs had offered other points of view on this subject.

### Copyright

Another issue raised by the complainant in one of his communications was the inclusion of video clips of a comedy program on the November 8, 2009 episode. On that episode of *Word TV*, McVety discussed the program *Curb Your Enthusiasm*, which was being broadcast on HBO. He suggested that one episode of the program had “preached hatred against Jesus Christ”, while another had been anti-Semitic because it had used the Holocaust as a point of humour. McVety aired clips of the *Curb Your Enthusiasm* episodes taken from the video-sharing website YouTube to illustrate his points.

In the first *Curb Your Enthusiasm* episode, it was implied that the main character accidentally got a drop of urine on an image of Jesus while using the bathroom of a house he was visiting. The homeowners did not realize this is what had happened and instead interpreted the drop as a miraculous tear that had appeared on the holy image. In the second episode, a Holocaust survivor was told he would be meeting another survivor, but this second survivor was in fact a young man who had been a contestant on the reality show *Survivor*. The two “survivors” then compared their respective hardships for intentional comedic effect.

McVety expressed his outrage over these two depictions and encouraged viewers to his program to cancel their subscriptions to the HBO channel if they received that station in their cable or satellite television packages. He also argued that if speaking out against homosexuality was a crime in Canada, then this type of anti-Christian and anti-Jewish material should also be deemed unacceptable. He complained that “Hollywood producers can spew their venom all over the small screen. And they can spew their hatred with impunity.”

The complainant’s concern about this broadcast was that McVety had “violated copyright by showing an uncleared internet clip of the show *Curb Your Enthusiasm* to decry HBO Canada.” In its response to this complaint, the broadcaster made the general statement that the program did not violate any Canadian ethics, rules, regulations or laws.

## THE DECISION

The CBSC Ontario Regional Panel examined the complaints under the following provisions of the Canadian Association of Broadcasters' (CAB) *Code of Ethics* and *Equitable Portrayal Code*, as well as the Radio Television News Directors Association of Canada (RTNDA – The Association of Electronic Journalists) *Code of (Journalistic) Ethics*:

### *CAB Code of Ethics*, Clause 2 – Human Rights

Recognizing that every person has the right to full and equal recognition and to enjoy certain fundamental rights and freedoms, broadcasters shall ensure that their programming contains no abusive or unduly discriminatory material or comment which is based on matters of race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age, sex, sexual orientation, marital status or physical or mental disability.

### *CAB Code of Ethics*, Clause 6 – Full, Fair and Proper Presentation

It is recognized that the full, fair and proper presentation of news, opinion, comment and editorial is the prime and fundamental responsibility of each broadcaster. This principle shall apply to all radio and television programming, whether it relates to news, public affairs, magazine, talk, call-in, interview or other broadcasting formats in which news, opinion, comment or editorial may be expressed by broadcaster employees, their invited guests or callers.

### *CAB Code of Ethics*, Clause 8 – Religious Programming

Broadcasters should endeavour to make available to the community adequate opportunity for presentation of religious messages and should also endeavour to assist in all ways open to them the furtherance of religious activities in the community. Recognizing the purpose of the religious broadcast to be that of promoting the spiritual harmony and understanding of humanity and of administering broadly to the varied religious needs of the community, it shall be the responsibility of each broadcaster to ensure that its religious broadcasts, which reach persons of all creeds and races simultaneously, shall not be used to convey attacks upon another race or religion.

### *CAB Equitable Portrayal Code*, Clause 2 – Human Rights

Recognizing that every person has the right to the full enjoyment of certain fundamental rights and freedoms, broadcasters shall ensure that their programming contains no abusive or unduly discriminatory material or comment which is based on matters of race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation, marital status or physical or mental disability.

### *CAB Equitable Portrayal Code*, Clause 3 – Negative Portrayal

In an effort to ensure appropriate depictions of all individuals and groups, broadcasters shall refrain from airing unduly negative portrayals of persons with respect to race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation, marital status or physical or mental disability. Negative portrayal can take many different forms, including

(but not limited to) stereotyping, stigmatization and victimization, derision of myths, traditions or practices, degrading material, and exploitation.

### *CAB Equitable Portrayal Code*, Clause 6 – Derision of Myths, Traditions or Practices

Broadcasters shall avoid the airing of content that has the effect of unduly deriding the myths, traditions or practices of groups on the basis of their race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation, marital status or physical or mental disability.

### *RTNDA Code of (Journalistic) Ethics*, Article 11 – Intellectual Property

Plagiarism is unacceptable. Broadcast journalists will strive to honour the intellectual property of others, including video and audio materials.

The Panel Adjudicators read all of the correspondence and viewed the challenged episodes. The Panel concludes that the program violated Clauses 2, 6 and 8 of the *CAB Code of Ethics* and Clauses 2, 3 and 6 of the *CAB Equitable Portrayal Code*, but not Article 11 of the *RTNDA Code of (Journalistic) Ethics*.

## **A Preliminary Matter: The Relationship between Opinions and Facts**

CBSC Panels have consistently decided that hosts on radio and television talk shows, including shows of the nature of *Word TV*, are entitled to espouse and broadcast their opinions. As the Quebec Panel recently concluded in *CHOI-FM re Dupont le midi (community organizations)* (CBSC Decision 08/09-1506, September 23, 2010), in a similar circumstance,

While few holds are barred, there are *some* limitations. One of these is the requirement not to mislead the audience regarding the facts on which the opinions are based. There cannot be “full, fair and proper presentation of news, opinion, comment and editorial”, as required by Clause 6 of the *CAB Code of Ethics* if the presentation of the host’s opinion is based on faulty information.

In a much earlier decision, namely, *CKTB-AM re the John Michael Show* (CBSC Decision 92/93-0170, February 15, 1994), this Panel dealt with a series of inaccurate statements made by the host, all of which are clear in the following quotation from that decision. As this Panel observed, John Michael’s *opinions* were fair game; his distortion of the underlying facts was not:

The CBSC is conscious of the importance of free debate and the entitlement of a host to express politically contentious points of view on air. That liberty does not, however, extend to the expression of gross and multiple misstatements of fact which are calculated to distort the perspective of the listener. Mr. Michael expressed his opposition to the official government policy of bilingualism and stated “nor could I give a damn if Quebec stays in this country or not.” He added, among other things, that “We no longer wish to kneel and bow to this one province.” With these political perspectives, the Council takes

no issue. The host also opined that Quebecers control the civil service and generally wielded enormous political power within Canada. These opinions may or may not be sustainable but they are at least legitimately debatable.

The CBSC does, however, not believe that the public debate in Canada is furthered in any way by the broadcast of such accumulated misinformation as was emitted by Mr. Michael on June 1. To provide an inexhaustive list of such misinformation, it is not true, as Mr. Michael alleged, that: Canada alternates Prime Ministers from English-speaking Canada to French-speaking Canada; all of Canada's government buildings are in Quebec; Canada's civil service is all in Quebec; this country's headquarters is not *in reality* in Ottawa; English is not spoken in Cabinet meetings (much less that it is not spoken "in the inner circles of the [other] governments of this country"); ninety per cent of Cabinet Ministers are French-Canadians; ambassadors of Canada going abroad do not speak English; ambassadors to "important" countries are always French-Canadian; and so on.

It is the view of the Council that accumulated misinformation, and collective unresearched and inaccurate statements constitute [...] a breach of the responsibility of the broadcaster to ensure the "full, fair and proper presentation of news, opinion, comment and editorial".

In the broadcast dealt with in *CILQ-FM re John Derringer's "Tool of the Day"* (CBSC Decision 02/03-1465, February 10, 2004), there was a regular segment, during which the host criticized a specific person, whom he designated as "Derringer's Tool of the Day". On the May 29, 2003 episode, Derringer's target was a judge of the Ontario Court of Justice and the host based his criticism on the allegedly lax sentence handed down by that judge in a case involving the possession of child pornography. The CILQ-FM commentator based his justification, at least in part, on the fact that "we don't have laws similar to those in Britain and the United States where, to the best of my knowledge, what this guy did would be an automatic ten-year sentence in the States or in England." On the point of accuracy underlying a broadcast opinion, this Panel found the station in violation of Clause 6. The Panel's explanation:

By simply using the phrase "to the best of my knowledge", he cannot duck responsibility for the bold assertion that "what this guy did would be an automatic ten-year sentence in the States or in England." Despite his focussed statement, he did not look at Section 2252 (b)(2) of Title 18 of the (federal) *United States Code*. Had he done so, he would have learned that a person convicted under Section 2252(a)(4) "shall be fined under this title or imprisoned *not more* than 5 years, or both." Had he verified the *Criminal Justice and Court Services Act, 2000* of the United Kingdom, he would have found that 5 years is also the *maximum* sentence in that jurisdiction. The same is true under the *Child Trafficking and Pornography Act, 1998* in Ireland, where, like Canada, there is the possibility of conviction either as an indictable offence or as the less punitive offence punishable on summary conviction. Now, the Ontario Regional Panel has no more sympathy for the criminal offender than the judge or Derringer had but the broadcaster's approach was not reasoned; it was unduly exaggerated. Before flailing his verbal arms, he owed it to his listeners to have presented his underlying legal facts with greater accuracy.

In *CFRA-AM re an episode of the Lowell Green Show (the Qur'an)* (CBSC Decision 05/06-1380, May 18, 2006), this Panel was once again called upon to deal with an episode of an open-line radio program that discussed issues related to Islam and the

Qur'an. The host talked about a news report relating to the arrest of men linked to al-Qaeda who were living in Canada. He also read a letter by a university professor that had appeared in the *National Post*. That letter stated that the Qur'an and other Muslim religious texts proclaim that anyone who converts from Islam to another religion should be killed. The letter was written in light of a case in Afghanistan where a man had been sentenced to death for apostasy. Green pointed out that there was no such similar advocacy of violence in the Christian Bible's New Testament. Green suggested that all Muslim immigrants be asked if they believed in that provision of the Qur'an. Eventually in the course of the program, Green obtained a copy of the Qur'an and claimed that it indeed stated that apostates should be killed. This Panel concluded that Green was free to criticize the religious "policies" of Islam but the Panel did find a breach of Clause 6 of the *CAB Code of Ethics* for Green's reliance on a misquoted portion of the Qur'an.

The issue is [...] that the "quotation" from the Qur'an is incorrect. The words "Kill him who changes his religion" are simply not in the Qur'an. The broadcaster had its own obligation to be certain, at material times, of the accuracy of the material on which it was *relying*. Its failure to do so resulted in a construct of an argument or position that *appeared* to be more defensible than it was. The Qur'an has an authoritative cachet, as it should, as the Bible does. Building an argument on the apparent content of Islam's holy book puts callers and listeners in a defensive, behind-the-8-ball position from the get-go. The host either knew or ought to have known that his position would appear stronger in such reliance. He or someone on the broadcaster's staff ought to have verified such an important point before using that provision as the *foundation* for almost the entire episode. Their failure to present the audience with accurate information about the content of the Qur'an was misleading and unfair. They loaded the dice without disclosing the fact that they had done so, even if that choice was unintentional. In the end, the broadcaster's constant reliance on misquoted text from the Qur'an and refusal to bend when advised of the error by Muslim callers rendered the presentation neither full, fair nor proper, and consequently in breach of Clause 6 of the *CAB Code of Ethics*.

Finally, in terms of previous CBSC jurisprudence, the Panel refers to *CHRB-AM (AM 1140) re an episode of Freedom Radio Network* (CBSC Decision 05/06-1959, January 9, 2007), which dealt with an episode of a right-wing talk show. The two hosts discussed a complaint that had been brought against them and their sponsor organization, Concerned Christians Canada, at the Canadian Human Rights Commission; the complaint alleged abusive remarks on the basis of sexual orientation. The complaint received by the CBSC came from the individual who had filed the Human Rights Commission complaint. He was concerned that the hosts had uttered abusive comments against homosexuals, insulted him on air and made inaccurate statements about the Human Rights Commission case. For example, the hosts alleged that they had been accused of a "hate crime" and that the courts had given them the right to publish information about the case. On this point, in finding the broadcaster in breach of Clause 6 of the *CAB Code of Ethics*, the Prairie Panel said:

Among other things, they distorted the nature of the acts of the complainant in a *serious* way. They said that they had been accused of a "hate *crime*". By that, a reasonably

informed individual would have understood one of the two crimes under the Hate Propaganda sections of the *Criminal Code*, likely, that entitled “Public Incitement of Hatred”. The reality is that complaints were made to the Alberta Human Rights Commission and to the Canadian Human Rights Commission. Neither complaint, if pursued to its logical conclusion, would be characterized as a *crime*.

[...]

In the matter at hand, not only was there no assertion of a *crime* by the complainant, but there was also misinformation provided by the co-hosts regarding the substance of what they had “won” and where. Leaving aside the ill-informed references to the legitimately constituted federal and provincial Human Rights Commissions, the co-hosts said that they “fought and won in court the right to actually post the information about the ongoing Commission and then the hearings on the website and the courts, the *courts*, the real courts [...] not the kangaroo courts.” They did not. Unless there is some other decision to which none of the parties had referred in this dossier, the only decision in question was that rendered by the Human Rights Panels of Alberta and issued by the Alberta Human Rights and Citizenship Commission, not a court at all in the sense that the co-hosts had been distinguishing commissions or tribunals from courts.

[...]

It was not, however, a *court*, as represented by the co-hosts. Nor was the application related to a *hate crime*, as intimated. Nor did the application give the respondent any *entitlement* to post material other than that of the human rights complainant, as also intimated.

The Panel also found problems with claims by the hosts that medical studies had demonstrated that men who have anal intercourse suffer more medical problems than heterosexuals. In this respect, the Panel added: “As to AIDS, it has long since been proved to be an affliction of both heterosexual and homosexual individuals. Anal intercourse is hardly exclusively limited to one of the foregoing communities. Nor, for that matter, is sexually transmitted disease.”

In other words, this Panel has no issue with the entitlement of Mr. McVety and his guests to hold opinions on the manifold subjects he and they discussed on the challenged programs. When, however, the basis for their points of view is, as will be apparent in certain instances discussed below, inaccurate or badly distorted, the Panel considers that the conclusions of the Quebec Panel in the *CHOI-FM* decision are apt.

In the end, the Panel is troubled by the allegedly factual observations since they were made frequently and from an apparently authoritative perspective. They represented a barrage of seemingly trustworthy information. It is on the basis of such assertions that M. Dupont and his colleagues built their structure of opinions. While they are entitled to hold and broadcast their own derogatory and disparaging opinions regarding social welfare and aid recipients, they owe it to their audience that the *basis* for their argument be based on sound, rather than misleading, information. [...] The Panel concludes that the broadcaster was in breach of Clause 6 for broadcasting opinion that, because of the false and misleading underpinnings, was neither full, fair nor proper.

## Comments relating to Issues of Sexual Orientation

Of the several categories of concern raised by the complainant, arguably the most troubling (to him) relates to the broadcaster's comments about homosexuals. The Panel will group and review the various types of those comments but it will first provide a context for the range of issues the CBSC has previously dealt with in this area.

In general, the underlying principle of freedom of expression permits comments by broadcasters on all subjects, even sensitive ones, provided they respect the numerous codified standards administered by the CBSC. In the area of human rights, this even protects discriminatory comments, provided these do not rise to the level of abusive or unduly discriminatory comments. There have been many decisions supporting this principle since *CHTZ-FM re the Morning Show* (CBSC Decision 92/93-0148, October 26, 1993), in which this Panel noted that adjudicative responsibility in the following terms: "[I]t [the Panel] must balance the right of audiences to receive programming which is free of abusive or discriminatory material [...] with the fundamental right of free speech in Canadian society." In the ensuing 17 years since *CHTZ-FM*, that principle has been restated and refined on many occasions. The bottom line is that all CBSC Panels are continually faced with the obligation to balance the fundamental right of freedom of expression with the equally fundamental right of audiences to receive programming which is free of abusive or unduly discriminatory material.

In previous decisions interpreting discriminatory comments about gays and lesbians, the CBSC has explained that religious programs (indeed, all programs) breach no standard by merely objecting to homosexuality. Furthermore, Panels have found no fault with broadcasters characterizing homosexuality as a sin [see, e.g., two earlier decisions of this Panel, namely, *CHCH-TV re Life Today with James Robison* (CBSC Decision 95/96-0128, April 30, 1996) and *CFYI-AM re Focus on the Family* (CBSC Decision 99/00-0724, June 28, 2001)]. Nor have Panels found any breach of standards when program participants have criticized policies that involve sexual orientation issues, such as same-sex marriage, gay adoption, representation of LGBT issues on school curricula, and government funding for LGBT events [see, e.g. *CITV-TV re "You Paid for It!" (Arts Funding)* (CBSC Decision 95/96-0091, December 16, 1997), and elements of the broadcasts in *CITS-TV (CTS) re John Hagee Today ("Diamonds for Successful Living")* (CBSC Decision 04/05-0177, April 19, 2005), *OMNI.1 re an episode of the Jimmy Swaggart Telecast* (CBSC Decision 04/05-0097, April 19, 2005), *CKYE-FM re an episode of the Harjinder Thind Show* (CBSC Decision 07/08-1229, October 23, 2008), and *CHOI-FM re comments made during a segment of Le Retour de Radio X* (CBSC Decision 08/09-0492, March 17, 2009)]. Even the criticism of homosexual activists on the basis of their political actions, but not their sexual orientation alone, has been found acceptable under the Human Rights Clause [see *CHRB-AM (AM 1140) re an episode of Freedom Radio Network* (CBSC Decision 05/06-1959, January 9, 2007)].

Where, however, programs include extremely negative, insulting, nasty generalizations about the group of persons on the basis of their sexual orientation, the comments will be found to violate the Human Rights clauses of the *CAB Code of Ethics* and the *CAB Equitable Portrayal Code*. Examples include the labelling all homosexuals as “devils”, the suggestion by an evangelical that he would kill a homosexual if he made romantic advances to him, the characterization of a person wishing a sex-change operation as “some sick demented obviously mentally disturbed homosexual”, accusing gays and lesbians of an insidious agenda to recruit children to the homosexual lifestyle in the schools, the characterization of the sexual behaviour of gays and lesbians as “abnormal”, “aberrant”, “deviant”, “disordered”, “dysfunctional”, “an error” or the like, as well as numerous others not cited here [see, e.g., *Vision TV re Power Today* (CBSC Decision 01/02-0617, September 13, 2002), *OMNI.1 re an episode of the Jimmy Swaggart Telecast* (CBSC Decision 04/05-0097, April 19, 2005), *CJRQ-FM re Opinion Poll* (CBSC Decision 94/95-0135, March 26, 1996), *CKRD-AM re Focus on the Family* (CBSC Decision 96/97-0155, December 16, 1997), and *CFYI-AM and CJCH-AM re the Dr. Laura Schlessinger Show* (CBSC Decision 99/00-0005 & 98/99-0808+, February 9 and February 15, 2000)].

#### Acceptable comments

There were several issues discussed by program host McVety that fell into the category of acceptable comments within the parameters outlined above.

In the first case, the host expressed his support for the position of the Catholic Church in dismissing an individual from his position as altar server on the basis that he was living in a same-sex relationship. The individual described himself as a celibate homosexual who had been living with a same-sex partner for twenty years. Whether or not the Church was right in its choice is not a matter for consideration by this Panel. What is, however, fair and reasonable was that McVety took a position on the Church’s stance on the subject. That was his right.

A second instance involved the new guidelines of the Ontario Ministry of Education for teaching tolerance and the acceptance of diversity. In general, the Panel accepts the host’s entitlement to oppose those new guidelines although, as will be seen below, not every choice of language has passed this Panel’s muster.

A third instance involved the host’s staunch position against the use of Government funding to support Gay Pride parades. Here, too, the Panel does not accept material components of the broadcast descriptions, as will be explained below; however, the Panel does support the host’s broadcast disagreement with the use of Government funding to support LGBT parades.



None of the foregoing three instances constitutes a breach of any of the above-cited standards.

### The Problematic Comments

The problematic comments regarding sexual orientation issues can be grouped into two main categories; namely, errors of fact and errors of characterization.

#### Errors of Fact: Human Rights Tribunal “Conviction” Rates

In dealing with both the Human Rights Tribunal of Ontario (HRTO) and the Alberta Human Rights Commission (AHRC), host McVety has either carelessly or purposefully misled his audience when he referred (in both cases) to the “one hundred per cent conviction rate” of both regulatory bodies. The Panel assumes that the host was, on that basis, attempting to impugn any decision emanating from those tribunals as unfair, biased, distorted and unworthy of the public’s trust. Leaving aside the host’s mistaken (and judgment-laden) use of the words “convict” and “conviction” in this context, whatever his motivation, his allegation of an undisputed, unmarred “conviction” record is incorrect and misleading to *Word TV*’s viewers.

In the case of Alberta, the decision record of the AHRC was, to pick the three years prior to the December 2009 broadcast, as follows: in 2007, three complaints were upheld and five were dismissed; in 2008, five were upheld and six were dismissed; and in 2009, two were upheld and two were dismissed. In other words, of the 23 Commission/Tribunal decisions in that period, 43% were sustained and 57% were dismissed. This is *far* from the 100% McVety had posited, and constitutes a serious distortion of the facts.

In the case of Ontario, the decision record of the HRTO is not dissimilar. In 2007, six complaints were upheld and three were dismissed; in 2008, seven were upheld and 27 were dismissed (of these, 21 could be characterized as procedural or jurisdictional dismissals, but they were dismissals nonetheless); in 2009, for reasons unknown to the Panel (likely procedural or administrative), the number of decisions jumped significantly; however, a review of a random block of 78 of these resulted in seven complaints upheld and 71 dismissed. As in the case of the AHRC, this is *very far* from the 100% McVety had posited, and constitutes an equally serious distortion of the facts.

#### Errors of Fact: The Criminalization of Commentary

The single most egregious and misleading assertion by host McVety was his November 8 assertion that, in his words, “it is now a crime to speak against homosexuality. Yes, I said a crime. Bill C-250 went through our Parliamentary system and made it a crime for anyone to speak against sexual orientation.” That is wrong. All Bill C-250 did was to add to the list of protected categories of identifiable groups in Sec. 318(4) (namely, “any

section of the public distinguished by colour, race, religion or ethnic origin”) and, by reference, Sec. 319(1) and 319(2) of the *Criminal Code*, the words “or sexual orientation”. In other words, the substance of the *Criminal Code* provisions dealing with the advocating of genocide and the public incitement of hatred remained unchanged. Moreover, it must be borne in mind that Bill C-250 only renders the genocide and hate provisions consistent with the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada, which, nearly *ten years before*, had read “sexual orientation” into Sec. 15 of the *Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms* in its decision *Egan v. Canada* [1995] 2 S.C.R. 513, in which Mr. Justice La Forest stated:

I have no difficulty accepting the appellants’ contention that whether or not sexual orientation is based on biological or physiological factors, which may be a matter of some controversy, it is a deeply personal characteristic that is either unchangeable or changeable only at unacceptable personal costs, and so *falls within the ambit of s. 15 protection as being analogous to the enumerated grounds*. [Emphasis added.]

In any event, it is not a crime to merely “speak against” homosexuals, or members of any of the other groups identified in Sec. 318(4). *Crimes* are a serious matter. In order for Sec. 319 to be invoked, an accused must be found to have *intended*, in making the offending statements, to incite or promote *hatred*, or must have had knowledge that making the statements would have created a *substantial* certainty that *hatred* would be promoted. It cannot be forgotten that, as the Supreme Court said in *R. v. Keegstra* [1990] 3 S.C.R. 697,

The word “hatred” further reduces the scope of the prohibition. This word, in the context of s. 319(2), must be construed as encompassing *only the most severe and deeply felt form of opprobrium*. [Emphasis added.]

On the issue of freedom of expression itself, the Court also stated in that decision:

Section 319(2) of the Code *does not unduly impair freedom of expression*. [...] This section does not suffer from overbreadth or vagueness; rather, the terms of the offence indicate that s. 319(2) possesses definitional limits which act as safeguards to ensure that it will capture *only expressive activity which is openly hostile to Parliament’s objective*, and will thus attack only the harm at which the prohibition is targeted. [...] [W]hile other non-criminal modes of combating hate propaganda exist, it is eminently reasonable to utilize more than one type of legislative tool in working to prevent the spread of racist expression and its resultant harm. To send out a strong message of condemnation, both reinforcing the values underlying s. 319(2) and deterring the few individuals who would harm target group members and the larger community by communicating hate propaganda, will *occasionally* require use of the criminal law. [Emphasis added.]

It is the view of the Panel that the host’s statement that “it is now a crime to speak against homosexuality” is *factually* incorrect and misleading to the audience. It is a gross distortion of the serious reason for the creation of a protection in the criminal law in order to give effect to the Parliamentary goal of prohibiting the incitement of *hatred* against identifiable groups. Any broadcaster may disagree with the adoption of such a

criminal remedy by the Government, but, once adopted, no broadcaster ought to *distort* its meaning or effect. It would be correct to assert that “it is now a crime to *incite hatred* against homosexuals” (in the circumscribed conditions of the Section); it is not correct to assert that “it is now a crime to *speak against* homosexuality.”

#### Mis-characterizations: What the Curriculum Teaches Children

The host is, as noted above, entirely free to disagree with the proposed Government curriculum changes favouring openness and diversity. That would be fair enough, but apparently not far enough to suit him. He has characterized the school issue in the following way on the January 17 program: “All of these sexual practices to be taught to our children in our schools. When we send little Johnny and little Jane to school, [it’s] not to learn to be homosexuals and lesbians.” He then attributes the curriculum modification proposals to “an activist group”, whose members “have an insatiable appetite for sex, especially with young people.” There is not a shred of evidence offered in support of this clearly excessive characterization of the Government’s motivation and the alleged *criminal* practices of the proposers of the curriculum changes. On the January 24 episode, he again refers to “this activist, homosexual activist agenda.” Overall, the McVety comments go a considerable step beyond those dealt with by the Prairie Regional Panel in *CKRD-AM re Focus on the Family* (CBSC Decision 96/97-0155, December 16, 1997). That Panel said:

While *Focus on the Family* is free to describe the homosexual lifestyle as sinful, as did *Life Today with James Robison* [see *CHCH-TV re Life Today with James Robison* (CBSC Decision 95/96-0128, April 30, 1996)], the program under consideration here has gone much further. It has treated support for the movement as “flimsy” and has disparaged that support (see, for example, the dismissal of a study authored by a gay activist with the general statement that “like all gay science, it really has very flimsy foundations”). Moreover, it has attributed to the gay movement a malevolent, insidious and conspiratorial purpose, a so-called “agenda”, which, in the view of the Council, constitutes abusively discriminatory comment on the basis of sexual orientation, contrary to the provisions of Clause 2 of the *CAB Code of Ethics*.

In sum, the Panel finds that the characterization of the revised curriculum as one designed to *teach* homosexuality is utterly wrong. The proposed curricular revisions are intended to teach *tolerance*. McVety is entitled to disagree that such teaching of tolerance should be tolerated but his twisting of the purpose of the revisions is wrong-headed, unfair and improper.

#### Mis-characterizations: Gay Pride Parades

The Panel notes that the Gay Pride events, including the parades associated with Pride Week, have become quite mainstream. This hardly means that homosexual activities are, or need be, everyone’s cup of tea. Once again, the Panel has no difficulty with the broadcast of a critical position regarding the funding of LGBT events, but the constant accusation of “sexual perversion” levelled at the parades, the labelling of the parades as

“sex parades”, and the argument that advertising for Pride events promotes sex with children (and specifically “there’s boy, young boys and young girls and you can do whatever you want with them”) and “underage people” are disparaging and unacceptable. The latter is another important recurring implication, if not an outright accusation in the dialogue between host McVety and his guest Brian Rushfeldt, namely, that gays prey on young boys and girls, on “underage people”. McVety may not like homosexuality. That is his entitlement, but to leave the totally unsubstantiated impression that gay and lesbian adults have a predilection toward young, underage people is insidious and unacceptable.

In all, the Panel finds the McVety mis-characterizations as excessive, inappropriate, disparaging, and abusive and consequently in breach of the Human Rights Clauses of both Codes, as well as Clauses 6 and 8 of the *CAB Code of Ethics*. It also considers that, given the central role that the manifestation of gay pride plays in the LGBT world, the immediately preceding comments constitute a derision of the traditions and practices of that community, and hence a contravention of Clauses 6 and 3 of the *Equitable Portrayal Code*.

### **Comments about Islam**

The principles discussed above regarding comments relating to sexual orientation are generally applicable to the review of content relating to religion. And comments about religious matters are equally susceptible of consideration under Clause 6 (full, fair and proper presentation) and the Human Rights Clauses. Various CBSC Panels have had the opportunity to consider complaints made about the treatment of Islam and Muslims on the airwaves.

In *CFRA-AM re an episode of the Lowell Green Show (Islam)* (CBSC Decision 07/08-0916, October 22, 2008), for example, this Panel dealt with an episode of an open-line radio program dealing with the following “question of the day”, namely, “Is there something inherent in the Muslim faith that promotes violence and oppression of women?” The majority of callers answered “yes” to the question, but a few disagreed. Green adamantly expressed his own view that “almost every act of terrorism around the world today [...] is carried out in the name of Islam. [...] Don’t tell me this is the work of a few fanatics.” Despite the fact that Green said that not all Muslims are “like that”, he reacted negatively to any caller who answered “no” to his question, including those who were Muslim or had personal knowledge of Islam and attempted to clarify some of his points. In one instance, Green responded to a Muslim caller with the word “Baloney!” and, in another, told the sympathetic, apparently non-Muslim, caller that she had “abandoned common sense” and was being “silly”. The CBSC received a complaint from a listener who was concerned about Green’s depiction of Islam and Muslims. The

Ontario Regional Panel examined the complaint under Clauses 2 and 6 of the *CAB Code of Ethics* and found a violation of both. With respect to Clause 2, it stated:

There were *many* examples of anti-Islamic comments that the host was willing to accept from callers at apparent face value. The Panel will not quote them all. Readers may, of course, find those additional examples in Appendix A. There is, however, one further exchange that the Panel views as a particular reflection of the host's monolithic, broad-brush, uncompromisingly discriminatory commentary on Islam. Caller Nicole doubted whether it has "anything to do with the religion. I think it's just the fanatics blaming it on the religion." Green argued that "this obviously is more than just a few fanatics. This is a widely-held belief throughout the Muslim world." He then moved the discussion to the oppression of women by all Muslim nations. Nicole countered that there are lots of things which are protested by "hundreds of thousands of people" but "if they're not Muslim, we don't blame it on religion." Green retorted: "What we're dealing with today is the bare fact. And here it is: that with very rare exception, the acts of terrorism and brutality that just plague us are being carried out almost exclusively in the name of Islam." Nicole said, "that's just a bunch of bad people blaming it on Islam." And Green argued in his consistent negative approach to the religion on this episode, "I'm sorry. It's being carried out in the name of Islam. Widespread." He referred to the example of the Danish cartoons. And then the teddy bear incident. Removing any doubt, if any there was, of his broad view of Islam, he added: "Obviously the *great, overwhelming majority of Muslims in the world* support widespread terrible, brutal oppression of women. [Emphasis added.]"

[...]

In the view of the Panel, the host has mounted a sweeping, abusive and unduly discriminatory criticism of Islam. It was uninformed and unfair. It conceded none of the diversity that exists in Islam or among its adherents. Attempting to disguise his attack on Islam in the feeble "Some of my good friends are ..." clothing or "It's not *all* Muslims ...," he consistently made it entirely clear that his issue, from the opening premise of the show (framed as a question, but clearly of a rhetorical nature) was: "Can you not conclude that there must be a problem within that faith?", something he time and again argued during the episode was *not* the work of a few fanatics, but rather a reflection of the religion, problems and attitudes that he attributed to the "great, overwhelming majority of Muslims in the world." Moreover, he brooked no contradictory observations of persons who were admittedly Muslim, informed about the religion, or of a different viewpoint. The Panel considers that the episode was abusive and unduly discriminatory and consequently in breach of Clause 2 of the *CAB Code of Ethics*.

The Panel raises this example for the purpose of indicating that, in comparison, it finds no examples in any of the episodes of *Word TV* that are at all of such a nature. The assertion that *radical* Islam is as much a threat to Christians as to Jews is a perspective that McVety is entitled to support on the air, as is the notion that radical Muslims represent a threat to the United States. There is, as expected, a point of view expressed by the host, as well as guests such as Frank Diamant, the Executive Director of B'nai Brith. Even in that dialogue there was a clarification of the role of the Grand Mufti in the events associated with Kristallnacht. There was also discussion of Israeli home-building in Jerusalem and Hamas's goals, as well as the shooting rampage at Fort Hood and Iran's President, Mahmoud Ahmadinejad. The Panel finds, in those discussions, a defensible perspective on Islam and some distinction drawn between

Islam and *radical* Islam. The Panel finds no breach of any of the above-referenced Code provisions in connection with those discussions.

### **Due Process for Terrorists**

The complainant put his concerns about the discussion of judicial fairness for the treatment of terrorists in the following terms: “I would like to add my objection about assertions that terrorism suspects deserve to be denied due process of law.” Here, too, McVety expressed strong views. Based in part on his reference to 23 Canadians having been killed in the 9/11 attack on the World Trade Center and the arrest of the 17 suspected terrorists in the Toronto area, he warned, “We tend to be lulled to sleep, that we are not in danger. But, yes, this danger is in our midst.” He expressed his opposition to what he characterized as the soft approach to, or the appeasement regarding, terrorist activities. He gave the example of the Nigerian Umar Abdul Mutallab, who was accused of plotting to blow up an airliner at Christmas 2009. He objected to the offer of the rights accorded to American citizens, including due process, the provision of lawyers, the assurance of the accused’s Miranda rights, and so on. His view was:

Well, what’s wrong with that? This is an act of war by al-Qaeda that is waging war against America. And you cannot fight international terrorists and international war-mongers with criminal applications. That is appeasing evil.

That perspective was repeated on other occasions during the challenged broadcasts. That, though, is an issue that is entirely open for the broadest possible discussion. There is not a right and a wrong in terms of the legitimacy of the discussion. It is a matter of policy that must be susceptible of broadcast debate in the most open way. There is no breach of Clause 6 on account of the broadcast treatment of this issue on any of the challenged occasions.

### **Discussion of Euthanasia**

The topic of euthanasia was discussed on three of the challenged episodes, since Bill C-384 was then moving through the Parliamentary process. Those discussions included Alex Schadenberg, who was the executive director of an organization called the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. While the two men expressed their concern about the legalization of euthanasia, it was entirely reasonable that they hold and broadcast an opinion on a matter of such societal importance, whatever their viewpoint. Nor does the Panel consider that any of that discussion in any way disparaged persons on account of

their disability. The Panel finds no breach of any of the above-referenced Code provisions on that account.

### **Comments re Haiti**

The Panel considers the program's comments regarding Haiti and Haitians generally immensely sympathetic. On January 17, host McVety implored his audience to "[p]ray for the people of Haiti. They are in desperate need." He sought donations for the people of Haiti to relieve them from their devastation. It is also true that he observed that "Haiti is the world capital for voodoo, the world capital for devastation." McVety also referred to Satanism and witchcraft in other observations. Those may or may not be correct appreciations, but the Panel doubts that they are easily assessable conclusions. Moreover, the Panel appreciates that the observations were made on a sympathetic basis and speculatively linked to "the deal with the devil that Haitians did about two hundred years ago." If anything, the discussion of the policy conflict between Pat Robertson and Keith Olbermann provided divergent points of view on aspects of the Haitian issue. In any event, the Panel concludes that the expression of those opinions was made in a positive context and did not reach the level of abusive or unduly discriminatory comment based on religion, nationality or ethnicity. Nor does the Panel find those comments to be unfair or improper in the context of the discussion of the suffering on that Caribbean island.

### **A Copyright Violation?**

Finally, for these purposes, the complainant alleged that the broadcaster "violated copyright by showing an uncleared internet clip of the show *Curb Your Enthusiasm* to decry HBO Canada." Simply put, the CBSC does not administer the *Copyright Act* and has no jurisdiction to determine whether a clip has or has not been cleared for broadcast, nor, needless to say, can it enter upon any determination regarding payment for the use of copyrighted material. In the past, the CBSC has relied on Article 11 of the *RTNDA Code of (Journalistic) Ethics* in order to determine whether a broadcaster has attempted to pass off any broadcast content as its own. In that connection, the CBSC has required that broadcasters give credit to the source of photographs or videoclips, which has been extended to the requirement that a broadcaster must provide the name of the content creator if it knows it, or at least where the broadcaster obtained it.

In the matter at hand, host McVety identified the source of the clip used. The CBSC requires nothing more of the broadcaster. If there is any private law issue regarding the broadcast of the clip, in terms of compensation, that is a matter to be regulated directly

between the broadcaster and the owner of the copyright. The CBSC has nothing to add in that regard.

### **Broadcaster Responsiveness**

In all CBSC decisions, the Council's Panels assess the broadcaster's responsiveness to the complainant. In the present instance, the Panel notes that the broadcaster's Program Manager responded on four occasions to the complaints raised by the complainant. While none of the responses prevented the complainant from filing a Ruling Request, the Panel considers that the responses of the Program Manager focussed directly on the issues that concerned the complainant. It is of course the case that, when any complainant does not share the broadcaster's perspective and so advises the CBSC, the result is that the complaint file is referred to either the Secretariat or a Panel for adjudication. In the end, it is the thoughtfulness of the response that determines whether the broadcaster has met the CBSC membership responsibility of responsiveness, and the Panel considers that CITS-TV has fully met that membership obligation in this instance.

### **ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DECISION**

CITS-TV is required to: 1) announce the decision, in the following terms, once during prime time within three days following the release of this decision and once more within seven days following the release of this decision during the time period in which *Word.ca* and *Word TV* were broadcast, but not on the same day as the first mandated announcement; 2) within the fourteen days following the broadcasts of the announcements, to provide written confirmation of the airing of the statement to the complainant who filed the Ruling Request; and 3) at that time, to provide the CBSC with a copy of that written confirmation and with air check copies of the broadcasts of the two announcements which must be made by CITS-TV.

The Canadian Broadcast Standards Council has found that the broadcast of various episodes of *Word TV* between July 19, 2009 and February 21, 2010 breached provisions of the Canadian Association of Broadcasters' *Code of Ethics* and *Equitable Portrayal Code*. By airing abusive or unduly discriminatory comments about persons on the basis of sexual orientation, CITS-TV breached the provisions of the Human Rights Clauses of both Codes. By so doing, CITS-TV also broadcast material which had the effect of conveying an attack on gays and lesbians, contrary to the terms of the Religious Programming Clause of the *CAB Code of Ethics* and Negative Portrayal Clause of the *CAB Equitable Portrayal Code*. In its observations about Gay Pride parades, CITS-TV also broadcast derisory



comments about the practices of gays and lesbians, contrary to Clause 6 of the *Equitable Portrayal Code*. By making inaccurate statements about various issues relating to human rights and hate speech, and by mischaracterizing the purpose of the revision of the Ontario school curriculum and Gay Pride parades, CITS-TV also breached Clause 6 of the *CAB Code of Ethics*, which requires full, fair and proper presentation of opinion, comment and editorial.

*This decision is a public document upon its release by the Canadian Broadcast Standards Council.*

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## APPENDIX A

### CBSC Decision 08/09-2142 & 09/10-0383+ CITS-TV re *Word.ca* and *Word TV*

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*Word.ca/Word TV* is a religious program hosted by evangelical Christian leader Charles McVety, who is also the president of Canada Christian College and Canada Family Action Coalition. The tag line for the program is “Christian News Commentary”. The program features McVety talking about recent news events with a considerable focus on legislation being proposed by the Canadian and Ontario governments. He sometimes has a guest on to discuss the issues with him. There are also promotional spots for Canada Christian College, the *Evangelical Christian* magazine, as well as DVDs that McVety has produced or recommends.

At some point between July 19 and October 25, 2009, the program changed its name from *Word.ca* to *Word TV*. The format of the program, however, remained the same. CITS-TV (CTS – Crossroads Television Ontario) broadcast the program at 11:00 pm with a G rating icon. The following are transcripts of the various episodes identified in the complaints received by the CBSC.

#### July 19, 2009

McVety: Welcome to *Word.ca*. This week in the news, Al Gore announces global governance is near as CO<sub>2</sub> is taxed and traded. And also a man in Ontario has asked the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal to prosecute his Catholic Church, claiming that the bishop fired him for being gay. We’re going to be right back after this short break.

- promo for Canada Christian College (CCC)

- promo for DVD *The Third Jihad*

black words on screen with grey speckled background:

We all know the horror of terrorism

And we know about their ultimate goals

video clip identified as “Aug. 2007, Translations by PMW”, Muslim man on screen identified as “Abu Yahya al-Libi, Al-Qaeda Leader” speaking to camera; subtitles at bottom of screen translate his words:

We believe that the entire world must be ruled by Islam

quick images of emergency personnel standing outside & body being carried away by

two men on makeshift stretcher (feet visible; one man covering rest of body with white sheet)

video clip of Abu Uzair, Leader, The Saved Sect: We believe Islam will dominate.

series of rapid images of American flag being burned

Rudy Giuliani, Former Mayor, City of New York: It's an entire movement and the idea of it is hatred for our way of life.

video clip "Sudan TV, April 2007, Translations by PMW, Palwatch.org" man in white headgear & robe standing on balcony speaking; subtitles:

America will be annihilated, while Islam will remain.

words on screen on grey speckled background:

But there is a war you may not know about

The FBI uncovered a secret document

close-ups of words in alleged document:

Muslim's destiny to

perform Jihad

black words on grey background:

That reveals the plans of the radicals in America

voice-over: The document states that their work in America is a kind of grand jihad in eliminating and destroying the Western civilization from within.

[words from alleged document "grand jihad in eliminating, destroying the Western civilization from within" on screen]

poster of protest where sign reading "Islam will dominate" is prominent

Dr. Zuhdi Jasser, American-Islamic Forum for Democracy: Are you starting to see a pattern here?

footage of Dr. Jasser walking outside building with word overlayed "One courageous Muslim breaks the silence"

footage of Jasser giving speech: Is the Islamic state a threat to American security? Yes, it is.

words on grey background:

From the team that brought you "Obsession"

Comes a film about the greatest threat facing America today

The Third Jihad

Buy this video today for \$20

(416) 391-5000

[www.word.ca](http://www.word.ca)

voice-over: We all know about terrorism. This is the war you don't know about.

11:02:56

McVety: Welcome back to *Word.ca*. This week in the news, a man in Ontario has asked the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal to prosecute his Catholic Church claiming that the bishop fired him because he is gay. But first in the news [talks about another issue – global warming & carbon credits].

11:16:20

But we need this type of worship music so that we can be prepared in these last days. We know, as I said, in, in Daniel chapter 7 verse 25, the anti-Christ is speaking out. And the anti-Christ is wearing down the saints, as Daniel said. He is speaking against the saints, changing the laws of our day, changing our traditions. And we have a case of this in Ontario where a homosexual man has asked the human rights tribunal to prosecute his Catholic church because he says that his bishop fired him because he is gay. This man in Cobourg, Ontario who attends a, a Catholic church in Cobourg is an openly-practising homosexual. He lives with a man who has lived with him for 19 years, according to his complaint. And this man is, was a, a, a server. He was an altar server in the Catholic church in Cobourg. But what happened is some people complained because they knew that he was a practising homosexual. His name is Jim Corcoran and he runs a spa called Ste. Anne's spa in Eastern Ontario. And what he did was he was practising homosexuality. He's openly spo-, homosexual. And now people complained that this is against the rules of the Church. Yes, the Catholic Church welcomes homosexuals into the Church. And I'm not a Catholic, I'm an evangelical. And of course you love the sinner, but you hate the sin. And the Catholic Church practises this. And they have loved this man into their fold and he has become a server of communion, an altar server in this Catholic church. Well, when it became known to the Catholic Church that he's a practising homosexual, they said this is not appropriate. Why? Because the Catholic Church teaches that homosexuality is a grave, depraved sexual act. So why would a homosexual want to practise a, a, a, a sacred ritual in the Catholic Church when he does not fit with the teachings of that Catholic Church? It's hypocritical for

someone to come forward and serve communion and say that they practise communion. You know there was this big dispute in the news about Prime Minister Stephen Harper, whether or not he ate the wafer that he was given during communion. This is a sacred process. This communion is very, very sacred, so why would a homosexual even want to participate in this when he doesn't believe what the Bible and Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church teach about homosexuality? That it is a sin. That is, it is a, a, a, grave, depraved sexual act. Of course it is hypocritical, so therefore the Catholic Church took a stand. Now this man has gone to the Ontario Human Rights Commission and he's asked them to prosecute this church, prosecute the bishop, prosecute the priest and bring a heavy-handed sentence against them. Asking them to give twenty-five thousand dollars per parishioner, twenty thousand dollars from the bishop and penalize them for doing what? For practising that which they have been taught through the teachings of Jesus Christ. Of course we live in these last days where this great mystery Babylon, this great horror of Babylon, this great immoral, immoral Babylon, this one-world government, this one-world economy and one-world religion is rising up in our day and wearing out the saints. And changing our traditions, changing our laws. And even coming into the Church. Now today was this Catholic church in Cobourg. But tomorrow it may be your church. Today it is those parishioners that are facing a possible twenty-five thousand dollar fine each! But tomorrow it could be you. We need to take a stand against this. I want to ask you to call us, 416-391-5000. And want, I want you to give me an email, [charles@word.ca](mailto:charles@word.ca). You can go on and sign the petition to stop the funding of sex parades by going ri-, to [RightTheCourse.ca](http://RightTheCourse.ca). You can then sign that petition and send your comments to the prime minister, to the Minister of Trade Tony Clement, and to Diane Ablonczy the Minister of State and sm-, er, and Business and Tourism. You can make a difference in this country. In fact, I know many of you did. I know we've seen thousands and thousands of these come through. And they've gone to the government and the government has reacted and stopped the funding of these sex parades. But i-, but you need to continue to act, so I want you to ask, I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. I want to send you a free copy of that great DVD. We also want you to get this DVD *The Third Jihad*. We also want you to get a free copy of our magazine *The Evangelical Christian*. This started in 1904. It is Canada's oldest evangelical national publication and we'll send it to you free of charge. But you need to call us and give us your information. Why? We've already seen marriage redefined in this country. That happened in 2003 by judges here in Ontario and we started prayer rallies and we led the "Defend Marriage" campaign across this country where we saw over a million people rise up in the greatest protests in the history of this country of Canada. But unfortunately it was a day late and a dollar short because the prime minister of the day, Paul Martin, he took a stand of immorality. And he brought forward his, his, his immoral positions of redefining marriage and he rammed it through our Parliament and it is the law of the land in this day. Yes, this spirit of anti-Christ is rising up in this country of Canada, changing the signs, changing the times, changing the, the laws of our land. What happened to Paul Martin when he did this? Unfortunately this man who had tremendous promise, he, he was a stellar finance minister for 13 years, but after this he, he, he met his demise. He lost his position, he lost his legacy. The *National Post* called him the most disgraceful prime minister in the history of our country. This is what happens when you turn your back on Judeo-Christian principles. This is what happens when we allow militant homosexuals like, like James, Jim Corcoran to, to go to the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal. And by the way, this, the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal has a one hundred per cent conviction rate. Yes, you heard me right. One hundred per cent conviction. Everyone that they try, they convict. So we can expect that these parishioners will be convicted and have to pay twenty-five thousand dollars and this bishop twenty thousand dollars. We can expect because they have, they have an unblemished record. And they bring the power of the government, the power of this Commission against the Church to change the, the ways, to change our traditions, to change morality so that they can act however they wish. This man claims it is his right to practise and serve communion in the Catholic Church. Well, you know the Catholic Church should decide this. There

should be a separation of church and state. The state should stay out of the church, should stay out of church affairs and not prosecute. It may be this Catholic church in Cobourg today, but it may be yours tomorrow. We need to act. Call us, 416-391-5000. We'll be right back after this short break.

- promo for *The Third Jihad* DVD

McVety: I want to ask you to take a stand in these last days, to take a stand against the wiles of the devil. Don't do nothing. I know it's Sunday night, but we have people waiting to talk to you because it is very important. Please get a free copy of our evangelical Christian magazine and take a stand as an advocate for, for Canadian values. Why? Because if we don't exercise our, our values, they will be lost. And we already know as a result of the prophecy of Daniel chapter 7 verse 25 that in these last days there will be a voice of the anti-Christ that will rise up and wear down the saints. This voice will change our times, our traditions and our laws. It's happening before your very eyes and you've heard the testimony of Al Gore who says that global governance is near because of the, the cap and trade of carbon dioxide. Also you see that we've already changed the definition of marriage in this country and now they are, are coming into our churches and even defining who can participate in communion and who cannot because they are changing the times and changing our traditions. I want to thank you for watching *Word.ca*. I want to ask you to call us, 416-391-5000. Send me an email, [charles@word.ca](mailto:charles@word.ca). And make sure that you sign that petition [RightTheCourse.ca](http://RightTheCourse.ca). Thank you for watching *Word.ca* and we'll look forward to seeing you next week and may god bless you until then.

October 25, 2009

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, Toronto won the World Pride Festival or Parade for 2014, which was granted from a group in Florida for Toronto to get this parade and have this two week festival, parading sex down the main streets of the city of Toronto in 2014. [photo of a Pride Parade with people hanging out the window of a float surrounded by the crowd] Now we've had many questions about this parade. We were praying that it would not happen, but of course it is going to happen. We're not even sure if there is anything, any such thing as a World Pride Parade because we've done a lot of research and we can't find. We find there's a little bit of news out of, out of Rome in one year, the year 2000. But virtually nothing else. Is this a ruse? Is this a balloon boy story? Is this just some, uh, uh, really a scheme to get more tax dollars from taxpayers and put them into sexual activity on our main streets? We're not sure. We're gonna continue to investigate and we'll report that to you here. But the *Toronto Sun* this week wrote an article by Joe Warmington that, that really stirred the pot where he came forward with news that, that this issue of, of, of a sex festival in Toronto never came to the City Council of Toronto. [image of article on *Toronto Sun* website appears on screen with certain passages highlighted] It was not voted on, it was not studied. I mean, if you go to renovate your bathroom, the City puts you through a tremendous, rigorous process that has to be voted on in order for you just to renovate your bathroom. They want to take over our city streets for two weeks. You'd think there'd be some democratic representation where, where the public would have a say and, and there'd be some hearings and then there'd be a vote in council. But nothing. Just the mayor sent ten delegates down to Florida. They, even a police officer, a Toronto police officer, and they came back with this so-called prize of the 2014 sex parade. And I'm afraid that our governments are going to line up and give them millions and millions of dollars. But remember, it's not their money; it's yours. Today with me is a special guest, Doctor Brian Rushfeldt. He is the Executive Director of Canada Family Action and a great organization in this country that is really making a difference. They have a new campaign

called the s-, "Child Safe Nation" campaign and we'll talk about that in the second segment. But at this point I would like to get Brian's reaction. I've been working with him for, I don't know, many, many, many, many years. I'm actually the president of his organization and, uh, it's an honour to work with him. I call Brian, I believe you're the biggest trouble-maker in this country.

Rushfeldt: Well, and I always argue that I'm a lot smaller than you are, so I must be number two.

McVety: Oh yeah. [laughs]

Rushfeldt: It is, it is an honour to work with you on, uh, --

McVety: Are you, are you talking about my waistline?

Rushfeldt: Oh no, I wouldn't do that. [laughs]

McVety: No, no. But I appreciate, I appreciate the honour of working with you and we, we've worked together, uh, so closely for so many years, even though you're in that ice cold city of Calgary.

Rushfeldt: Yeah, yeah. Calgary, clean Calgary.

McVety: And, uh, you know, I'm originally from Winnipeg, so I know what cold is all about.

Rushfeldt: Yes, you do. Yeah.

McVety: And I, and I love to go out and visit. But you and I have been working on this issue of these sex parades.

Rushfeldt: Mm.

McVety: Because we, we were appalled when the Federal Government made that announcement, that Diane, Minister Diane Ablonczy went and handed out a four hundred thousand dollar cheque. [photo of Ablonczy with Stephen Harper in background] And they'd even set aside a hundred million dollars. They were gonna, they were gonna start bankrolling these parades all across the country.

Rushfeldt: Exactly. And that's, that's, uh, a major concern. I mean, the fact that we've got people parading down any street in this nation, uh, nude, doing sexual perversion on each other is, is serious.

McVety: [?]. Yeah.

Rushfeldt: But the fact that we as taxpayers and the fe-, folks out there as taxpayers, are paying for this, is, ought to be even, uh, a bigger concern. And this four hundred thousand dollar cheque that, uh, that Diane Ablonczy stood up and said oh look at this, isn't this wonderful. Um, using taxpayers' dollars to promote supposedly something that brings in tourists to Toronto. First of all, I'm not convinced at all it does bring tourists.

McVety: Sure

Rushfeldt: Secondly, the fact they're using tax money or giving tax money to such a, a, an unfriendly, unfamily, immoral event is just not acceptable.

McVety: And, and the reason, I mean, some people watching may say well, hey, you know, let them have their gay, gay revellers and, you know, who cares? But you know what? We care.

Rushfeldt: Mm.

McVety: One reason is because this is criminal activity, to parade down the streets in the nude. [photo of police car painted with pride rainbow in parade & caption "Pride parade is criminal activity"] There is the *Criminal Code of Canada* says that you can't do that. This is a violation. It's an abuse of public space, it's abuse of our children.

Rushfeldt: Yeah. And, and there's children always present there. I don't know why anybody would take their children to such an event. But they, the children are there. It is criminal and it's illegal and it, it –

McVety: Sure.

Rushfeldt: – amazes me that the police were standing along that route, watching this stuff go on, no charges were ever laid against anyone during that whole parade. [photo of people wearing police uniforms walking in parade & caption "Toronto World Sex Parade 2014"]

McVety: And, and the reason we call it a "sex parade" is because it's not just homosexuality. I mean, they've got these, this LGBT, uh, acronym, but they've expanded it –



Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: -- to about 23 letters I think. And they've got everything from, uh, from, uh, gay, lesbian, transgendered, transsexual, uh, --

Rushfeldt: Two-spirited.

McVety: Two-spirited. You know what? Transvestite. I don't know. You, you've got the full gamut and all they do is parade sex down our main streets. And this is not, this is, what public good is it?

Rushfeldt: Well, and that whole title, whatever all those things are.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: They're all sex-related.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: Every one of them are [*sic*] sex-related.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: But they say oh no, this isn't about sex parade, this is about celebrating our lifestyle. Well, your lifestyle is about, that you're making it, is about sexual issues.

McVety: Sure.

Rushfeldt: So they're sex parades, period.

McVety: And you know, we've been attacked, uh, quite ferociously.

Rushfeldt: Mm hm.

McVety: Uh, in the media. Today in a, in another article in the *Toronto Sun*, they, they talk about it and they, and I'll read from it. [text of article from website appears on screen with portions highlighted] The writer says "What truly enrages me is, is that Warmington's column revolves around an insignificant source, Charles McVety. He's not a

councillor, he's not on the Pride committee." Wow. "He's not on the board that determines government grant recipients, but he's the president of Canada Christian College and Canada Family Action Coalition and boy does he hate gay people."

Rushfeldt: See, that kind of, of hateful speech coming from that particular individual who wrote that column –

McVety: Sure.

Rushfeldt: -- is part of what we're, what this whole thing is about. As soon as you disagree with some of the gay and lesbian people, there are people like that writer of that column who, who not only want to just challenge you on what you say and what you believe, but they want to actually be, be derogatory –

McVety: Yeah.

Rushfeldt: – and accuse you of hating gay people when she probably hasn't even met you, probably doesn't know you other than to see the quotes.

McVety: And, and, you know, to, you know, you love the sinner and you hate the sin. I mean, if, if you're going to practise something that's self-destructive, we're going to teach that that practice is not good.

Rushfeldt: Mm hm. Absolutely.

McVety: Now, you know, the tax dollars are already flowing like a river to these events.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: Four hundred thousand dollars federally.

Rushfeldt: To the, to the Toronto parade alone.

McVety: To the Toronto Pride Parade. Three hundred thousand dollars provincially. And over a million dollars, according to this article –

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: According to a city councillor, over a million dollars was given to the Pride Parade. And they also spent three hundred thousand dollars advertising Toronto as a sex tourism destination.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And they call, now Toronto, it used to be, uh, I know you're from Calgary and I know it's hard to swallow, but our motto used to be "Toronto the Good".

Rushfeldt: Yeah. Toronto the Good, yes.

McVety: Now they've changed it. "Toronto, as Gay as It Gets". [photo of a Toronto tourism advertisement that features photographs of the GLBT community]

Rushfeldt: Mm hm.

McVety: That's how they identify our city.

Rushfeldt: From the tourist industry, paid again by tax dollars.

McVety: Yes. And look at what they, look at how they advertise our, our city: "On any given day, hot boys and hot girls fill Church Street with" enerdy, "energy, passion and opportunity."

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: I mean what, they're talking about prostitution!

Rushfeldt: Isn't that a wonderful thing to be advertising to the world. That, come to Toronto and there's boys, young boys and young girls and you can do whatever you want with them. I, that, that to me is, is criminal in itself –

McVety: That's right.

Rushfeldt: That you would promote a city for such, uh, illicit purposes.

McVety: And now they're saying that this is going to cost ten million dollars.

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: And if, if we get stuck as the taxpayers paying this ten million dollar bill, I'm going to pop a cork.

Rushfeldt: Well, somebody's going to get stuck because you can, I will guarantee that the tourist industry itself, tourism that's generated out of this, will never pay a ten million dollar bill.

McVety: You know what? I don't believe their numbers. I've been down there. We did a prayer rally and, you know, if you had a million people on Yonge Street, there'd be congestion –

Rushfeldt: Oh, it would be wall to wall people for five miles.

McVety: But you could've shot a canon down University Avenue and not touched anybody. [photograph of giant rainbow flag being carried in parade; caption "Sex parade drive away families"] I don't believe it, I don't believe that there is this, this tremendous tourism gain. Why? Because during the Pride Festival of this year, they said there was over a million people.

Rushfeldt: Mm hm.

McVety: Sometimes they say one point five, sometimes they say seven hundred and fifty thousand.

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: But here's a fact. That there're 32 thousand hotel rooms in the city of Toronto and on that weekend, twenty per cent of them were vacant. Now, where did those million people stay?

Rushfeldt: Yeah, where did all those tourists stay? Were they sleeping in the street?

McVety: And furthermore, you have, you advertise across the world that Toronto is a sex tourism destination, as gay as it gets, with, full of opportunity for sex with hot boys –

Rushfeldt: Yeah, with boys, boys and girls.

McVety: -- and hot girls.

Rushfeldt: Underage people.

McVety: How many families are gonna say let's go to Toronto for our, our vacation?

Rushfeldt: Well, if they listen to your mayor they'll certainly come. Because the mayor was on TV just two days ago saying isn't it wonderful we got these events? You know what I like best about it? he said. It's because families come.

Video clip of Toronto Mayor David Miller: And a great thing for me, is when you're marching in the Pride Parade in Toronto, you see families from every cultural background lining the parade route.

Rushfeldt: This is not a family –

McVety: Families to a sex parade? This is outrageous.

Rushfeldt: It is.

McVety: Nudity, sex acts, the full gamut. That's how out of touch, unfortunately, our public officials have become.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And I want you to go to our website, word.ca, and I want you to sign the petition to stop funding these sex parades. [Image of website on which there is a button called "Stop 'Sex Parade' Funding"] Your voice counts.

Rushfeldt: Mm hm.

McVety: Call us, 416-391-5000. We'll send you a copy of the petition so you can get all your friends to sign it. Because if you say nothing, then you know what? You're going to end up footing this bill! And this is not just a Toronto issue. There are sex parades right across this country in Calgary and Edmonton and Vancouver and Halifax and Montreal. This is an issue that is right across this country and unfortunately they're turning our streets into Sodom and Gomorrah on my watch and on yours. If we band together, Deuteronomy 32 says that one can put a thousand to flight. Well two can put ten thousand to flight. [words appear on screen, caption identifies them as from Deuteronomy 32:30 (King James Version): "How could one chase a thousand, And two put ten thousand to flight, Unless their Rock had sold them, And the LORD had surrendered them?"] If we band together, we can have victory over this and stop the flow of millions of dollars to these sex parades. But make sure you go on word.ca and sign that petition. We're going to be right back with Doctor Brian Rushfeldt

of Canada Family Action with this wonderful new nationwide campaign to have Canada as a child-safe nation. We'll be right back after this short break.

- promo for Canada Family Action's "Child Safe Nation" campaign; gives statistics on child pornography

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. You need to go to that website, ChildSafeNation.ca or go to word.ca. We'll have a link that you can get to it and get involved. Why? Because children depend upon this. Our children are in danger today. Why? Because our internet service providers are pumping millions of photographs of children being abused and these, these photographs are being viewed by your neighbours. You can mark my words on this. And they watch it and then that puts your children, your grandchildren, your, your, your, your friends' children all in danger. When they sit and watch it, thirty per cent of them will actually come out and do something about it. That is dangerous. And if you don't do something about it, then, if I don't do something about it, what good is in me? If we can't protect our children, what good is in us? Today with me is Doctor Brian Rushfeldt who is the executive director of Canada Family Action and he has, he's launched this Child Safe Nation campaign across this country and, and, Brian, I, I, I don't think there's anything closer to a father's heart than protecting his little boys and girls from sexual predators.

Rushfeldt: That's why the heart of the father is, is for children.

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: And really that's why we as, as, uh, believers, as Christians, we have to be the ones to protect these children because children are defenceless. They are innocent. Uh, somebody over them in authority or an adult can get them to do almost anything that they want. Uh, the whole notion of using the internet to commit sex crimes against children has become a massive problem in Canada because of the internet. [photo of hand on laptop computer mouse; caption "Child pornography in Canada have [*sic*] increased over 900%"] But the bigger problem than that, Charles, in some way, is when we catch these people, the judges are letting them back out on the streets to attack more kids.

McVety: Unbelievable.

Rushfeldt: Did, did you know that the, the minimum sentence for producing sex, uh, movies of children, abusing children and producing a sex movie –

McVety: Yes?

Rushfeldt: -- is 90 days.

McVety: Ninety days.

Rushfeldt: Ninety days.

McVety: For, for, and let's, you know, they call it "child pornography", but let's say what it is.

Rushfeldt: Yeah, it's sex abuse of children.

McVety: I-, i-, it's, it's almost always an adult man, male –

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: -- violating, even penetrating a, a little boy or a little girl. They videotape that child abuse and then they sell it on the internet.

Rushfeldt: It, it's –

McVety: And they get 90 days!

Rushfeldt: Get 90 days. And it's like inten-, it's like, uh, first degree murder. It's an intentional crime against kids. And to, –

McVety: Well!

Rushfeldt: To let, to have a minimum sentence of 90 days. So we're actually lobbying the government, I just spent two days on Parliament Hill, uh, talking to a bunch of members of Parliament, saying we need s-, to fix the problems in the *Criminal Code* –

McVety: Sure.

Rushfeldt: -- to help it. But first we gotta get rid of the term "child pornography" because it's not pornographic. This is forced sexual abuse of children. So let's call it what it is.

McVety: That's being videotaped or photographed.

Rushfeldt: Yes. Secondly, we cannot allow, uh, such weak sentences to be placed by judges on this.

McVety: Yeah.

Rushfeldt: In fact, judges, these aren't even mandatory. [words appear on screen "90 days for production, 90 days for distribution, 14 days for possession"; caption "Child sexual abuse penalties in Canada"] Ninety days for, uh, production, 90 days for distribution, 14 days for possession of this stuff.

McVety: And, and, and the, those are only guidelines.

Rushfeldt: And they're guidelines. They're not, so –

McVety: Well –

Rushfeldt: -- we're getting probation for some of these sex offenders. We're getting house arrest. We're getting, we got a guy in Kelowna that's spending his 60-day sentence on weekends. The rest of the week he's out available to abuse more children.

McVety: You know, and, I read one report where, where a man was, was, uh, charged with possessing child pornography and he was in prison where he could not get at his child pornography, so he had his lawyer make a claim to the judge that he needed his two million pictures of children being abused so he could analyze the evidence that the police have.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: I mean, this is how insane –

Rushfeldt: Absolutely insane.

McVety: But you know what, Brian? This is being pumped into our neighbours' homes.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And, and, and your ad that we just showed, it shows how, how, what is there? Nine hundred per cent increase on, on, on different, uh, types of child pornography.

Rushfeldt: Yeah. Uh, charge, charges in Canada, and people say, oh, it's happening in Thailand or somewhere else. No, this is in Canada.



McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: Eight to nine hundred per cent increase in the charges just on production and distribution. That's not talking about all the people that they've been catching, uh, that have possessed it. Like the bishop, like others who have got six thousand, eight thousand, fifteen thousand images on their computers.

McVety: No. Uh, and, and then you have the whole, the whole issue of, uh, uh, of these people who conduct these acts.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: They're n-, uh, they're oftentimes, and we've talked about this a lot over the last few months because we, we work together and many of the viewers went and called their MPs and, and Joy Smith did a wonderful job pushing that bill through –

Rushfeldt: Tra-, trafficking.

McVety: Uh, to provide a five year minimum sentence.

Rushfeldt: Five years, yeah.

McVety: My wife was outraged with that. She said it should be 50 years.

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: I, I mean, Jesus Christ, what did he say about these guys? He said if you touch one of these little ones –

Rushfeldt: Yeah, you harm a little one ...

McVety: It'd be better that a millstone be placed around your neck. Now, you know how big a millstone is. It weighs, like, two tons.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And you be cast into the middle of the sea.

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: Now, now, but our judges, "Oh, poor, poor, poor, uh, poor, uh, man."

Rushfeldt: Yeah. Well –

McVety: "You can't help yourself." And "this is a disease". And, you know, "we'll give you seven days in prison for, for violating these little boys and girls."

Rushfeldt: Yeah. You violate a child and, and the judge, in several cases, has said you can't have the use of your computer for three months.

McVety: Wow.

Rushfeldt: What? For violating a child and affecting, one of the, one of the –

McVety: Yeah, destroying that child's life. You get nothing.

Rushfeldt: Well, and with child pornography or child sex images, it's an ongoing issues with the victims because, as one, uh, victim said to us, "I'd sooner be sexually abused once than have images out there because those images can never come back. I have to live the rest of my life with wondering who's looking at my images." It never ends.

McVety: And, and, and, somehow, we've worked on this for a couple of years to get the internet service providers to block it.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: And they could, with the hit of a, a, a, of a button, they could block this criminal material –

Rushfeldt: Mm hm.

McVety: -- from being distributed through their networks. [photo of hands on a keyboard; caption "Internet service providers could stop child porn abuse"] But they won't do it!

Rushfeldt: No. That, that's the other issue that we need to fight, is, is there is some control over the internet. We may not control it a hundred per cent, but let's control it what we can. But let's not let these predators back out to abuse more kids.

McVety: No. We have to have minimum sentences.

Rushfeldt: Mandatory minimums.

McVety: Mandap-, mandatory.

Rushfeldt: Yes.

McVety: We have to have strict provisions to make sure that they don't get out and do this again.

Rushfeldt: Yes. Absolutely.

McVety: And, and, and you know what? Any judge that, that let's one of these, these, these perverts out on the street, and then that pervert goes and violates another child, that judge is culpable.

Rushfeldt: I, I think the judge should be crim-, be held criminally responsible if they do not apply at least a, a reasonable sense of justice in that particular case. Because they are part of, then, the next crime.

McVety: You know, I, I, I, I hear some fathers saying no, no, no, no. When it comes to this, we don't dial 911.

Rushfeldt: That's right.

McVety: We'll go deal with it ourselves.

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: Why? Because the government is being a joke about this.

Rushfeldt: Yeah.

McVety: Th-, they're not, you know, i-, if your little daughter or your little five-year-old son is raped by a, a 50-year-old man and then the government gives the guy seven days in prison or, or whatever, uh, you know what? People will start taking this into their own hands.

Rushfeldt: Well, well they will. And, in fact, I think there's going to be vigilante action if this kind of thing continues. As one par-, person pointed, if your wife was raped and videotaped and put on the internet, would you call it pornography? No, you'd call it rape, first of all. And you'd expect justice to be applied by [*sic*] that criminal who committed the crime.

McVety: But there's no justice.

Rushfeldt: No justice.

McVety: You, you have this campaign. You have coins that make change. [holds up paper coin]

Rushfeldt: Right.

McVety: Where you're asking businesses to put this forward and allowing people to donate toward the campaign.

Rushfeldt: Yeah. The little card and we've got posters that they could put up in their window of the store. [holds up poster]

McVety: Yes?

Rushfeldt: Uh, then the little cards and they, they ask, we're asking people to sign this to indicate that they're supportive of this. Give a donation and then the business sends the cards and the, the donations back to us. Helps pay for the brochures that we're going to be printing. Uh, 350 thousand brochures are coming out –

McVety: All right.

Rushfeldt: -- on the streets in January of 2010.

McVety: And how can we get those to distribute them?

Rushfeldt: Uh, --

McVety: Go on the website.

Rushfeldt: Go on the website.

McVety: Sign up.

Rushfeldt: Phone up, e-mail –

McVety: Yes.

Rushfeldt: -- and ask if you want a hundred, if you want ten thousand of 'em, we'll fill the order and get 'em to ya. [images of Child Safe Nation website]

McVety: Ahh, it's wonderful to hear that something is being done. We need to work to make our country a child safe nation. So I want you to go to the website word.ca. Go and click on this Child Safe Nation button and get involved. Give, give, give Brian your e-mail address and he'll communicate with you and you can spread this information around. And you can be part of the solution. Also, remember, go on and sign that petition to stop the funding of these sex parades because if you don't, then they will be fully funded. Mark my words. We're going to be right back with *Word TV* after this short break.

- promos for DVD *Expelled* & Child Safe Nation

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. We need to work to make this a child safe nation, so I want to ask you to go to ChildSafeNation.ca. Go to word.ca, sign these petitions, get involved and make sure that you don't do nothing because all that evil needs to triumph is for good people to do nothing. We have people waiting to talk to you, even at this late time on Sunday night. Call us, 416-391-5000. Or call that, that 1-800 number at the bottom of the screen. I want to thank Doctor Brian Rushfeldt for, for, for doing what you do. To, to fight, to, uh, to help the children of this country.

Rushfeldt: Always, uh, good to be with you, Charles and we're going to fight this one 'til we win.

McVety: And, and we will win. Why? Because truth sets you free. And one can put a thousand to flight. You and me [sic] can put ten thousand to flight. Make sure you call us. Thank you for being with us on *Word TV*. And, remember, we have a new film coming out called *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. You, you're, you're gonna want to get a copy of it. We look forward to seeing you next week on *Word TV*. May god bless you until then.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, we have experienced a partial victory in this country of Canada over the forces that want to legalize prostitution and polygamy. The justice minister has decided to intervene. [photo of "Federal Justice Minister Rob Nicholson"] And yes, that is a, a partial victory because now there'll at least be a proper defence of the constitutionality of these bans on these illicit practices. But first in the news, a Muslim cleric in Toronto has been preaching hatred in his mosque on Fridays. [image of *National Post* article] And, yes, he has been posting these hate-filled speeches up on the internet, up on YouTube. And the *National Post* and other news agencies got a hold of this and they are outraged to see what is being preached at, not in, in, in, in Saudi Arabia or Iraq or Afghanistan, but in Canada, in this city of Toronto. It's not, I am not outraged by it because I have known that this has been happening for a long, long time in this city. Why? Because I know what the Qur'an teaches. I know what Sura 9 teaches about the People of the Book and jihad and, and their call to fight. And I know that this goes on on a regular basis. Actually the imam is just preaching and teaching that which he is supposed to according to his interpretation of the Qur'an. What he said in this sermon is that Allah must destroy the enemies of Islam from within. And he called on god to damn the infidels. Now this is rough talk. This is actually hate speech. It violates the section 319 of the *Criminal Code of Canada*. You cannot call on your god to destroy fellow citizens of Canada. And to damn all of them. This is outrageous. Why? Because it leads to unfortunately action that, that, that, that brings people into danger. We've seen this on September 11<sup>th</sup> where, yes, over three thousand people died. But you know what, twenty-three Canadians died because of those terrorist attacks. [photo of destroyed buildings burning; caption "9-11 World Trade Center"] Let's not forget those twenty-three Canadians. One of them was a hockey hero, flying on an airplane towards New York and he ended up crashing into that building and dying. Yes, this is a real danger to us here in Canada. We've had people convicted of terrorism charges with that terrible gang of seventeen that was, that was broken up, thankfully, by good law enforcement tactics. But you know what? We tend to be lulled to sleep, that we are not in danger. But, yes, this danger is in our midst. This local imam, his name is Saed Rageah at the North York Abu Huraira Centre. [image of *National Post* article on screen] Excuse my pronunciation. I don't think I can, I know I didn't get that right, but what he said was that he cried for Allah to "protect us from the fitna [sedition] of these people." The People of the Book he's referring to. "Oh Allah, protect us from the evil agenda of these people. Allah, destroy them from within themselves. And do not allow them to raise their heads in destroying Islam." Now why would they preach such a thing? Why would they teach such a thing? Why would Christians be a threat to them? Christians preach love. Jesus Christ gave us the great commandment to love our enemies as we love ourselves. To love our brothers as we love ourselves. To put love over everything and care for those who even spitefully use you. Who even attack you with words. These are the commandments of Jesus Christ. So what threat is that teaching to a mu-, a, an imam in a mosque in the city of Toronto? Well, what the Muslims believe is that there is a contest, a religious contest. They believe that Allah is the almighty god. Not the god of Israel. Not the god of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. Not the god of Jesus Christ. They believe that Allah is the almighty god. So they believe that if they are victorious over the god of Israel, over the god of Jesus, then that will prove that Allah is the supreme god. But if they believe that if, if the god of Israel is victorious over, over Allah, then, of course, the god of Israel is the, the supreme god, the great creator, the ruler of the universe. [historical coloured drawing of men in turbans sitting on horse fighting other men with armour and swords; caption "Muslim beliefs"] So this is not something that they can permit or allow and they're called by the Qur'an to fight to death.

They are called to do whatever they can to defend Islam. Every able-bodied man and, man on Earth is called to fight to the death to defend Islam. Back in the seventh century, just after the life of Mohammed, the Muslims marched into Jerusalem and they captured the city. They took over this city of Jerusalem and, and what did they do? They built a mosque on one of the holy sites, the site of the temple of the god of Israel. And they, they, the temple of the Jewish people. Now, when they defeated the forces that were occupying or governing Jerusalem, they did not defeat the Jews because it was the Byzanti-, it was the Byzantine Christians that were occupying the governing the city [*sic*] of Jerusalem. They defeated the Christians. [photograph of a religious building; caption "The Temple Mount"] They went to this, this seat of the god of Israel, this Temple Mount, the place where the Jeru-, Jewish temple sat, where Solomon's temple was. This place where there was the holy of holies and the seat of the god of Israel and they took it over. And they built an eight-sided mosque. Now it's important that we recognize that it's an eight-sided mosque. [photograph of mosque; caption "The Dome of the Rock"] And they built this great dome. It's now referred to as the Dome of the Rock. They put a gilded gold covering on that dome. And on the outside of that, of that mosque, they put an inscription that was from the Qur'an. And the inscription says that god is one and he has no son. [photograph of inscription on side of mosque with Arabic words highlighted] Yes, god is one and he has no son. This is, this is duplicated all around the perimeter of the Dome of the Rock. And it's then duplicated, replicated all around the perimeter of the inside of this dome. I've been there. I've seen it. I have pictures of it. I have translations of it. Of course it's in Arabic. But this dome was put in the place as, as an offence to Christianity. We look at the current Israeli-Arab conflict, this Jewish-Muslim conflict and we think that Christians have nothing to do with it. We're sort of innocent bystanders and, and those twenty-three Canadians died because of these two warring cousins in the Middle East. Nonsense. Believe you me, we Christians are in the crosshairs and this imam is saying it. Why? Because the Qur'an does not differentiate between Christians and Jews, calls us both the same thing: the People of the Book. The people of the Bible. The people that worship the god of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the people that worship the god of Israel. So the Muslims see this as a contest. They see that Allah has been victorious. In fact, even though Israel governs Jerusalem, that Temple Mount is governed by Jordan. It's governed by the Muslims. I've walked all over that Temple Mount. It is a very sensitive place. If you take a Bible out or if you're a non-Muslim and you attempt to pray, you can find yourself in prison. Back in, on September the 28<sup>th</sup>, 2000, the year 2000, Ariel Sharon, uh, a member of the Knesset, he was not the prime minister at the time, he went and just walked on the Temple Mount [photograph of Ariel Sharon] and the Muslims went absolutely bananas. They, they, they, they, they called for a, a, uh, an intifada and they started warring against the Jewish people because Ariel Sharon just walked there. He didn't talk about it, he didn't say that they were going to rebuild the Jewish temple or anything. He just took a walk. Well, this, of course, was, from their perspective, an affront to their position. Why? Because they believe that Allah is the supreme god. They built this, this mosque, the only mosque in the world that is eight-sided with a dome. Actually, I believe the foundation was that of a church. Why? Because the Byzantines built all their churches as octagons with a place of importance right in the middle. But the Muslims conquered this. They built that Dome of the Rock and that Dome of the Rock sits today as a testimony for them that Allah is the supreme gog, god. This, of course, is nonsense, but unfortunately they believe it and they preach it and this puts you and I [*sic*], all Christians and all Jews in this country in danger. We're going to be right back after this short break, but make sure you watch this little promotion for *The Third Jihad* and get the film. Call us, 416-391-5000. Give us your name and address and we'll send you a free copy of our magazine the *Evangelical Christian*. And also we have an incredible film coming out in early December. [poster for film, image of centre block of Parliament with gavel in front of it] It's called *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*. You need to get this film. You can pre-order it by calling tonight at 416-391-5000 or go on the website word.ca. And make sure you sign those petitions. [image of website] Sign the petition to stop the funding of the Pride Parade in 2014 and

other sex parades in this country of Canada. Sign the petition to protect children from, from the harm of poverty, hunger and sexual exploitation. Also go on and sign that petition to support Israel and vote in the poll. Go to word.ca, get involved! Even at this late time on Sunday night, we have people waiting to talk to you. We'll be right back after this short break.

- promo for *The Third Jihad* film (described above in July 19 episode)
- promo re child pornography by Canada Family Action, Child Safe Nation campaign

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, an Islamic cleric in the city of Toronto – yes, in Toronto – has been preaching hatred. Now, thankfully there are other Muslims that are not preaching hatred; they are preaching a message of love. And someone like that, I debated him the other day on, on the *Michael Coren Show*, Tarek Fatah. He is a very liberal Muslim. [photo of “Tarek Fatah, Canadian Muslim author and commentator”] In fact, he is so liberal that he votes for same-sex marriage and everything else. I mean, to me he's much, much too liberal, but at least he doesn't hold to these very, very archaic twelfth century jihadist principles. And he says about this, he says that these, the, the cleric's ritual prayer asking for the defeat of Christians and Jews and the victory of Islam is not unique. [image of *National Post* article with passages highlighted]. He says this is a regular sermon that is preached in mosques all over the city of Toronto. But he goes on to say it is, of course, something that should not be tolerated in Canada because it is the spreading of hate. He also objects to the Muslims that teach that women should wear the nijab [sic] or, or, or a burka or any other covering. And this also was part of that sermon. We need to take a stand. Why? Because we as Christians and Jews are both under attack. We are in the same Noah's ark and we are facing the same enemy: the enemy of hate, the enemy of destruction, the enemy of sin and disease and everything else. But one of those enemies, of course, is terrorism and it ha-, already has killed Canadians. We saw this last week. A Canadian in the United States arrested for a horrific terrorist plot. [image of article on *Calgary Herald* website] This is happening on our soil, in our backyard and we need to be aware of it. You're not gonna get this information by going to CBC or CTV, but you will get this information right here. So I want you to get involved. Call us at word dot, *Word TV* at, go to the website at word.ca and call us at 416-391-5000.

Also in the news this week, we've had a partial victory on the issue of the legalization of prostitution and legalization of polygamy. For several months, we've been calling on the justice minister to engage and get involved and intervene in these cases. [photo of “Federal Justice Minister Rob Nicholson”] Why? Because these are federal laws. But unfortunately the government has taken, previously had taken a position that, that it was up to the attorney general of each province to defend the constitutionality of the law. This was ho-, this is horrific because we know that homosexual activists and others that want to change the laws of this country have been using a strategy to overthrow our democratically elected laws by first infiltrating the attorney general's office in a province such as Ontario, then using their influence to see a, a, a *Charter* challenge court case filed and then what you end up having is homosexual activists on one side of the *Charter* case and then the attorney general's office, they're committed to defending the constitutionality of the law. But, in reality, the attorney general's office was really on the other side. This has been happening for years. It happened in the M versus H case where two lesbians were suing each other for alimony. And actually they, they, they, they, they settled with each other, but the attorney general's office appealed and took this court case on without the two participants and took it all the way to the Supreme Court and redefined the whole issue, uh, uh, the whole issue of, of divorce and the whole issue of alimony. They saw that this was a good strategy, a judicial



strategy to change the law. So then they, they put forward a law or a court case to redefine marriage. And do you know what? Here they were again, arguing both sides of the case, ensuring that the judge would only see information that would lead that judge to believe that the law was unconstitutional. We know history, we know in June of 2003, our marriage was overthrown. It was redefined by the stroke of a pen, by the judge in Ontario who said, and I quote, "It is the court's obligation to redefine the law". [photo of Roy McMurtry] No, it isn't, Mr. Justice Roy McMurtry. It is the court's obligation to uphold the law. It's a court's obligation to, to adjudicate, to decide whether or not something is constitutional. That is fine, but not to re-write the law! Not to be law-makers! That's why, one of the reasons why we're making this film called *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*. [image of film poster] And you must get it. It's gonna be a, a bestseller. But in this case, in the case of polygamy, we asked that the justice minister intervene. He said no, I'm not gonna intervene. It's, it's provincial. Let the attorney general, uh, uh, fight this battle. But, but we said no, no, no, no, this is not provincial. It's a federal law! It's a federal crime to practise polygamy. But, no, he refused. [photo of Justice Minister] But after several months of I-, of, of, of many people phoning in to the Prime Minister's Office and the justice minister and, and, and thankfully now good common sense has, has prevailed and yes, the, our justice minister is now intervening. Not just in the polygamy case, but also in the case to legalize prostitution. What does this mean? Well, it doesn't mean, it doesn't guarantee victory, but it does mean that the justice minister will put forward good attorneys that will go in and fight for the constitutionality of these bans on prostitution and polygamy. And therefore we at least have a fighting chance. Without this, it would be virtually impossible for the judge to rule that the constitutional, uh, constitutionality of these laws would be upheld. But with these ju-, these attorneys in place, we now have a fighting chance to see that prostitution does not become legal on our watch. You need to call the justice minister and even the Prime Minister's Office and congratulate them on doing the right thing. Doing that which is sensical. Doing that which is wise and logical. Why? Because our children depend on it. It is horrific, the thought of legalizing prostitution. Prostitution is a scourge in this world. People say well, if you legalize it, it will then be, be clean, it will be safe and the, and the girls'll be protected. Nonsense! The reality is, is that Holland and Germany and other countries have legalized it and it's fueled the greatest slave trade in the history of mankind! [image of poster that reads "Human Trafficking: It happens here, it's happening now" & shows a row of jars which contain young women and children] Over eight hundred thousand humans bought and sold and traded every year in the sex slave industry. We don't want this coming to the country of Canada. We are fighting to, to create mandatory minimums for people who do this. And thankfully the bill that we have fought for for a long time is now in the Senate and hopefully they won't hold it up too long. This unelected, appointed Senate, hopefully they'll pass it. It will become the law to protect our children. And also on the issue of polygamy, again, it violates women, it violates children, it is archaic and it is a threat to civilization and it cannot be legalized on our watch. I want to challenge you to call us tonight, 416-391-5000. Call that 1-800 number at the bottom of the screen if it's long distance and we'll pay the long distance charge for you. We have Ediris and all of her phone counsellors that are waiting to talk to you, to take down your information, to get you involved. I also want to challenge you to go on [word.ca](http://word.ca) and sign these petitions. Why? Because your voice does mean a lot. Yes, our elected officials listen to the people and we need to get involved. We need to fight to protect our children. And our children's children from the degradation that people want to bring about. I want to urge you also to get a copy of this new film. It's not coming out until early December. *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*. Call us and we'll put you on the list so you'll be the first to get it. Call us, 416-391-5000. We, we'll be right back after this short break.

- promo for film *Expelled*

- promo for *Evangelical Christian* magazine

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. You need to get a copy of these videos. Why? Because they inform you so that you can make a difference to protect our children and our children's children. This week in the news, the imam has been preaching hate and yes, the hatred is against Christians, not just Jews. We know about the hatred that they have for the Jewish people because we see those terrible bombings on a regular basis. But the hatred is also against Christians and that puts all of us in danger. Also in the news, we have a partial victory where the justice minister, and we thank god for this, has agreed to intervene to stop the legalization of prostitution and to stop the legalization of polygamy. Yes, your voice does make a difference so make sure you go on the website, word.ca, and m-, and sign those petitions because you can help this country of Canada. Thank you for watching *Word TV*. Look forward to w-, to seeing you back here on this program next week and god bless you until then.

November 8, 2009

- McVety's intro
- promo for CCC
- Make a Change promo

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, HBO, the station that airs so much smut in Canada aired a program called *Curb Your Enthusiasm* [photo of Larry David] where Larry David, the star of this program, the, the, he is the producer of the program. He is pr-, a producer from *Seinfeld* fame. He went and urinated on a picture of Jesus Christ. And then, to make matters worse, the character in the, in the program, a young girl where [sic] Larry David was in their house, she went in and saw this urine dripping down from the eye of Jesus Christ and she said "Wow, it's a miracle" and she started praising this picture as, as if it's some kind of deity. And she then brought in her mother and they made complete buffoons out of these two Christians and really preached a lot of hatred against Jesus Christ and against Christianity in general. It's outrageous that this would happen on a national television network like HBO. And, of course, we're, we live in a free society and they're free to do whatever they want, but, you know what? We're also free to cancel whatever we want. So I have phoned and canceled HBO from my house and I urge you to go and do the same thing because if they're going to attack us, Christians, if they're going to attack Jesus Christ with this type of hatred, then we are free to not participate. Let's watch this short little clip from *Curb Your Enthusiasm* where Larry David urinates on Jesus Christ.

video clip identified as being from YouTube of segment in episode of *Curb Your Enthusiasm*.

Larry David walks into a bathroom in a home & lifts up the toilet seat. He looks at the wall to his right and notices a picture of Jesus. He moves his head towards the picture to examine it more closely. He then around and looks confused. At no time does the viewer see or get the impression that Larry David is urinating at all, let alone *on* the picture that is hanging at his eye level on the wall. The scene then cuts to Larry David sitting at a desk

with his feet up on it in what appears to be an office or den. A young woman wearing a short t-shirt that reveals her stomach is standing in front of him. She says "A miracle happened. I went into the bathroom and I called my mother in because there is a painting hanging up of Jesus." camera shifts to reveal that Jerry Seinfeld is also sitting in the room listening to her. She goes on, "It's beautiful. And he's got a tear."

McVety: This is outrageous. It should not be tolerated, but yes, in a free society, it is tolerated. But it's incredible that this, this, this, this garbage that comes out of Hollywood, the, the, the sewer of the world that spews this, their venom all over the world, they also act to stop anyone who would say anything against homosexuality. In fact, in Canada, it is now a crime to speak against homosexuality. Yes, I said a crime. Bill C-250 went through our Parliamentary system and made it a crime for anyone to speak against sexual orientation. [image of poster that reads "Equal Rights, It's the law" and shows close-up of two people holding hands] I spoke in the Senate on that issue and I asked them, could you please define "sexual orientation"? They could not define it because, of course, it means anything and everything. Maybe, it, or, it certainly means homosexuality and lesbianism, bisexuality, transgendered, two-spirited. All the, all the rest of it, but it could even mean other sexual orientations, all the way to the extreme of pedophilia or even bestiality. And it's now a crime to speak against these types of sexual practices in our country of Canada. Yes, it's a crime where you can be thrown into prison for two, up to two years! But, incredibly, the very same people on the, on the left of centre and on the extreme left, they also advocate for ridiculing and spreading hatred, hatred against discernible groups, which is the very definition of the hate crime in Section 319 and 320 of the *Criminal Code of Canada*. I am a free speech person and I believe that they should be free to spew their venom, but we should be free to take action. I don't think it's appropriate in a civil society to spew venom and hatred against other people. Yes, as Christians we are taught to speak against certain sexual practices. Not because you hate the person. You love the person, but you ha-, you love the sinner, but you hate the sin. You love the person, but you hate the self-destructive action that they're participating in. So you speak against it, but what has happened now? It is now a crime up to two years in prison. But these Hollywood producers can spew their venom all over the small screen. And they can spew their hatred with impunity. I mean, no one says anything and if you say anything, oh, they, they'll deem you to be for censorship and, and intolerant and all these other things when they are the ones spreading hatred. [HBO logo on screen with caption "Call HBO"] So I would encourage you to go and cancel HBO from your cable package or your satellite package. And tell them that you're not going to put up with the ridicule of your lord and saviour Jesus Christ being urinated on. And also the Christians in this, in this, uh, picture, in this, in this program, uh, treated with such disrespect. Also in that same program, Larry David being Jewish from New York and then Seinfeld being a, a, a, a son of Holocaust survivors, uh, from Hungary, they unfortunately are not only anti-Christian, they are also anti-Jewish. And they're what, what is referred to as "self-deprecating Jewish actors". And what they do is they make fun of Judaism on a regular basis. They've done this for years and they've, they've, of course, pandered to the anti-Semites of our society and that has given them a lot of fame, a lot of fortune and a lot of money. But unfortunately, again, this is more hatred. And I say to you, do you think they would have the guts to get a picture of Mohammed and urinate on Mohammed? Do you think they would have the guts to do something so offensive as that? But no, they don't. They'll only do it on, uh, with us because they know that we stand for love and tolerance and that we will permit it and we'll even turn the other cheek. But unfortunately in another episode of this horrific, uh, horrific series, they did the outrageous thing of comparing a, a survivor of the reality show *Survivor* with a survivor of the Holocaust. [black & white photo of pile of bodies and people standing around it with caption "The Holocaust"] I mean, how barbaric. The Holocaust where six million Jews were put to death. How outrageous to compare a Holocaust survivor that went through the death camps of Auschwitz or Dachau or some of these horrific death squads!

video clip from *Curb Your Enthusiasm* on YouTube

Man asks Larry David “Where is the other survivor?” David points across the room “He’s that, uh, tall guy over there.” Camera shows young man talking to blonde woman. “He’s, he’s from the television show.” The man looks at David quizzically. “*Survivor*?” The man says “What?” Scene cuts to the group sitting at a dinner table. The young *Survivor* star is sitting across from the old Jewish man. Young man says “You come across a taipan on the trail, you get bit, you’re dead. Thirty minutes flat.” Other dinner guests gasp. Old man says “I tell ya, that’s a very interesting story. Let me tell you, I was in a concentration camp! You never even suffered one minute in your life compared to what I went through!” The conversation continues as follows:

Young man: Look I’m sayin’, I’m sayin’ we spent forty-two days tryin’ to survive. We had very little rations, no snacks.

Old man: Snacks? What are you talking “snacks”? We didn’t eat sometimes for a week! For a month!

David: Don’t.

Old: We ate nothing! I went –

Young: I couldn’t work out when I was over there! They certainly didn’t have a gym!

Old: A what?!

Young: I wore my sneakers out and then the next thing you know I’ve got a pair of flip-flops!

Old: Flip-flops!

Young: You slip on the ground, on the dirt, okay?! A hundred and eighteen degrees during the day, ninety-eight at night with ninety-eight per cent humidity.

Old: Forty-five degrees below zero!

Young: Did you guys have a bathroom?

Old: A bathroom?!

Young: We didn't have one!

Old: We had twelve people at a time would go [clip fades out]

McVety: Unbelievable that they would compare a Holocaust survivor to that of this frivolous *Survivor* show in the middle of the, uh, Pacific Ocean. This is outrageous, it is hatred and it just shows the venom that's coming out of Hollyweird. And I want you to take action. Call us tonight, 416-391-5000. We have people waiting to talk to you tonight and we want to get you involved. 'Cause if you don't, they'll just keep spewing more venom and more hatred and cause you a whole lot more trouble. Also, I want you to watch this short clip from *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed*. [image of film poster] This is the greatest film I have ever seen. This short clip really shows the horrors of the Holocaust and how it was extreme leftists that brought about this disaster, this euthanasia. And when we come back, we're gonna talk about euthanasia [image of syringe with caption "'Euthanasia' Assisted Suicide"] because the Quebec College of Physicians has voted to legalize euthanasia in this country. Also, there is a bill in the House of Commons that also threatens to legalize euthanasia. "Euthanasia" is the Greek word for "good death", but it is not a good death. It is giving people the right to kill another person with that person's permission. This is barbaric, this is outrageous, it's happened in the past and we cannot let it happen again. Make sure you call us, though, 416-391-5000. Get a copy of this tremendous video *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed*. We only have a few copies left so call us tonight. Go to our website word.ca. Make sure you sign these petitions to stop funding for sex parades in this country. And also we have a new petition there to stop the legalization of euthanasia. We're going to be right back after we watch this short clip from *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed*.

clip from film

- word HADAMAR appears on screen

- black & white clip of jeep arriving at building with US flag hanging over door; voice-over: "American officers arrive at a Nazi institution seized by First Army troops. Under the guise of an insane asylum this has been the headquarters for the systematic" [narration fades out]

- Stein in back seat of car

- Stein outside of buildings talking to Uta George, Director – Hadamar Memorial

Stein: What is this place?

George: During the Second World War, fifteen thousand people were killed here.

Stein: Why were they killed?

George: They were killed because they were people with handicaps.

Stein: Why kill them? What's the point of killing them?

George: People who are, were not able to work, people who were not able to live by themselves, that they were useless eaters.

Stein: Useless eaters?

George: And, and life unworthy of living.

- black & white footage of emaciated man being turned around by someone examining him

Stein: This was a Darwinian concept?

George: Yes.

Stein: And also a Malthusian concept, very much Malthusian.

George: Yes, but the Nazis they, they relied on Darwin.

Stein: They relied on Darwin?

George: Yes. Darwin and German scientists.

- black & white clip of emaciated man lying down & person opening his shirt to examine him

- George leading Stein down hallway in side building

Stein voice-over: Patients were led down this hallway. The Nazi doctors who decided who would live and who would die.

- black & white footage of group of nurses and doctor wheeling a gurney down a hallway with person on it

- black & white footage of Hitler youth marching at rally where Hitler is speaking, subtitles translate Hitler's words: "What we desire of tomorrow's youth is different from what was desired in the past. We must create the new man so that our race will not succumb to the phenomenon of degeneration so typical of modern times."

Stein [inside room]: So were the prisoners told they were taking a shower?

George: Yes, they were taking a shower and here was one or two showers.

- camera pans around small room with high small windows

Stein: So how many people were brought into this room?

George: Sixty to seventy.

- Stein goes on to next area where there is a table

Stein: So what is this?

George: This is the dissection table.

Stein: Do you ever think to yourself, the sane ones were the ones lying here having their brains removed. The insane one was Doctor Gorgass and the other people.

George: No.

- they move on to next area

George: They had two crematory ovens.

Stein: I see.

George: And they killed about seventy people.

Stein: A day.

- black & white footage of men opening ovens

George: So, a day, so they had, um –

Stein: That's barely enough time. They had their work –

George: And they only, they only, only killed from Monday to Friday.

- scene of Stein walking away from building, voice-over "From Hadamar, I travel with Doctor Weikart to Dachau where the Nazis apply the ideas of eugenics on a massive, mechanistic scale."

- black & white arial view of buildings at concentration camp; pile of bodies in front of

building, sculpture on roof & inscription 1933-1945

Stein & Weikart sitting outside at Dachau

Stein: When it was a fully functioning concentration camp and, uh, what was the purpose of it? I mean, part of it was to repress political enemies. What was the, what was the rest of the purpose?

Weikart: Well, beyond the repression of the political enemies, which was its purpose from the, at the very beginning, then later on it transformed into repressing, uh, racial enemies. And sometimes those categories overlapped because sometimes they thought that these people were political enemies *because* they were inferior biologically. The war itself was part of the Darwinian struggle for existence for Hitler. And he saw the extermination of the Jews as one of those fronts to this, uh, warfare going on, uh, as this Darwinian struggle for existence.

-scene cuts to Weikart & Stein sitting outside somewhere else

Weikart: Hitler and many of the physicians that carried out this program were very fanatical Darwinists and particularly wanted to apply Darwinism to society.

- promo for Child Safe Nation

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. You need to get a copy of this video *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed*. It's the greatest film I've ever seen. Call us, 416-391-5000. Order your copy today. Or go on the website word.ca where you can buy it online and we'll get it out to you right away. Also in the news this week, we have this horrific scourge of euthanasia coming back upon us. And here we have the Quebec College of Surgeons, uh, Physicians and Surgeons that has voted to legalize euthanasia in the province of Quebec. That doesn't make it legal. It only says that the doctors are on board. There is a federal law, a bill that has been presented. The Bill C-384 is now being presented in the House of Commons to be voted upon by your member of Parliament. And we need to make sure that it doesn't pass. Because if it passes, what it will do is legalize euthanasia in a horrific way. What this bill promises to do is to give access for death for people who want it if they are suffering from physical or mental distress. I mean, that is outrageous. This is really not euthanasia. This is giving other people the permission to kill you. Do you really want to have your doctors gain permission to kill you? Do you want to have our society, our government especially, get permission to kill you. You may say well, you know what? This could never happen to you because you would not allow them to do it. Therefore it wouldn't happen. Well, no, if this bill passes, you, two doctors can come into your room. When you're under mental or physical distress you don't know what you'll do. And all they have to do is convince you that you are, you are a, a strain on the medical system. [photo of a male doctor standing beside the bed of a female patient hooked up to various machines] You are causing pain to your loved ones and yes, then they ask you to sign the document and then you're done. Then all of a sudden our doctors go against the Hippocratic Oath where they swear to uphold our health and to give us healing the best they can. Instead they can be focussed on such frivolous issues of whether we're a drain on society or not or a drain on our families. This is outrageous. And you say "Doctor McVety, this can never happen." Well, you know what? It did happen. You just saw the clip from Nazi Germany where they, where they took the distressed, mentally distressed and physically distressed. The handicapped, they took them into that horrific building and they killed them. Some of them, of course, were, were, were, some of them may have given permission, but most of them did not.



Those people went to horrific deaths. That's when the Holocaust began and it rose all the way to the point where they killed six million Jews. We can never ever allow that to happen again. But unfortunately we are on the verge of this happening. I have spoken to a number of Dutchmen where, where euthanasia has been legal for many years. And they tell me that the elderly are afraid to go to the hospital. Why? Because then this heavy will be put on them. And you know how weak you are when you're sick. You don't have a strong make-up about you where you can fight for your life. You could easily be convinced to allow them to take your life. And guess what? That's exactly what they do in Holland. And then, uh, the doctors, the medical profession, the hospitals turn away from healing and turn to death. To give permission to kill another person. It's outrageous. Well this whole movement got a shot in the arm this week because of a man who is a quadriplegic and he is, he is now a, a Member of Parliament from Manitoba. And he is also the minister of democratic reform in this country of Canada. This man's name is Steve Fletcher and we feel very bad for him. [photo of "The Honourable Steven John Fletcher"] He was in a moose accident in 1996 and he has become a C4 quadriplegic where he has, he has no movement from the neck down. And, yes, he is in very, very difficult straits, but you know what? People cared for him. And they gave him support. And because of that support, he is now living a, a good life that is very productive. He is elected as a Member of Parliament. Now he is a Cabinet minister and he is leading this country. But unfortunately he came out in the *National Post* and wrote an op-ed where Steve, Steven Fletcher, the title of it was "Make life the first choice". [image of article] Well, you know what? Death should not be the second choice, but he infers that in this article. [close-up of certain highlighted passages of article] And he says that he wants to be empowered to make the best decisions for myself and if I am unable, I want the people who love me to do what they think is in my best interest. I do not want to be forced to live in hell because the law does not take into account my unique circumstances and because someone imposed their values on the meaning of life for me. Well, guess what, Mister Fletcher? You were at a very low point and you do testify that, that you did want to take your life. But thank god the doctors were not permitted to do so. Thank god that your loved ones were not permitted to sign a document to allow them to kill you. Because we would not have this great Member of Parliament and this great minister of the Crown doing what you do best! That is the reality of this debate of euthanasia. Once you give someone else the power to kill you by law, then we can be in dreadful straits. Yes, Mister Fletcher, he went on to say "in my case, my own wish to be euthanized in the time after my accident changed as I began to receive more support." What he advocates for is that we need to support these people that are either in physical duress [sic] or mental anguish. And, yes, eventually the condition will change where your decision will be different. But you know what? If the law, Bill C-384, passed, then they would've killed you and then he couldn't make that decision. This is, this is outrageous that in our day and age in a civilized society that we would start giving other people a licence to kill. No, I don't want it to happen. Also in the news this week, we have the New Brunswick schools, about ten schools that have gotten together and they've made an appeal to the minister of education asking for them to be relieved from singing Canada's national anthem. [image of *National Post* article entitled "N.B. schools seek O Canada exemption"] I mean, this is outrageous. Why? Because they say that our national anthem says "god keep our land glorious and free". They don't want to sing anything that has the word "god" in it. They're intolerant of religious people. They're intolerant of a deity. They're intolerant of their fellow citizens and they want to force their children not to sing something that might mention something that refers to the positions of other people in this country. Yes, they are free not to sing it, but to have the teachers actually ban it from the classroom and not allow the children to sing it, like they do prayer. They've banned prayer, they've banned the Bible. Now they want to ban our national anthem. What next? You know what? Maybe they'll go after our Constitution because our Constitution says that this country was formed based on the understanding of the supremacy of God. [image of *Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms* with Part 1 typed on screen] Yes, so maybe they'll fight against the Constitution. This is how intolerant these movements have become. And I want you to take

a stand. I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. We have this awesome new video, this new film that's coming out called *Besieged: Democracy under Attack* [poster for film] and you're going to watch for the first time on this program, for the first time in the world, you're going to see the introduction, the trailer for this show and then call us, 416-391-5000 and get registered to receive the very first copies of *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. And we'll be right back after this short clip.

promo for *Besieged*

- words appear on screen "Word Films Presents"
- title *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* with ominous music
- comicbook-like dark cityscape, camera travelling among buildings
- on side of windowed skyscraper the word "Democracy" appears at top; images of gay pride flag in parade, an eye, neon sign from strip club, fetus, etc. flash and words "Polygamy", "Morality", "Child pornography", "Prostitution", "Sex houses", "Sex tourism", and "Abortion" flash.
- camera shifts away then back, word "Democratic Principles Besieged" appears at top; photo of world leaders with caption "G-20" appears on one side of building & photo of Al Gore with caption "Al Gore: The Greatest Scam" on other.
- camera shifts away to another building "Democratic Freedom Besieged"; image of cross & "Freedom of religion" on one side; image of man at microphone & "Freedom of Press" on other
- another building "Democratic Foundations Besieged"; photo of Supreme Court justices "Judges now lawmakers!", morphs to photo of Parliament buildings, morphs to photo of Parliament buildings with red sky background
- camera travels along city street & poster for film: Parliament buildings with red fiery sky background & rotating gavel in front & movie title & "Coming December 09, [www.besieged.com](http://www.besieged.com)"

McVety: Call us tonight and register so you'll be the first person to get this new film, this new full-length feature film. It's a documentary, *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*, 416-391-5000 or call the 1-800 number at the bottom of your screen. We need to take a stand. This hate coming out of Hollywood where they're urinating on a picture of Jesus Christ is intolerable. Yes, we live in a free society, but as free members of that society, we have the freedom to cancel our HBO subscription. Also we have this horrible scourge of permission to kill that may become legalized. Of course, suicide is already legal. Anyone can take their own life. But now they want to get the permission for someone to take another person's life. This is barbaric, it's horrific. We must take a stand. I want to ask you to go to [word.ca](http://word.ca). I want you to sign that petition to stop the legalization of euthanasia. Thank you for watching *Word TV* this week and may god bless you until we see you again.

November 15, 2009

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, the Ontario Medical Association cancels its sponsorship of the racist medical crews to Dubai. And also the *Toronto Star* deems Prime Minister Stephen Harper an extremist because of his support for Israel. And also the euthanasia bill comes up for vote on December the 2<sup>nd</sup> where doctors could get the right to kill if it passes and becomes law. We'll be back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, the *Toronto Star* deems Stephen Harper, our prime minister, an extremist. [image of article from *Star* website entitled "Harper's extremism is showing"] Why? Because of his support for Israel, if you can imagine that. What they said is that Stephen Harper is on the verge of gaining a majority government and they're worried about this because Stephen Harper so passionately supports Israel. They took a, a radio clip from 2008 from a Montreal radio talk show where Stephen Harper said "I guess my fear is what I see happening in some circles is (an) anti-Israeli sentiment, really just a thinly disguised veil for good old-fashioned anti-Semitism." [words appear on screen with caption "Immigration Minister Jason Kenney said"] Stephen Harper said this on Montreal's CJAD Radio in May of 2008. From this, the *Toronto Star* somehow deems Stephen Harper an extremist. Fear-mongering, trying to scare people away from him as if he's some kind of hate-monger, but what is the position that he's putting forward here? That if you are horribly anti-Israel, where you are unfair, you are biased, you are one-sided, you tell half the truth, you don't tell the whole truth, you just constantly try to make Israel look bad, in fact, you even call Israel an apartheid state, then you are really an anti-Semite. This is something that we have been speaking about for many, many years. Because many people think that they can use this guise of criticism of Israel to cover up their anti-Semitism. But no, they can't. They are anti-Semites. This is a scourge. We saw what happened in World War Two. We saw what's ha-, what happened with the Holocaust. [black & white photograph of bodies piled up and group of people surrounding it, with caption "The Holocaust"] These events did not start with Auschwitz and the gas chambers. They started with the deem-, demonizing and dehumanizing of the Jewish people. When you talk about Israel, what is Israel? Yes, Israel is a state. But yes, Israel is a nation. The, the name Israel is really Jacob. Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. Isaac's son Jacob changed his name to Israel and it's his descendants, the twelve tribes of Jacob, that make up the nation of Israel. So yes, when you wrongly and unfairly attack Israel, you are practising anti-Semitism because you are attacking the nation of Israel, the people of Israel. That's all Stephen Harper is saying. And sure, if someone wants to be an anti-Semite and they can go ahead. But the, the current government is afraid that there is a growing level of anti-Semitism, especially on our university campuses. [photograph of a group holding signs & waving Canadian and Israeli flags; two young men in black t-shirts which read "Jews Need Not Fear Here" are holding crowd back; caption "Anti-semitism on university campuses"] Our immigration minister, Jason Kenney, [photo of Jason Kenney at podium; caption "Immigration Minister Jason Kenney said"] he went on to say Israel Apartheid Days on university campuses like York University sometimes begin to resemble programs [sic]. [words appear on screen "Israel Apartheid Days on university campuses like York sometimes begin to resemble pogroms" with caption "Immigration Minister Jason Kenney said"] [black & white photo of trench in ground with group of people surrounding it looking in as men carry what appear to be coffins into it; caption "Pogroms"] The University of Toronto and now the York University and, and four, three other universities in this country hold these Israel Apartheid Days where they bash Israel as apar-, as an apartheid state. I'm going there next week. It's one of the free-est places on this Earth, where even non-citizens have a right to

vote. You can't do that in this country of Canada, but in Israel you can. Muslims are in the Knesset. Muslims are in, are even generals in their military. Muslims have every right as the Israel, as the Jews have in Israel. But somehow, wrongfully, people deem Israel an apartheid state. That's an extremist position. Not the issue of, of Stephen Harper calling this issue out. That anti-Israelism is truly anti-Semitism.

Also in the news, we have the Ontario Medical Association that has cancelled their sponsorship of this Sea Course Cruise. [Ontario Medical Association logo appears on screen] What is it? This Sea Course Cruise is where doctors go on a cruise, a luxury cruise. [photo of cruise ship; caption "OMA sponsored cruises"] Usually it's paid for by some, uh, pharmaceutical company and they are then given courses to upgrade themselves as medical doctors. Well, this particular cruise was going to Dubai and Arab Emirates and they effectively said no Israelis allowed because they said, well, they didn't effectively, they said no Israelis could go on this cruise. That is, again, discrimination. What was the Ontario Medical Association doing sponsoring such a racist cruise in the first place? But, thankfully, Doctors Against Racism and Anti-Semitism [image of DARA website & URL <http://daradocs.org>] put a letter, they penned a letter to the Ontario Medical Association and, thankfully, the Ontario Medical Association did what was right and cancelled their sponsorship of that cruise.

Also in the news, we have this horrific bill coming up, C-384. It's going to be voted upon on December the 2<sup>nd</sup>. Debate will happen in Parliament on December the 1<sup>st</sup>. [photo of syringe with caption "Bill C-384 'Euthanasia' Assisted Suicide"] And if it passes, doctors will gain the right to kill. Now remember, euthanasia is not about pulling the plug. It's not about withdrawing life support or taking off a, a, a breathing apparatus or anything like that. This is all about doctors having the right to kill their patients. Do you want that to happen?! Yes, they say it will be done with the consent of the individual. But this bill says that if you're suffering pain, if you are suffering mental anguish, then you can sign in front of two different doctors and then they will have the right to kill you. [photo of woman lying in hospital bed with doctor beside her holding her hand; caption "Bill C-384 'Euthanasia' Assisted Suicide"] Well, you know what? If you were suffering pain and anguish, even mental pain, then you are not in the right frame of mind to make a life and death decision. So that's how outrageous this is. And certainly we don't want our doctors denying the Hippocratic Oath that they are, they swear to to fight to keep us alive, to give us health, to give us life. No, we don't want them to turn away from that and all of a sudden becoming doctors of death and when you go in the hospital, you don't know if you'll come out in a pine box or if you will come out alive. That's not the type of medical care we need in this country. We don't want to give anybody permission to kill, especially that of the government and the government's doctors. We need to take a stand on this and in the second part of today's program, I'm going to have with me Alex Schadenberg. He is the director, executive director of the anti, the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition where he is bringing parties together to fight against this scourge. Because, you know what? It doesn't just start with doctors killing people who desire to be killed. It starts there, but that slippery slope leads to the doctors deciding quality of life, who should live, who should not live. This last week, we have, we have experienced Remembrance Day and at the college, Canada Christian College we had a Holocaust survivor, a man who went through the horrors of Auschwitz and survived. Just because he was an electrician and because he then went to a labour camp. But millions of Jews lost their lives in crematoriums, in places where they were gassed to death. And guess what? It didn't start with the Nazis. It didn't start with World War Two. It started in the 1920s in highly educated, highly refined and cultured German society where they passed a law saying that it was okay to give permission to kill. It was okay, permissible for people, for doctors to start killing and then they did exactly that and they started with the infirm. They started with the so-called

imbeciles. They started with the handicapped and then they went all the way to killing those six million Jews. I want you to go on our website word.ca. I want you to call at this late hour, 416-391-5000 or call that 800 number at the bottom of your screen and take action. Sign that petition. Call your member of Parliament and do your best to make sure that doctors do not get permission to kill! I want you to watch this short clip from *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed* where you will see the horrors first-hand of what happened in the 1920s in pre-World War Two Germany. And we'll be right back with Al Schadenberg after this short clip.

- clip from *Expelled* of Stein touring Hadamar described above, followed by phone number & price to order DVD

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week my special guest Alex Schadenberg. He is the executive director of Euthanasia Prevention Coalition and he has been fighting for years to stop this movement for the government to get permission to kill you or me. They call it "euthanasia". The Greek term means "good death". [photo of syringe] I don't believe it's good death or painless death. It is about others getting the permission to kill people. That is barbaric. It should not be happening and we need to fight against it. So Alex, I, I, I commend you for the stellar work that you've been doing on this, on this file. I mean, why should we be against euthanasia? Because there's a bill coming up in House, it's going to be voted on, I think, on December the 2<sup>nd</sup>. What is it, Bill C-384?

Schadenberg: Correct, yes.

McVety: So why should our MPs not vote for the bill? But, more importantly, why should we be against euthanasia?

Schadenberg: Well, first of all, what is euthanasia? You've described it correctly. What it is is when a physician gets the right to directly and intentionally cause your death. A lot of people are confused about what euthanasia is. They think, "oh well, you know, shouldn't we be allowed to pull the plug when someone's in a certain medical condition?" It's not about pulling the plug, it's not about natural death, it's not about saying no to medical treatment. It's about giving somebody a lethal injection. And that's exactly how it's done. It's done by lethal injection.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: To directly and intentionally cause your death. And that's what it's about. When we're talking about assisted suicide, 'cause that's sorta like the sister issue to euthanasia, --

McVety: Yes.

Schadenberg: Assisted suicide is when somebody is directly and intentionally involved with causing your death. Technically you're supposed to kill yourself under assisted suicide, but, you know, with all these things, who's to know how it actually happened or whether you

actually wanted to die? All we know is here's somebody who's died and there's the lethal dose and the lethal dose has been taken.

McVety: Now, now, people say, you know, they, they'll kill a horse that's, uh, in pain and suffering and they don't want to see it go through the pain.

Schadenberg: Yeah.

McVety: And, and, and they say "well, why not do this to humans?"

Schadenberg: Well, there's two issues there. The first issue is pain and suffering. You talked about that.

McVety: Yes.

Schadenberg: And I think that, you know, there's a lot more we can do for pain and suffering and there's a lot of reasons why people do suffer today. But the pri-, primary reason why people still today suffer even though we have all these new types of pain killers, new types of techniques, is the fact that we haven't had enough training and commitment to actually allow someone that proper care and training and to be able to do this. Because the fact is we the technology to properly care for you. If someone's suffering, I always say "hey, you should be asking the question why is my family or my friend or so-and-so, why are they suffering? What is the doctor not doing to care for them?" That's the first one. But the second point is we're not dogs, we're not cats, we're not horses.

McVety: That's right.

Schadenberg: I have a son who's disabled. He's not a dog, he's not a cat, he's not a horse, he's a human being.

McVety: No, that's right.

Schadenberg: And we treat human beings with dignity and respect. And I'm not talking about dignity as in a lethal injection.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: I'm talking about dignity as in truly caring for them and not killing them.

McVety: So, so this is actually about the permission to kill?

Schadenberg: That's what it's about.

McVety: And if you get a, if a doctors get, if two different doctors get a signature on a piece of paper then they can kill you?

Schadenberg: That's, that's what the law would allow if they, if they legalize it.

McVety: Yes.

Schadenberg: So right now, --

McVety: Yes?

Schadenberg: Uh, euthanasia is under, dealt with under Section 222 of the *Criminal Code*.

McVety: And it's illegal!

Schadenberg: But that's homicide, it's murder. That's how it's dealt with in the *Criminal Code*.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: And, and there's no exception based on, uh, whether or not you did so because you thought someone was suffering or not. The question is "did you intentionally kill them? Did you directly and intentionally kill them or not?" Now, why I say "directly" is this is not about an accidental overdose.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: Someone might have painkillers --

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: -- and they're killing for, they're killing their pain --

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: -- and then they accidentally got an overdose and they died. This is not about that. This is about when we intend and it is the direct cause of death.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: So this is not accidental. This is not, oh --

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: People say it's happening every day, Charles. That's what they say. "Oh, this is happening every day." Well, first of all, I hope not. But secondly, yes people die every day. But the fact is if we're following the proper protocols, this is not happening every day. In fact, --

McVety: Well, yeah, I mean, this, this is not about criminalizing suicide. Because if somebody wants to commit suicide, they can do so.

Schadenberg: Yeah, that's true.

McVety: It's not a criminal act to kill yourself.

Schadenberg: Right. Right.

McVety: This is about giving someone the permission to kill another person.

Schadenberg: That's exactly it. That's exactly how it is and we have to be very clear.

McVety: And, and, and it, and it doesn't even require that victim's approval. Because it could be the power of attorney of that victim.

Schadenberg: Well, if you follow the, the bill, Bill C-384, if, if you had somehow said that, you know, if I were in such-and-such a condition, you know, please euthanize me, but now you're incompetent. [in unison with McVety] So who's going to make the decision? Yeah, now it will be your power of attorney.

McVety: You know --

Schadenberg: It could be your daughter or it could be your son or it could be your friend. It could be someone who really doesn't like you, but if it was your only family member that you



got appointed. Or maybe it wasn't somebody you appointed at all, but who, who d-, someone who's directly considered your power of attorney 'cause they're your next of kin. Nonetheless, when we really look at this issue, the big issue that people keep saying, "but it's my body, it's my choice if I want to kill myself." But wait a second. We're not talking about suicide.

McVety: That's right.

Schadenberg: You know, I'm not saying oh, go out and commit suicide.

McVety: People get mixed up.

Schadenberg: That's right. They're, is, what it's about is a physician, usually that's who it would be. Actually, the law in its first bill, Bill C-407 in 2005 did not require it to be a physician to do it. That's another interesting thing. But this bill would require a, a physician. Nonetheless, um, it gives that physician the right to directly and intentionally give you a lethal overdose.

McVety: And kill you.

Schadenberg: And kill you. Without a question.

McVety: And, and we want to be so barbaric that we will write a law giving doctors the permission to kill when they have sworn by the Hippocratic Oath that they'll do everything in their power to give you life and to see you healed.

Schadenberg: Yeah.

McVety: But we want to change that and now give them the power to kill.

Schadenberg: Well, you know, doctors are committed to caring for you, but when we can't, when you can't be healed anymore –

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: When you're in a situation where you're actually dying, they are to journey with you and keep you comfortable and allow you to die a true dignified death, which means it's a natural death where you're not actually suffering hideous pain.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: You know, I hear these stories all the time. And people will call into a radio show when I'm on there and say "oh, my uncle died this way or my, my wife or my" and, and, and I agree. That's, that's terrible, that's terrible. These things should not be happening. But is the answer lethal overdose, giving a doctor the right to cause your death? Is that the answer to this?

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: No. This answer is that we have to properly care for people. It's ridi-

McVety: And give them enough painkillers so they're not suffering.

Schadenberg: Absolutely. It's ridiculous that in the year 2008 we'd be discussing this and say "oh, your two options are you're going to suffer in pain or we can give you this lethal injection." Well, what are you going to want? Well, if you're going to tell me I'm going to suffer in pain, I can understand a lot of people thinking maybe I should consider the lethal injection. The fact is it's an abuse of what's going on –

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: – if we say you're going to suffer in pain. It should not be like this at all.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: So let's, let's talk about what it is.

McVety: So you take the pain question out and it's really the ending of someone's life.

Schadenberg: That's right.

McVety: Now, to move on, we, we –

Schadenberg: And I asked the question "Do you trust any physician you have?" There's many great physicians, who's kidding who [*sic*]?

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: There's a lot of great physicians –

McVety: You know what?

Schadenberg: – but do you trust every single person who wears a white jacket?

McVety: I don't want anyone, I don't want anyone with the permission to kill me.

Schadenberg: That's right.

McVety: And believe you me, there may be some that would want to do that, but no one should have the permission to kill anyone!

Schadenberg: That's exactly it.

McVety: And that's why we have laws against this. But if this was passed -- and it has been passed in, in some countries, such as Holland – we have, we have many reports of elder abuse.

Schadenberg: Yes. Well, elder abuse has become a serious problem in our culture. We have an aging population and we are recognizing that, uh, maybe it's stress levels, maybe it's just the fact that we didn't talk about it in the past, but the fact is there's, uh, a clear recognition that there's a serious problem with elder abuse in our culture. If you allow euthanasia and assisted suicide when we are already recognizing the issues of medical neglect. Like, we could talk about financial abuse, but this is, you see a lot of issues around neglect and, uh, and abandonment.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: And now you're allowing euthanasia or assisted suicide for this vulnerable person who's dependent on you? That, that's a recipe for elder abuse. And I'll tell you, we just won, in New Hampshire, just the other day in New Hampshire, --

McVety: Yes?

Schadenberg: There was a committee in New Hampshire looking at an assisted suicide bill. And New Hampshire's not this right-wing state, it's not.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: The majority of the members of the legislature in New Hampshire are Democrats. But they put together a committee and they voted fourteen to three against

considering legalization. And why? Their main reason they came out with this saying, they were saying we recognize that there's *[sic]* vulnerable people and we've got a problem with elder abuse. This proposal is a recipe for elder abuse.

McVety: Well, I, I've talked to, uh, to elderly Dutchmen. And they say they're afraid to go to the hospital because what happens, they say, is that they're depressed, they're sick, they're, they're, they're, they're stressed out. And, and then they can be coerced.

Schadenberg: Yeah.

McVety: Subtly, intentionally. "Oh, you're causing pain. You're in pain yourself. You're causing pain to your family. You're using up vital resources of doctors and nurses and –

Schadenberg: Yeah.

McVety: "—and hospital bed and you've got no hope. So just sign these papers and we'll end it for you in a, in a dignified way." I mean, this is barbaric.

Schadenberg: But, Charles, we already have, in our current system, constant articles and talk about the fact that people with, um, medical conditions, people with disabilities are having to fight to receive what we would call basic medical treatment. I'm, I'm a reasonably healthy guy.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: I'm assuming that if I had a, a significant medical issue, no one would be denying me medical treatment because they would say, well, he's got a good quality of life or that quality. But we already have this problem today where the cost containment analysis with the, you know, the, uh, the pencil-pushers who are trying to figure out how to save money in our medical system –

McVety: Wha-

Schadenberg: And then you add, with that whole concept –

McVety: Euthanasia.

Schadenberg: Euthanasia, assisted suicide into the mix, I'm telling you, it's a deadly dose.

McVety: It's a, it's a deadly dose that could give doctors the permission to kill. And the many, most doctors don't even want this permission to kill –

Schadenberg: Most physicians would not want that.

McVety: -- because then it takes it, takes them out of the realm of saving lives. Now do you think Bill C-384's gonna pass?

Schadenberg: Bill C-384 I think is going to fail. But, you know, it will only be defeated when people react and say no. Like, there's a lot of members of Parliament who are saying that they're going to vote against this bill.

McVety: Yes.

Schadenberg: Because a lot them are also feeling the pressure from the media and from the other side. And, uh, they're thinking, "okay, you know, who's actually, you know, got the louder voice?"

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: If you recognize that your life, uh, should not be taken, especially against your consent. Even in any way that a physician would have the right to give you a lethal dose, uh, the fact is is that you have to speak up and say to your, your politicians "no, do not do this". And actually the most effective way is, you know, sit down, you write a hand-written letter and you send it to your member of Parliament. It's free to mail it. And you do that right away and you don't waste time. Don't say I'll do it tomorrow. You do it right away, right now.

McVety: What's your website?

Schadenberg: It's [www.epcc.ca](http://www.epcc.ca). So it's [epcc.ca](http://www.epcc.ca). And on there I've got sample letters, I've got all the information about the bill, the analysis and everything. And also, uh, on the sample letters it tells you the simple address for every single member of Parliament. All you need to do is add their name to the top of that, send it off. Don't need a stamp. Tell them how you feel today. Don't wait 'til tomorrow.

McVety: No. I want to encourage you to go to [word.ca](http://word.ca), sign that petition against euthanasia and also go to Alex's website and get involved, get educated on this. And call your member of Parliament because your voice can be the difference here. We're going to be right back with *Word TV* after this short break.

- promo for *Besieged* (described above)

Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, unfortunately the *Toronto Star* has called Stephen Harper an extremist for equating anti-Israelism with anti-Semitism, but the truth is the truth. And if you are unfairly, wrongly anti-Israel, then you are an anti-Se-, anti-Semite and you will be called that. Sure, you can, you can criticize, all of us criticize all the governments of the world, but if you do this unfairly, one-sided and come out with outlandish statements like "Israel Apartheid", then you are an anti-Semite. Also in the news, we have this horrific Bill C-384 to give doctors permission to kill. I don't want my doctor given the permission to kill me. You don't want your doctor, you don't want to go into the hospital and come under pressure to give them permission to kill you. We cannot have this happen under our watch. Call us, 416-391-5000. We'll send you a free copy of our magazine. Also make sure you call us and pre-order this new film that we're coming out with, *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*. Also, we have our Christmas dinner with a tremendous holy spirit conference right here December the 4<sup>th</sup> and the 5<sup>th</sup> and we want to welcome you to it. Bill Prankard is going to be here. We're going to have Doctor Alvin Slaughter. He's going to do a c-, tremendous dinner and concert on Saturday night. We'd love to meet you personally. Call us, 416-391-5000. And make sure you get involved. Go to word.ca, sign those petitions and make sure that you get involved because you can make the difference. Thank you for watching *Word TV* this week and may god bless you 'til we see you again.

### November 22, 2009

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, B'nai Brith puts forward a full page ad in the *National Post* that enlightens us on the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem's involvement in the Holocaust. And also a horrific bill that threatens to legalize euthanasia, permission for doctors to kill, is coming to a vote on December the 2<sup>nd</sup>. We're going to be right back after this short break.

- promo for *Besieged*

- promo for CCC

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, B'nai Brith, the oldest Jewish organization in the country of Canada, put forward an enlightening full page advertisement in the *National Post*. [image of ad entitled "The Unholy Alliance" & one photo Hitler & Grand Mufti and one photo of crowd wearing yellow headbands & making Nazi salute; subtitle "Common Objectives of Nazism & Radical Islam"] It was very thought-provoking. Some people said it was politically incorrect, but it was the truth. It was factual. What it put forward was something that most of us don't understand, that the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem played a vital role in the Final Solution of the Holocaust. [black&white photo of Grand Mufti inspecting Nazi soldiers; caption "Mohammad Amin al-Husayni, The Grand Mufti of Jerusalem"] For many years he had been going out into Hebron and other parts of Israel and, and, and he went out and killed many, many Jews. And, of course, there's sort of this trial run of the Holocaust called Kristallnacht, uh, "the night of crystal" where over a hundred Jewish people were killed by the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and his thugs. He, of course, then got involved with Adolf Hitler. He was seen numerous times with Hitler. [black&white photo of men and guards in courtroom; caption "Nuremberg trial"] In fact, at the Nuremberg trials there's testimony by the Nazis that said that, that Grand Mufti of Jerusalem played an integral part in the Final Solution, the Holocaust, the killing of the six million Jews, as he encouraged the Nazis to kill the Jews. He encouraged them with a hatred that we know that stems from radical Islam. Today with me is Doctor Frank Diamant. He is the executive director of B'nai Brith. He is the author of that ad and, Doctor Diamant, I welcome you back to *Word TV*.

Diamant: Just one quick correction. He wasn't the man responsible for Kristallnacht.

McVety: Okay.

Diamant: I want your listeners to understand it. It was a motivating factor for him to come to Germany. The Germans conducted it in Germany and in Austria. When he saw the reaction of the world and the silence, he knew in his mind that he was going to join the winning team. [black&white newspaper photo of Grand Mufti and Nazi soldiers; caption "Mohammad Amin al-Husayni, The Grand Mufti of Jerusalem"] And he was going to come to Berlin and he was going to sit with Hitler and he was part of the strategy of the Final Solution.

McVety: Now, tell us what Kristallnacht was.

Diamant: Kristallnacht was an attack on one thousand Jewish synagogues, institutions, homes, uh, and the killing of a hundred people.

McVety: In 1938.

Diamant: In 1938. [black&white photo of destroyed building; caption "Kristallnacht: the Night of Broken Glass, a brutal pogrom ravaging Germany's Jews from November 9-11, 1938"]

McVety: By the, by the Nazis.

Diamant: By the Nazis. By the Nazis.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: And it's called "Kristallnacht" because it's the shattering of the glass. So much glass was shattered that night.

McVety: Oh.

Diamant: It was a wild rampage. And the fires were burning. And the world was silent.

McVety: So the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem, he saw this.

Diamant: He saw this.

McVety: He had been persecuting the Jewish people –

Diamant: Right.

McVety: -- for, for, for, you know, --

Diamant: For years.

McVety: -- for years. Over –

Diamant: And the riots.

McVety: -- almost two decades.

Diamant: And the riots in, in Hebron, the riots in Jerusalem and, and, in each time, there was bloodshed and killing of Jews under the British mandate, which was instigated by people like the Mufti and the Mufti himself. And then he sees this world power and it does what he loves to do. He sees this massive, massive pogrom and he waits for the world to respond. And there is no response. [black&white newspaper photo of Grand Mufti sitting with soldiers]

McVety: No. Yeah.

Diamant: And he says “my bosom buddy, Adolf Hitler, I’m going to be with you throughout the war. We’ll help you, I’ll help you morally. I’ll go out into the fields with you”, which he did. And then the idea was, of course, to bring Nazism to the Middle East. And the Mufti saw himself as the spiritual leader of bringing Nazism to the Middle East.

McVety: And, and he, uh, you know, I, I’ve read much about him and about the fact that, uh, at the Nuremberg trials there was testimony by the Nazis that said this man went to Auschwitz and he, and that he, he, he, he pled with them to, to exact that Final Solution and kill the Jewish people.

Diamant: He was very much part, he was very much –

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: -- part of the, the motivation for, uh, and because of the inactivity, because of the lack of outcry from the rest of the world, then he saw that you can kill Jews without any fear.



McVety: And, and no one cared.

Diamant: And no one cared.

McVety: Unfortunately that, uh, that was the lesson of the day. Now, this Grand Mufti was doing this twenty years, twenty-five years before the, the state of Israel even came into, —

Diamant: Oh yeah, oh yeah, oh yeah.

McVety: -- uh, power.

Diamant: Right, right.

McVety: In 1948. I mean, but, you know, uh, I watch the CBC from time to time and, and all I see is that it's Israel's fault. Because they somehow took the land from these poor Palestinians and set up their own country and somehow they displaced them. So why was the Grand Mufti killing Jews twenty years before 1948?

Diamant: Be-, because the reality is that radical Islam, through the Mufti, existed before. It's not a phenomenon, as someone told me the other day I was on a talk show, and they said radical Islam resulted when the Americans began to train the Mujahideen. That's when it came into being. [McVety laughs] Absolute nonsense, nonsense.

McVety: Uh, yes. You know, I'd like to cite the fact that, uh, over two hundred years ago Thomas Jefferson was fighting radical Islam.

Diamant: Right.

McVety: Why? Because the Muslims were, were, were capturing American ships in the Mediterranean, holding the Americans as hostage, so he went to Congress and asked them for a million dollars to establish something called the Marines. So what does the Mujahideen have to do with two hundred years ago?

Diamant: No, but it ties into the whole world conspiracy of CIA organizing Jews and so on. It's total nonsense.

McVety: [laughs] It's nonsense.

Diamant: It's nonsense, but if you —

McVety: It makes no sense at all.

Diamant: But if you repeat the nonsense often enough somebody is going to pick up on it and many people will pick up on it and so, you know, there's merit to that. So this ad dispels part of that nonsense to say understand that radical Islam and Nazism are, are of the same mind and thought.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: They want world domination.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: They want to kill Canadian soldiers on the battlefield.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: They want to kill Americans. They want to kill Jews, but they also want to kill Christians.

McVety: Absolutely.

Diamant: They want to kill Christians and, and that's something that somehow seems to be forgotten. Radical Islam isn't an issue only for the Jewish community. Let's forget that. Radical Islam is a threat to the safety of Canada. And that's what this ad said.

McVety: Wake up.

Diamant: Wake up. Wake up!

McVety: And we as Christians need to wake up. And, and Doctor Diamant, that's why I'm so happy that, that you teach us this here at the College, uh, uh, as the Chair of the, of the Israel Studies Department. Because then we can wake up to the truth.

Diamant: And I think it's imperative. And we spot, spoke about waking up from the slumber.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: Because we have seen sadly enough when good Christians were in a state of denial during the, during the war years. And they can't afford to be in it again right now. And they can't be lulled into complacency –

McVety: No.

Diamant: -- by the Obamas of the day and so on. It's a very dangerous thing.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: Christians must wake up.

McVety: Well, I mean, if the Christians of the 1930s woke up, then the wor-, World War Two would not have happened.

Diamant: Right.

McVety: In fact, Winston Churchill called it the unnecessary war. And one of the reasons for the war was that Christians wanted to appease evil. And we know that you can't appease evil. And Neville Chamberlain went to Hitler and announced that he had achieved peace! [black&white photo of Neville Chamberlain in front of microphones and people behind him; caption "Neville Chamberlain brandishes the paper that he believed signified 'peace for our time'"]

Diamant: Peace in our time.

McVety: Because he had appeased, –

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: -- appeased Hitler, oh, by giving him a few countries and Czechoslovakia and all this stuff. I mean, this, this is nonsense. If –

Diamant: We, we saw that when Ariel Sharon, the nonsense of unilateral withdrawal from Gaza.

McVety: Terrible.

Diamant: We make appeasement. We will show our good faith, our good will, our good intention. The enemy sees it as a sign of weakness.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: That's all they see.

McVety: Now, uh, uh, this week I'm, I'm going to Israel –

Diamant: [???

McVety: – and I'm so excited about it. I'm going to celebrate my fiftieth birthday there, so, you know what?

Diamant: Such a young man!

McVety: [laughs] When, when I come back I'll be on the downside of the second half of my life, so [laughs].

Diamant: Not anymore, not anymore.

McVety: The scripture says the half has not yet been told. Uh, Lord willing.

Diamant: Fifty, fifty today, my wife tells me, is like thirty yesterday. So you're a very young man.

McVety: [laughs] But you know what? My wife asked me "where do you want to celebrate your birthday?" and she didn't even wait for me to answer because she knew it was Jerusalem.

Diamant: Wow.

McVety: The greatest city in the world. And you know what? I, I said to the manager of, uh, Allal who was at a meeting here when we had a Holocaust survivor speak at the College. And I said "could you not just clear the whole airplane so all my friends could come with me?" But you know what?

Diamant: You know, I was waiting. I was waiting. But I'll be there next month.

McVety: She said, she said “we’ll clear an airplane next year for you –

Diamant: All right.

McVety: – and you can invite all your friends and we can all go to Jerusalem.” And I like to say that, uh, uh, before you go to the new Jerusalem, you have to go and visit the old Jerusalem.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: Now that’s, I call that extra-Biblical because it’s not in the Bible. So [laughs] it’s extra.

Diamant: It’s a bonus.

McVety: But still, you know, I’m, I’m gonna be, uh, taping a new film when we’re, where we’re gonna touch on some of this. Jihad against Christians and how this is gone [*sic*] on for the last, uh, thirteen hundred plus years.

Diamant: It’s the unknown history of jihad.

McVety: Yeah, yeah! We think as Christians –

Diamant: Yeah.

McVety: – that it’s you two, you two Semitic cousins over in the Middle East –

Diamant: Right.

McVety: – squabbling over a little patch of land. It’s nonsense.

Diamant: That’s correct.

McVety: It’s, it’s fiction.

Diamant: It’s the red herring.

McVety: But you know what? I like to quote George Orwell these days because I, I feel like we're living in those days. [black&white photo of George Orwell with BBC microphone] That, he said that in an atmosphere or society of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act. You told the truth in the *National Post*. And I am sure people have treated you as a revolutionary.

Diamant: Right. And I must tell you the, the strongest encouragement that I got –

McVety: Yes?

Diamant: – was not necessarily from my own people. It was from Christians. Christians who wrote in and who called and who e-mailed me. And they said the following: They said don't be deterred. You keep telling it like it is. You've gotta fulfill your mission. And I must thank those Christians and I think it's partly because you've been working with them, this TV show's been out there. I've gotten to know many of them and they're giving encouragement. They want the truth.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: And, and we're gonna try and provide that truth. And with your movie on the jihad, I think that's very important because there's too much misunderstanding that jihad means the war against the Jews. It's the war against you, Western civilization, human rights.

McVety: And Christians.

Diamant: And, when I say "you", I mean "Christians".

McVety: We need, we need to smell, wake up and smell the coffee.

Diamant: You've gotta wake up.

McVety: And, Frank, I thank you for being with us. And we're gonna, uh, talk further next week.

Diamant: Thank you.

McVety: But you need to know the truth. [points at camera] You know, they don't want you to know the truth. Watch CBC, watch CTV and you're not going to get the truth. You need to get it here. Call us, 416-391-5000. Go on word.ca and sign the petition to stop euthanasia. Get a copy of the new magazine, it's just out. We'll send it to you free of charge. Just call the operators that are waiting to talk to you, 416-391-5000. And make sure

you are the first ones to get a copy of this new film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*.  
 [image of DVD cover] We're going to be right back after we watch this short clip from the  
 greatest film I've ever seen, *Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed*.

- same excerpt of Stein's visit to Hadamar as above

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. Once again with me is a special guest, Alex Schadenberg. He is the executive director of the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition and last, on last week's program we, we talked about the horrors of the euthanasia Bill C-384 that could give doctors the right to kill you. I mean, this is outrageous. Permission to kill. It's not euthanasia. It's not good death. It's permission to kill. It is already legal for someone to commit suicide. This is not about legalizing that. This is about legalizing the idea of the permission to kill. And, Alex, last week we talked about, you know, really how barbaric this is.

Schadenberg: Yeah.

McVety: To give people the right to kill others.

Schadenberg: That's right.

McVety: To give doctors, remember the doctors are, are employees of the government. Do I want the government to have the right to kill me if they deem that, that I, I'm not, I'm not lucid? Or I can't make decisions for myself so, you know, we'll go in and kill this guy? No way! I mean, that's ridiculous, but i-, but we do not want to have, give anybody the permission to kill anybody!

Schadenberg: That's exactly it. Now, first of all, just to make it clear, euthanasia is when somebody, usually in this case a physician, has the right to directly and intentionally cause your death.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: Now a lot of people use a lot of euphemisms to talk about it. You know, their right to die or whatever.

McVety: Mercy killing.

Schadenberg: But what, what it's about is giving that person, another person the right to directly and, uh, and intentionally cause your death and it's usually done by lethal overdose or lethal injection. And so we have to be very clear about what we're talking about. This is about causing your death. Now what's interesting about this Bill C-384 is, you would think, when we think about a lot of these, people say "oh well, if someone wants to choose this, why not?" Well, wait a second. That would assume that they're competent. So you would

think that a bill that is proposed to legalize euthanasia and assisted suicide in Canada, you'd think that that bill would be based on [sic] competent people. So how does it define "competence"? "When one appears to be lucid." Now, excuse me. It does not say "when one is lucid".

McVety: Just "appears".

Schadenberg: You would think, yeah, it has to do with the whole legislative framework. If someone wants to make it look like they're creating safeguards, they put in language that makes it look nice, but it means nothing. To appear to be lucid doesn't mean I actually am lucid. And, and let's go further to that. She further says in the bill, Lalonde, Francine Lalonde is Bloc Québécois Member of Parliament who's introduced the bill. She further says in there that you must either have tried or expressly refused medical treatment. Well, I don't know how that's a safeguard. It's more ink on paper. Because we're either going to ever try [sic] or expressly refuse medical treatment. You're either going to have treatment or you're not going to have treatment. It's one or the other. But she says you've either tried or expressly refused. Why even put it in? Because she's trying to tell you that there's safeguards where there isn't [sic] any.

McVety: Well, I, I –

Schadenberg: There isn't [sic] any.

McVety: I mean, the most outrageous part of this bill is that, is that doctors could kill you if you're suffering physical pain –

Schadenberg: Or mental pain.

McVety: Or mental pain!

Schadenberg: Right.

McVety: I mean!

Schadenberg: She puts that in there because, you know, the media's reporting –

McVety: It's outrageous!

Schadenberg: You'll see articles in a newspaper that says "oh, this bill's about terminal illness and people suffering". Well, first of all, how do you define suffering? That's the first important thing.



McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: And the second thing is it's not about terminal illness. She puts it very clearly in the bill that it's about people who are either suffering – and doesn't define "suffering" – physical or mental pain. But what is mental pain? Chronic depression is mental pain, pain.

McVety: Well, you –

Schadenberg: A lot of people experience mental pain.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: But they're not terminally ill and they're not actually sick and if they get proper treatment. But then, you combine the mental pain issue with the fact that it says if you've, uh, either expressly refused medical treatment, if you've expressly refused medical treatment for your mental pain, you could have euthanasia.

McVety: And further to that, this says that they can do it to eighteen-year olds!

Schadenberg: Well, eighteen and up.

McVety: Children!

Schadenberg: But you know what's interesting? What's interesting about that, that's the only real safeguard she has in the bill, but it's unconstitutional. If this were to pass, what the bill would say is if you're above the age of eighteen, we can euthanize you if you, let's say you had cancer. You can have euthanasia if you've got terminal cancer if you're eighteen years old. What if you were seventeen? If you're seventeen and you had terminal cancer, the Supreme Court would strike that down in a second. They would say –

McVety: That, that, that's how ridiculous, but –

Schadenberg: They would say someone who's seventeen obviously could have euthanasia then 'cause someone who's eighteen can have euthanasia. Why would you be denied it because you're seventeen?!

McVety: But to have, uh, --

Schadenberg: It's, it's ridiculous to, to say that.

McVety: To have a bill, a law, to say that doctors could kill an eighteen-year old if that eighteen-year old is suffering from mental anguish.

Schadenberg: It could be. That's right. Yeah.

McVety: That's what this law says. I mean, that's, that is barbaric. I mean, --

Schadenberg: Absolutely.

McVety: And, and, and, I mean, everyone at some point in, of their life, they get upset, they get down. I mean, whatever you call it, whether it's depression --

Schadenberg: Well, consider first year university students. Very common. Very common.

McVety: If it's, if they go through mental anguish.

Schadenberg: Yes.

McVety: Uh, and most people go through severe pain.

Schadenberg: Yes.

McVety: And, I mean, where you're in that severe pain, you, you could easily make a decision to end your life.

Schadenberg: Absolutely.

McVety: Do we want to have people on the edge of the grave just because they're in pain physically or just because --

Schadenberg: No.

McVety: -- they're in pain mentally? No.

Schadenberg: We need to care for people, not kill 'em. Like, to, to allow the direct and intentional killing of anybody opens the door wide open.

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: And the other thing is, who's going to interpret it? I'll give you another little example. In the bill, she doesn't define "terminal illness". So what happens, and I'm sure you've met people who found out they had a terminal diagnosis. Now, they might live another two, three years or it might be, you know, nine months or a year.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: They might have wonderful time [*sic*] before they actually die. And yet, what usually happens when you find out you have a terminal diagnosis? Most people are shocked by that. And you know that!

McVety: And they get depressed.

Schadenberg: And it's a natural human reaction!

McVety: Sure.

Schadenberg: We are emotional, we are psychological beings. We're also spiritual beings, but nonetheless the fact is we will be affected by that. And this bill would allow you to be euthanized immediately as soon as you find out. Ten days later you could be dead! According to the bill. And, and let's go further to it. It does not have a restriction that foreigners could come in and have euthanasia. Now, why is that important? Well, in the Netherlands and Belgium, they have specific residency requirements. Switzerland never legalized assisted suicide, but the courts had reinterpreted their, their, uh, assisted suicide law so they have assisted suicide in Switzerland based on court decisions. There's no residency requirement, so people are going to Switzerland for suicide tourism. What would happen if this bill were to pass? Some, uh, entrepreneur would start setting up clinics on our, our border towns to allow euthanasia of Americans. Because obviously most of the United States, you can't get this.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: And you can, if you can get it in Canada with no residency requirement, they'd pray, pay a pretty buck. In Switzerland at the Dignitas Clinic they charge eight thousand euro for an assisted suicide death. Eight thousand –

McVety: That's about fifteen hundred dollars to kill you.

Schadenberg: No, no. Eight thousand, twelve thousand dollars Canadian right now. Eight thousand euro.

McVety: Oh, yeah, yeah.

Schadenberg: Twelve thousand dollars Canadian. You know, you could make a lot of money doing this. And there's no residency requirement in the bill. That's another thing. Uh, what's happening is that, uh, there is, uh, one of our great legal minds in Canada, her name is Jocelyn Downie. I say "great" meaning she is respected whether I like it or not. And she is, uh, currently someone who says that she has put together the Rodriguez Two case. Now you might remember in 1993, Sue Rodriguez went to the Supreme Court of Canada asking for her right to assisted suicide.

McVety: Yes.

Schadenberg: And the Supreme Court said no.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: She's got the Rodriguez Two case all ready to go and she's looking for somebody. Now maybe, hopefully I'm not advertising for her. 'Cause the fact is she's looking for someone who's going to say "I'm willing to be your plaintiff if you run my case" and they want to overturn the law to the courts. Now the fact is, is that members of Parliament are saying, probably gonna say no to this. When you talk to Canadians, a lot of people say in the opinion polls "yes". But when you actually talk to them, and they understand what it is –

McVety: And they know, and they know that it's about permission to kill.

Schadenberg: Yeah. Then they often say "well, wait a second here. I'm not sure if I like that."

McVety: [laughs] No.

Schadenberg: You know, you know, we understand a lot of people fear that they're going to die in pain and suffering.

McVety: Of course.

Schadenberg: They, they saw their uncle die or they, they have a lot of fear. And when you ask them the question straight, they might think "well, I don't know if I like the idea, but I don't want to die suffering, so maybe we can have this."

McVety: Well –

Schadenberg: But the fact is, when you actually talk about it, then they realize this is not a good idea.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: This is simply not a good idea.

McVety: We have seen through democracy many of these social changes defeated, but then our judges go in and they re-write the law and they legalize same-sex marriage.

Schadenberg: Yeah.

McVety: They legalized abortion.

Schadenberg: Exactly.

McVety: They legalized, uh, sex clubs and all kinds of things. Even par-, even, uh, fictitious child pornography they legalized.

Schadenberg: Yeah, but –

McVety: And they could legalize this.

Schadenberg: Abso-, and actually right now in the state of Connecticut in the US, the group in the US is called Compassion and Choices. What a wonderful name, eh?

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: Compassion and Choi-, they're smart with their names. But anyway, they have launched a lawsuit against the assisted suicide law in Connecticut. And what it says is "aid in dying is not suicide". Well that's correct. Therefore aid in dying is not covered by the assisted suicide law. Well, no. Aid in dying, even by their own definition, is assisted suicide. So what they're doing is they're going to the Connecticut courts because Connecticut has done a lot of things to their courts. They've turned –

McVety: Yeah, yeah.

Schadenberg: And they've chosen Connecticut because of the court decisions and they're trying to strike down the assisted suicide simple law simply through a word game.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: A word game. That's ridiculous.

McVety: But you know what? It ends up with being a life game.

Schadenberg: Absolutely.

McVety: And our, our Chief Justice Beverley McLachlin has advised our judges to find polycentric *Charter* issues to re-write the law. And I'm afraid a judge in this country is one day going to re-write the law. And that's why we've made this film *Besieged: Democracy under Attack* [image of film cover] to try to stop the judiciary from overthrowing democracy and, and damaging our moral fabric as, as bad as, as they already have.

Schadenberg: The, the key to this whole issue is we must be clear about what it is.

McVety: Yes.

Schadenberg: 'Cause a lot of people are confused. They think it's about saying no to medical treatment. They think it's about, you know, –

McVety: Pulling the plug.

Schadenberg: – pulling the plug.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: They think it's about the use of pain medication. It's not about any of those things.

McVety: No.

Schadenberg: What it's about is giving a physician – in this case it's physicians – the direct and intentional right to cause your death.

McVety: Yeah.

Schadenberg: That's what it's about. So let's be clear.

McVety: To legally inject something into you and kill you.

Schadenberg: Through lethal injection. That's the primary mode of doing it.

McVety: That is, that is barbaric and we can't see it happen in our country. And I thank you for what you're doing. I want to challenge you to go to the website word.ca. Sign that petition to fight against euthanasia. Also go to Alex's website. Get educated on this issue and call your MP. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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#### November 29, 2009

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, President Barack Obama threatens the Israeli people by saying that building nine hundred homes in Jerusalem is somehow a threat to world peace. Also in the news, there is a, there was a terrible rash of, of anti-Semitic incidences [*sic*] across this country of Canada. We'll be back with Doctor Frank Diamant after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, President Barack Obama proclaims that it is dangerous for the Jews to build nine hundred homes in Jerusalem. [photo of Obama] He says that this will somehow incite the Palestinians to violence and it will be a threat to world peace. It will derail the, the peace process. And then this insanity will continue in the Middle East. This, of course, is nonsense. I can't believe that an intelligent person would put this forward. And today with me, to enlighten us, to shed the truth on this, is the Chair of Israel Studies at Canada Christian College and the executive director of B'nai Brith, the oldest Jewish organization in this country, Doctor Frank Diamant. Doctor Diamant, I welcome you back to *Word TV*.

Diamant: Thank you.

McVety: Uh, you know, I, I, I'm sure you look at this and, and shake your head and wonder what the world has come to when the greatest threat to world peace is a Jew building a home in Jerusalem.

Diamant: Yeah. It, isn't that, isn't that really going to upset the world balance. Think of it. It's not Hezbollah up north with ten thousand new missiles. It's not Hamas who just tried to bring in five hundred tons of missiles and explosives and armaments to attack Israel.

[photo of 3 people wearing black masks, black shirts and military camouflage pants, each with a green, red & white rocket; caption " Hamas Rocket Launch"] It's not Iran with a nuclear bomb. It's not an unstable Pakistan. It's a home in Jerusalem. Imagine what that's going to do to the world balance of power. There's going to be a place for another Jewish child to be born in Jerusalem. But you know, to me, it strikes me, and I'm going to say of something very old-fashioned, the ghetto. [black&white photo of people lined up, face towards wall & arms in the air; caption "Warsaw Ghetto"] When they confine Jews to certain quarters of the city and they didn't let them build and they squeezed them in. And they built walls around them. And they kept them in there forcibly.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: And Obama seems to be saying the same thing. "I don't care if you have children. I don't care if you're aging. I don't care about anything. You are not going to be building in Jerusalem."

McVety: Well, this is the height of discrimination.

Diamant: I think so.

McVety: To say because of your ethnicity, you're not allowed to build in Jerusalem!

Diamant: Right.

McVety: The eternal capital of the Jewish people that goes back three thousand years! [photo of Jerusalem] Jews are not allowed to build in Jerusalem! I mean, it's, it's insane.

Diamant: We waited, we prayed, we, we anticipated this moment, this miracle where we have Jerusalem. And now, Mister Obama is going to tell the Jewish people "you can't build in Jerusalem"? Doesn't he know the scriptures? Doesn't he know his heritage? How dare him [*sic*] say that.

McVety: I don't understand. I just don't understand it. Because it's so nonsensical. It's so stupid! That I can't believe a president of any country would come out and say that. But, but unfortunately, Barack Obama, and we celebrate his victory over racism as the first Black American –

Diamant: Certainly.



McVety: -- that, uh, that became the president. But you know what? His policies, especially with Israel, have really been appalling. And this business of just hammering the Jewish people for building homes on a regular basis is ridiculous.

Diamant: I think it's his frustration now because it's, it's a year later, a year later. He's failed. He's failed. He was going to bring peace, he was going to dictate it, it was going to happen. Utter nonsense. You cannot build a true and lasting peace by dictating. Uh, he's failing in Afgha-, he can't make up his mind about Afghanistan. He's wavering on what to do with Iran. This is not a man who makes major decisions –

McVety: No.

Diamant: -- easily. But! But, if a police officer in Cambridge arrests the wrong person, wow, is he off right away.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: Calling the police "stupid", uh, "the act was unwarranted".

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: Without any due diligence.

McVety: But if a Jew builds a house in Jerusalem.

Diamant: Oh, he's there.

McVety: Now, now I don't think he, I don't think he came up with th-, this himself. I think –

Diamant: No, he's, he's got millions of advisors.

McVety: -- s-, somebody has told him that this is a threat to world peace. I think it, i-, i-, i-, uh, uh, you know, I think it might've been Yasser Arafat. He came back from the grave and told him this.

Diamant: Or Abu Mazen –

McVety: That's how ridiculous it is!

Diamant: Or Abu Mazen will tell him that.

McVety: Well, --

Diamant: The man who wasn't sure about the Holocaust will now be telling the president. And he won't negotiate with Israel unless it stops building.

McVety: So let's, this is exactly what he said. President Barack Obama: "I think that additional settlement building does not contribute to Israel, Israel's security. I think it makes it harder for them to make peace with their neighbours. I think it embitters the Palestinians in a way that could end up being very dangerous." [words appear on screen with caption "Obama Calls Israeli Settlement Building in East Jerusalem 'Dangerous'"] I-, Is that a threat?

Diamant: That is an implied threat. And that is reading the riot act to Israel. And that is not what I would deem to be an honest broker. I don't like honest brokers. 'Cause I, I think that the United States should really be a friend of democracy and not of terrorists.

McVety: Sure. H-, how can you be neutral between democracy, security and terrorism?

Diamant: Right.

McVety: I mean, it's outrageous. But, but, but let me get back to this. Because I don't think he came out with this himself.

Diamant: No.

McVety: I think he has come out with this. And unfortunately I think it's an incitement to violence. Because if you're a Palestinian against Israel. No, if you're Hamas --

Diamant: Yeah.

McVety: Let's say. 'Cause, you know, there are many good Palestinians that live very peaceably. But then here is Hamas.

Diamant: Hamas, al-Qassam Brigades.

McVety: If you're Hamas and you're hearing from the president of the United States that, that if the Israelis build homes for themselves, then it could be dangerous for them. Is that not an incitement to violence?

Diamant: It's a provocation.

McVety: Sure it is.

Diamant: It's a provocation. They will then say Israel provoked us. Even the president of the United States said that it's a provocation, it's illegal and therefore we have to exercise our, uh, right, if you will, by killing a few more Jews so that they don't build homes.

McVety: Well, you know, on last week's show we talked about the Grand Mufti al-Husayni of Jerusalem. [black&white photo of Grand Mufti with Nazi soldiers; caption "Mohammad Amin al-Husayni, The Grand Mufti of Jerusalem"]

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: How he incited people to kill the Jewish people back, back before the w-, World War Two and what was the result? We ended up with the Holocaust. The same type of thing: ghettoizing, Jews can't build here, ethnic cleansing. You know, Gaza was –

Diamant: It's the only place in the world.

McVety: -- ethnically cleansed of Jews. Fourteen thousand Jews flushed out of Gaza. You're Jewish, you can't live here.

Diamant: And now they're saying the same things, some of them, that you have to ethnically cleanse Judea and Samaria and parts of Jerusalem.

McVety: And half of Jerusalem! I mean, --

Diamant: And I, and I said why in the world is it wrong to have ethnically, ethnic cleansing --

McVety: Anywhere.

Diamant: -- except, except for the holy land? In the holy land, you can say Jews don't have rights. To me, peace means that you live in true peace. That means if, if, –

McVety: Respect.

Diamant: -- if there a government that decides, an Israeli government, in its ultimate wisdom to make a peace treaty and cede some of the holy land, some of Judea and Samaria --

McVety: Well, god forbid.

Diamant: I say "god forbid". But the, the Jews who are living there should be entitled to live there as free citizens of, of a new democracy that comes in. They shouldn't be put on trucks. They shouldn't be forced out and their houses shouldn't be --

McVety: Bulldozed.

Diamant: -- bulldozed to the ground.

McVety: Well, I remember being in Israel with you a few years ago and you educated me on the issue of Gaza. I didn't realize there are fourteen thousand Jews living, some of them on the Mediterranean.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: A billion dollar greenhouse industry, growing fruits and vegetables for the world. [photo of large greenhouse; caption "Gaza greenhouse"]

Diamant: For the world.

McVety: And they were ethnically cleansed.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: The, their greenhouses were given to Hamas. What did Hamas do with them?

Diamant: Destroyed them in the first twelve hours. Not twenty-four. Twelve hours it took to destroy the entire industry.

McVety: Why would they give up on a bill-, uh, billion dollars a year?

Diamant: Because they prefer, they prefer to have the scenario that they have right now. See there's nothing to stop the, the Palestinians living in Gaza to build beautiful, uh, hotels.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: To build commerce.

McVety: This is the world training. It's a beautiful area.

Diamant: The world would come. Israelis would come there and, and, and pay to be in the hotels and so on.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: If there was peace. That's not the intent of Hamas. Hamas has to be able to rile the people so that they will be angry at Israel and therefore will allow themselves to be suicide bombers and will continue to fight. [photo of large crowd & one person wearing a black headcover on platform holding up a gun; caption "Hama rally"] You've got a wonderful opportunity to build, to create, to show the world we can do it. Instead we want to blame Israel and by extension the Western world.

McVety: Because their charter says that –

Diamant: To destroy.

McVety: -- their goal is to wipe out Israel.

Diamant: Right.

McVety: I mean, that is their, their charter-stated *raison d'être*. And, and, so they're not building for their people.

Diamant: No.

McVety: They're not building businesses and peace and security and democracy. Just this week, they sent more Hassam [*sic*] rockets into Israel.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: They shot at border guards trying to repair parts of the fence. This, you know, it's really barbaric activity. And they're doing all this because the Jews built some houses in Jerusalem.

Diamant: It's because the Jews are alive. It's because the Jews have come home. Because the prophecy has been fulfilled. On the wings of eagles, the Jews will be taken back. We've seen it. We've seen them flown in from Yemen. We've seen them flown in from Ethiopia.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: We see them continuing from North America, from Russia, from the former Soviet Union. You see god's miracle every day. And this is something that the radical Islam simply won't tolerate.

McVety: They, we, we see the desert blooming once again.

Diamant: That's right.

McVety: Just as prophesied in scripture. See them coming from the north, the south and the east and the west. And, and, you know what? I like to quote Winston Churchill and paraphrase it slightly. He said "I refuse to be neutral between the fire and the fireman". [black&white photo of Churchill holding up peace sign] I refuse to be neutral between the terrorists and those who want to bring peace and security to the, to the Middle East. And I know that that is the Israeli government.

Diamant: Right. As a, as a Jew, I don't have the option to be neutral. Now there are some Jews, by the way, who think that by joining our enemy that they're going to secure their future. But I think that they're in fool's paradise.

McVety: Well, I think that, I think they were some Jews like that in 1938 as well.

Diamant: Yes, who didn't see the handwriting.

McVety: Yes. And, you know what? Uh, we have the president of Iran who wants to do in eight minutes what Adolf Hitler did over eight years. And that can never happen again. We cannot be silent again. I want to encourage you to go to our website word.ca. I want you to sign that pledge to support Israel. It's critical. Your voice means a lot. I want you to get this film *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*. It is just coming out in the first couple of weeks of December and you'll be first on the list to get your copy. You need to get this. Give it to someone for Christmas. Call in, call us 416-391-5000. Get involved and you can make a difference. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. Call us, 416-391-5000. Get a copy of this great video, *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. You need to know the truth. George Orwell once said that in an atmosphere of universal deceit telling the truth is a revolutionary act. They don't want you to know this. They don't want you to have this information, but you can get it from us. Call us, 416-391-5000. This week in the news, there were horrible anti-Semitic acts right across this country. And also in the news this week, this debate over whether this soldier [photo of Maj. Nidal Malik, US Army Psychiatrist], this major down at Fort Hood in Texas, was he just a crazed maniac? Or was he a jihadist terrorist? Today with me once again is Doctor Frank Diamant. He is a great friend and someone who commits that revolutionary act of telling the truth. And, Doctor Diamant, I mean, I'm just, uh, I'm incredulous about the, the President's words. I, I can't believe that this is, the Jews building houses, especially, you want to know the irony of it? [photo of buildings under construction & construction worker working with rebar; caption "Obama Calls Israeli Settlement Building in East Jerusalem 'Dangerous'"] Out of these nine hundred homes, over a hundred Muslims will live in those homes. So it's even a revolutionary act to build a home for Muslims in Jerusalem.

Diamant: Yes. Just don't give the Jews a right to do anything in their capital.

McVety: Now we have similar thought here in Canada. And, you know, you've been fighting anti-Semitism for a lifetime. And, and, uh, I, I like to think that the days of Nazis and skinheads is [sic] over. And, you know, we need to focon, er, focus on, uh, international terrorists.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: Um, unfortunately it's not over. Tell us what's happened in Canada.

Diamant: All right. We, we've had in the last, uh, two weeks or so a rash, a rash of anti-Semitic, and I'm not prepared, by the way, to, to say immediately that it's skinheads or neo-Nazis. It could well be some other groups. So I'm not speculating right now who it is.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: But, we've seen, it started off with the Ottawa cemetery being defaced. [photo of headstones with swastikas spray-painted on them; caption "Vandalism at The Jewish Memorial Gardens in Ottawa"] First they go after the dead Jews because –

McVety: They can't fight back.

Diamant: They can't fight back. Then they hit Calgary and they hit the Chabad Centre Synagogue. They hit the Jewish Community Centre. They hit the [?] Jacob Synagogue.

They hit, uh, cars. Then, the same weekend in Toronto, in Toronto there was also an act of vandalism against cars. And then they hit other smaller communities outside of Toronto. It seems to be orchestrated. It's not, it just doesn't all happen –

McVety: No.

Diamant: -- on one weekend by itself.

McVety: Now, a lot of people watching will say, well, you know what, vandalism happens to churches, it happens to mosques.

Diamant: Right.

McVety: Why is this any different?

Diamant: Well, I, I, well, if it happens to a mosque and if it happens to a church and if there is identifiable graffiti that is of a hateful nature –

McVety: And what did this graffiti say?

Diamant: This graffiti said "Kill the Jews". [words appear on screen: "Swastikas and slogans including 'kill Jews' and '6 million more' were spray-painted on a Holocaust War Memorial, the Calgary Jewish Centre and mailboxes, signs and fences in the southwest neighbourhoods of Pump Hill and Woodbine overnight Saturday"; caption "Calgary police look to surveillance tape in anti-Semitism case (GLOBE & MAIL)"]

McVety: Oh well, that's pretty hateful.

Diamant: Uh, "six million more".

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: Swastikas. Plus other words that I wouldn't want to repeat on a family show.

McVety: Of course. Yes.

Diamant: Uh, you can't, you can't identi –



McVety: Obviously it's hate. This is not just kids –

Diamant: This is not –

McVety: -- tippin' over this or that.

Diamant: No, no, no, no, no, no.

McVety: This is hate.

Diamant: This is hate at its best.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: So we said we want the Calgary police to treat it as a hate crime investigation.

McVety: Sure.

Diamant: Well –

McVety: And what did they say?

Diamant: "We're treating it as a serious crime." They're afraid to utter the words "hate crime". But I'm not sure what it takes to, to make it a hate crime.

McVety: Yes.

Diamant: Other than to say I'm gonna kill more Jews.

McVety: Okay.

Diamant: I want six million more dead.

McVety: Well, this is where I draw the line because I'm a free speech person and I believe that we should all be free to speak our mind, speak our opinion without the politically

correct police coming in and sayin' well, you, you hurt my feelings. Well, you know, this is not about hurting feelings.

Diamant: No.

McVety: This is about incitement to genocide. That's what happened in the Middle East. That's what ha-, or, sorry, well, that's what happened in the Nazi world. That's what happened years ago. And we can't let that continue. You cannot incite people to kill the Jews.

Diamant: No. Listen, we would be the first if there, and I say god forbid if there was [*sic*] signs on a church that said "Kill the Christians".

McVety: Same thing!

Diamant: Or "Kill the Muslims". The same thing.

McVety: Yeah, well, that's not quite the same because –

Diamant: It's, it's incitement.

McVety: -- we didn't have six million Christians killed in a Holocaust.

Diamant: I understand, but I would, I would still say that that's a hate crime that says –

McVety: Yeah.

Diamant: -- kill, kill Christians, kill Muslims. And, and, and therefore that kind of terminology to me should be an instant, uh, mechanism to awaken the police. And look at what ha-, what else is happening across the country. It seems that there is some coordination. It's something to worry about. This is not frivolous.

McVety: No.

Diamant: Not frivolous. And therefore the reluctance by police –

McVety: Well, you know what? I'm, I'm even more upset with the media because the media typically whitewashes these things. And we saw the media in Canada whitewash this, this terrorist act in Fort Hood.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: And they said oh, it's just a man who snapped, just like school shooters and, and he just snapped and killed a few people. I mean, nonsense! [photo of Maj. Nidal Malik] This was a man who subscribed to jihadist principles. He went around the campus yelling "Allahu Akbar", which means that "Allah is –

Diamant: "Great".

McVety: -- greater". Not just "great", but "greater".

Diamant: I know that's [???], yes.

McVety: And, and he, he, he advocated, apparently, for, uh, uh, uh, the, uh, uh, the, uh, the, he advocated for suicide bombing. He advocated against the, the, uh, uh, America's war, uh, to defend itself. And they're e-, they're even reports that this man had connections and communications with Al-Qaeda.

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: But we didn't hear that. Oh, it's just like the, the Virginia Tech shooting. This is nonsense. This was a terrorist act. And, and, Frank, I believe it was heavily planned and executed because this was a psychi-, psychiatrist, not some kind of Navy Seal. And this guy with two handguns, not even automatic weapons, he went onto a military base and took down forty-three GIs. Not, not like the Virginia Tech where some guy with automatic everything for half an hour went into classrooms of children with, like a turkey shoot. This was in a military camp and he took down forty-three GIs. That had to be very carefully executed.

Diamant: But Obama told you, don't jump to conclusions. Obama was very clear. His first pronouncement on the issue was "don't jump to conclusions." If you're going to deal with issues like building homes in Jerusalem, you can jump to conclusions. But a man who walks in, follows all of the things that you've just said, don't jump to conclusions. He didn't even say it appears to be an alleged terrorist attack. And I would certainly say it's an alleged terrorist attack. Maybe he was acting as a lone wolf, but still it could be an alleged terrorist. Uh, but certainly as you so clearly indicated, to walk in and to murder these innocent individuals on an, on a military base. And when he was parading in as, and I'm gonna quote Tarek Fat-, uh, --

McVety: Fatah, yeah.

Diamant: -- Fatah, who says why was this man parading in Saudi clothes -- he's not a Saudi -- on the military base and it didn't sound off the alarms.

McVety: Well, I mean, that's, sometimes you think, uh, military intelligence is an oxymoron.

Diamant: No, but I think, I think –

McVety: And when you look at that. It's terrible. Political correctness.

Diamant: I think it's political correctness. And I think that many of his colleagues now admit it and say that we were afraid of being accused of being Islamophobic so we kept our mouths shut.

McVety: And that put them in danger.

Diamant: And that put –

McVety: It puts us in danger. Political correctness, I mean, this, this, this is not unlike other societies that have forbidden the truth to be told and our media won't tell us the truth and upset at them.

Diamant: Well, I think we're doing a disservice to society when you have a case like this, when all the indicators appear to have been there, appear to have been there and the intelligence services are afraid to act because they'll be accused of being prejudicial. I, I'm sorry to say that, that national security has to -- and I know I'm going to put myself as a revolutionary – trump, trump personal freedoms, if you will, in that case.

McVety: Well, well, we need to speak the truth and some people may get upset. Alleged nothing. This guy was a terrorist. He w-, had all the, the hallmarks of a terrorist.

Diamant: You're really politically incorrect.

McVety: I am politically incorrect. Well, you know what? Maybe Osama bin Laden was a terrorist too. He wasn't an enemy combatant. Oh, is that what they call it?

Diamant: Obama would say we should sit down and, and dialogue.

McVety: Yeah, yeah.

Diamant: Maybe over a, a –

McVety: Let's have a group hug.

Diamant: Let's have a group hug.

McVety: And sing "Kumbaya".

Diamant: Right.

McVety: And then we'll all be fine. We don't understand the hatred that drives –

Diamant: Yes.

McVety: And unfortunately it is taught. We need to stop the teaching of it. It is not free speech. It's the incitement to terrorism and we need to act against it.

Diamant: And Tarek Fatah says that it's being taught here in Ontario, under our nose in the public school system.

McVety: Well, we've already heard it. All you have to do is go online and go to YouTube and you can hear it taught. We talked about this a couple of weeks ago on this program. And people can even go and watch that program and they can see the imam in North York [image of *National Post* article entitled "Toronto imam preaching 'hate instead of harmony'" from Holy Post website] teaching the same thing that he praised that you and I and all of the rest of us will be destroyed from within. We need to know the truth. That's why I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. Get a, get a copy of our magazine [image of magazine]. Get a copy of this, this truth-filled video *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. And make sure you sign that petition to support Israel. [image of word.ca website] Go to the website word.ca, send us an email and we'll be right back after this short break.

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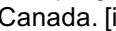


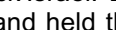
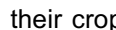
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December 13, 2009

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, the Canadian government slashes funding for two religious political action organizations. And also, an Alberta court rules for free speech. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, the Canadian government decides to cut funding to two religious organizations that we have been talking about on this program for a number of years that should not be funded. One of those is KAIROS Canada.  This is an Anglican Church political action organization and they've received, been receiving almost two million dollars of your taxpayer money every year. What do they do with the money? They conduct political action activist operations in this country. And, by the way, those political actions are very adverse to what I believe are the teachings of Christianity. They're adverse virtually to everything that we stand for. And somehow they've been getting funding from the federal government. It is unfair for the federal government to put money to leftist political organizations and not to conservative political organizations. In fact, it is wrongful for the government to fund religious political organizations in the first place. Those organizations should be free to act, uh, uh, act politically if they wish. But they should not be paid by the federal purse, by tax dollars taken out of families, taken out of a family budget and then given to KAIROS Canada so that they can advocate their political positions. One of the reasons we have fought them for many years is because of their anti-Semitism. Yes, anti-Semitism. They are horrifically anti-Israel. And they, they partner with an organization out of the Middle East called Sabeel  and KAIROS Canada hosts these "Boycott Israel" campaigns. And in one of those campaigns on KAIROS Canada website, they talked about supporting any organization, funding or, or investing in, in any organization that does business with Israel then you're aiding and abetting the evil practices of Israel. Now how can you talk about a country that is trying to defend its people from terrorist bombings, trying to give peace and security to the people of Israel and you call them "evil". Why do you do it? Because KAIROS is horribly anti-Semitic. Just recently, the *Toronto Star* chastised Stephen Harper, our prime minister, saying that he was an extremist  because he equated anti-Israelism with anti-Semitism. Why? Because an organization like KAIROS Canada is not fair in their criticism of Israel. And, of course, it's free, you're free, anyone can criticize Israel. In fact, the Israelis criticize the Israeli government more than anybody else on Earth. However, though, when you're completely one-sided, all you give is one side of this Arab-Israeli dispute, all you do is attack Israel. During the Hezbollah war when the Hezbollah terrorists kidnapped Israeli soldiers and held them for ransom and killed those soldiers.  caption "Official Memorial For Kidnapped Israeli Soldiers"] When Israel retaliated, it's all Israel's fault. When Israel gave over the land of Gaza to the Palestinian authority, uh, what did KAIROS Canada do? They attacked Israel for doing so. I mean, how, how could they attack that? Then they attacked Israel for trying to stop the terrorists of Hamas from bombing Israel! That, they sent over ten thousand rockets and bombs into Israel and finally after two and a half years the Israeli government moved to stop. And what did KAIROS Canada do? They used your taxpayer dollars to advocate against Israel, to call Israel "evil"! This is anti-Semitic. They unfortunately are just not anti-Israel. They're also anti-Colombia. Anti-Colombian government. A few years ago I was watching one of their television programs, one of their videos and they were appealing to the Canadian government and other governments to stop this horrible persecution of, of farmers in Colombia. Farmers that are growing a crop for their livelihood. Well, you know what the, their crop was? It was cocaine!  caption "Cocaine Rural Farming in Colombia"] Growing drugs to poison our children. And this organization, KAIROS Canada, a-, advocates for the drug lords! For the narcos. For, really the guerrillas. FARC and ELN, these horrific terrorist organizations that captured

actually the director of this television program. Alberto was captured. Uh, he was taken as a hostage. And the Colombian government rescued him dramatically. And he fled to Canada and now he is working on this *Word TV* television show as our director. Why? Because the Colombian government did this. But somehow, in KAIROS Canada's eyes the Colombian government is evil. Just this last year, Canada struck a new free-trade agreement with the people of Colombia. So there'd be a free trade of goods and services back and forth to provide opportunity to the Colombian people. [image of kairoscanada.org website, article entitled "Tell you MP 'vote no to the Canada-Colombia FTA' (Action Alert)"] KAIROS Canada opposed it. They, they went and protested. They're activists against our Canadian government having free trade with Colombia. That is a horrific anti-Colombian position. Why would our taxpayer dollars be paying them to take this position? Also KAIROS Canada has advocated against the people and the government of the Philippines that's only trying to fight the war on terrorism. The terrorists, they're blowing up their cafés and their shops and their innocent people. But somehow, KAIROS Canada sides with the groups that are associated with the terrorists. Yes, they should have their funding cut! I can't believe that they'd get almost two million dollars a year from our government and they applied for another four years of funding and almost eight million dollars and the government finally said "no". [image of *The Gazette* website with article entitled "Government cuts funding to KAIROS human-rights group"; caption "CIDA cuts funding to KAIROS"] CIDA, the Canadian International Development Association [sic], they decided to cut this funding. And we thank god that they are no longer going to be funded by the Canadian government. But make, make no mistake, they're putting pressure on your member of Parliament and on your prime minister to reinstate that funding and we hope that they are not successful.

Also in the news this week, you'll recall a few weeks ago on this program we brought forward to you, we broke a national story on the issue of the Canadian government, through CIDA once again, providing thirteen million dollars for moderate Islamic leaders in Indonesia. [image of CIDA website article entitled "Canada Contributes \$13.5 Million to Support Islamic Leadership in Indonesia"] Why would our government be giving money to Islamic leaders anywhere on this Earth? They shouldn't be funding religious leaders. We don't ask them to fund Christian leaders. We don't ask them to fund Muslim leaders. Well, you know what? We brought this to air. You and many other people across this country phoned your MPs, phoned the government, phoned the prime minister and guess what? This last week in the news, this thirteen million dollars was cut. We should not be funding these religious political activist organizations. They should be free to operate and they should be free to express their leftist ideals, but they should not be doing this on your dime and mine.

Also in the news, an Alabort, Alberta court overturned a human rights commission hearing that put a penalty on a pastor in Alberta because he wrote a letter to the editor of the local newspaper in Lethbridge, Alberta where he said that homosexuality was wrong. [image of *Winnipeg Free Press* website article entitled "Alberta judge rules anti-gay letter not hate speech, overturns ruling"; caption "Pastor Stephen Boissain"] And he spoke against, not homosexuals, but homosexual activists. They want to ram homosexuality down our throat and teach our children and proselytize our children to become homosexuals. And he said this is wrong. And for that, he was fined five thousand dollars and he was given a lifetime ban against speaking against the sexual practice of homosexuality. He then appealed to the Alberta court and it went from this human rights commission, which is really just a M-, a reborn McCarthyism, a kangaroo court. [black& white photo of McCarthy and words "McCarthyism is the politically motivated practice of making accusations of disloyalty, subversion, or treason without proper regard for evidence, US Senator Joseph McCarthy"] There's no judge, there's no, uh, there's no, there's no rules of evidence. There, they violate every international rule and regulation on jurisprudence and they have found, by the way,

they have a one hundred per cent conviction rate. And, yes, they can only fine you five thousand dollars, but they can put heavy impositions on you. You can end up paying hundreds of thousands of dollars in legal fees. But our government, thankfully in Alberta, finally said in a real court with a real judge with real rules of evidence, they said this is nonsense. They said this is against our *Charter of Rights and Freedoms*. This is against religious freedom. And they s-, they overturned that ban. Thankful, we are thankful for finally a victory. The new film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* is just coming out now and you can get a copy of it. So I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. Go to word.ca. You can order it online. And you can get a copy of this film before Christmas. I'm going to show you the introduction to this film. You need to see it. Make sure that you call us after this introduction. You're going to be excited about this, as we watch the first few minutes of *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*.

- comicbook-like cityscape intro

- image of dove

[dramatic music playing behind this speech]

Freedom is the most valuable right a government can offer. That sweet fragrance of freedom. To be able to set your own path, to worship the way you wish, to speak your mind without fear of persecution. Our freedom stems from our system of government, that of democracy. Democracy, where the people determine who leads the country. [series of photos of crowds seemingly on Canada Day; caption "Democracy"] Democracy, where the people decide who writes the law. Democracy, where the law, where the people determine the laws that we are going to live under. Other forms of government have been tried, but they have failed. Back about seven hundred years ago, democracy started to be, to be birthed where the *Magna Carta* was formed. [image of old document; caption "Magna Carta"] This great charter of freedoms. From there, we saw the writ of habeas corpus where we were guaranteed that we would not be wrongfully prosecuted by the judiciary. From there, we saw the great battle of the English Civil War [image of old painting of war; caption "The English Civil War 1642-49"] where Oliver Cromwell fought to wrestle power away from kings who wanted to decree the, the laws that the people would live under. He wrestled it away and gave power to Parliament where the people would elect officials and those officials would write the laws. Our forefathers also fought against dictators, rulers that wanted to impose their laws over the people. They fought against that of Vladimir Lenin [coloured drawing of Lenin]. They fought against Josef Stalin [image of Stalin]. Even the butcher Adolf Hitler [black&white photo of Hitler doing salute] and others like Mao Tse Tung [image of Tse Tung] and Pol Pot [black&white photo of Pol Pot]. They fought to guarantee us freedom so that we could elect officials and they could write the laws. Freedom is based on democracy and great writers like Francis Bacon [picture of Bacon] and John Locke [picture of Locke] and others, they put forward this idea that if the people decide who will write the laws, then freedom will be guaranteed. Our Constitution in the country of Canada guarantees that we will have freedom. And our Constitution even sets out the parameters of what Parliament can do and then what the judiciary can do. But unfortunately the judiciary has assumed power, usurped Parliament [photo of Parliament Hill at night; caption "Supreme Court in Senate"] and the judiciary has decided that they are going to write the laws [photo of Supreme Court justices]. Under democracy, [photo of Supreme Court justices walking into Senate Chamber] the basic fundamental tenet of democracy is that judges have the power [photo of Supreme Court justices] to enforce the law, to interpret the law, but never write the law [*Besieged* cover of gavel in front of Parliament buildings]. Unfortunately, a paradigm shift has occurred. With every hit of the gavel of our judges, [bang sound effect & image of wall falling over] our freedoms are being eroded slowly, systemically, substantially and



dangerously [video clips of House of Commons proceedings]. Our Chief Justice says welcome to the new conception of democracy where judges write the laws [video clip of Beverley McLachlin giving speech: "I conclude with this thought. As we enter the twenty-first century, we are embracing a new conception of democracy. One that does not exclude judicial action, but includes it. The fact is incontrovertible. We can achieve a free and democratic society only through the aegis of a strong legislative power combined with a strong, independent judiciary. There is little point decrying the fact that judges make law. They do and they must."] [bang sound effect & wall rises] I'm sorry, but that is de-, not democracy. It is dictatorship. The result of this absolute power is that we have seen dramatic changes come to the moral fabric and freedoms of our country. [photo of billboard that reads (written in old script) "Imagine No Religion, Freedom From Religion Foundation"; caption "No Freedom"] Freedom of religion has been eroded. [picture of man with mouth duct-taped] Freedom of speech, freedom of thought, freedom of inquiry [picture of word "No!" being underlined in red]. We now have human rights commissions that go around this country persecuting and prosecuting people because they have spoken the wrong thing, thought the wrong thing, inquired in the wrong way. We are losing our freedom of speech. [photo of gavel; caption "No Freedom"] Political correctness now rules. [close-up of word "marriage" in dictionary] Today, marriage has been redefined. [close-up of spine on *Holy Bible*] Parts of scripture have been criminalized in this country. [photo of rainbow flag being carried in parade] Sex parades are now common on our streets. [photo of man playing electric guitar with sign "Sex Club" on stage in background] Sex clubs are now legal. [photo of hands at a keyboard & image of girl's legs on computer screen] Child pornography is rampant. Child abuse is rising dr-, dramatically and making it dangerous for our children to live. A searing, cold, windy, vicious society is the result. Back a few years ago, in the cold province of Saskatchewan, [photo of buildings and trees in winter] a searing cold gripped the province and a mother took her child [photo of blonde woman with little girl dressed in pink jacket and tuque outside in winter; girl's face is pixillated], a little five-year-old girl out in the car to get some groceries at the local corner store. They left the store, got just two blocks away and their car broke down [photo of car off road buried in snow]. Their car was stuck. They couldn't get it out. The mother didn't know what to do. She said to the little girl, you would never make it in this cold weather if you went back to the store with me [photo of cars in blizzard]. So you just stay in the car where it is warm [photo of girl in carseat] and I'll go get some help [black&white photo of person fighting wind & snow as he/she walks along street] and I'll be back in just a few minutes. The mother went to the grocery store. She gathered a handful of people and they walked back to the car. They got to the car and the car was empty. They saw the little girl's footprints in the deep snow. The cold wind had covered up those footprints. The cold threat to take her life. And they knew that it would not be long until she would perish in such a cold environment. They all scrambled around, doing their own thing look-, and looked for the little girl. We have little boys and girls that have gone out of the comfortable confines of our homes, our churches. They've gotten lost in our streets. This cold, cruel environment that has been established by absolute rulers are threatening our, the safety of our children. [black&white photo of George Orwell with BBC microphone] George Orwell once said that in a society where deceit is universal, telling the truth is a revolutionary act. Today, you are going to learn the truth that our judges have usurped power [photo of Supreme Court justices walking into Senate], usurped Parliament. They have seized power. They are now writing our laws. And even international forces are dictating our taxation and our budget. You are going to learn today that our democracy in this country of Canada is in peril.

- photos flashing on screen with electronic music in background & computer graphics of word *Besieged* and green wall

- cover of DVD

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* is a film that you need. This is information that the government does not want you to have. You will not see this on CBC or CTV. You can only get this by DVD. So I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. Or call that 1-800 number at the bottom of the screen. Or go to word.ca and order your *Besieged* film today so that you can get it before Christmas. Also go on that website and sign those petitions because your voice means a lot.

This week in the news, we have had, uh, three real victories. The slashing of the funding of this Anglican political action organization that lost their nearly two million dollars a year. Also, this Islamic leadership program in Indonesia that lost that thirteen million dollars. And then Steve Boissin was cleared of his, of the charges for speaking against homosexuality in this country of Canada. But also in the news this week, we had an announcement from our prime minister [image from *Globe & Mail* website of article entitled "Toronto to host G20 summit next June"] where he decided to shift the G20 meeting next June of 2010 from the city of Huntsville down to the city of Toronto. This move is very interesting for a number of reasons. One reason is that he has shifted it to Toronto during the Pride Week. The sex parade week. Well, the sex parades say they bring over a million visitors to this city of Toronto. But they're only thirty-two thousand hotel rooms in this city. But the reason Stephen Harper brought this, the G20 to the city of Toronto during Pride Week is because he needed ten thousand rooms for all the visitors from around the world and the only place he could get it was in Toronto. I thought there're a million people that were here for the sex parade! Where are they staying?! Maybe in people's homes? They're not staying in the hotels obviously. Or maybe there's not a million. Maybe there's a few thousand and this is just a political ploy to get cash from your government. I want you to go on our website and sign that, that sex parade petition so that our government will stop giving money to sex parades.

Also this is Christmas time and I want to challenge you to say "Merry Christmas" to people because now our government is saying that that is not politically correct. I was on a, a C-, an Air Canada flight recently and they, and I couldn't believe it. There's this film called *Four Christmases*. They changed the name of the film and made it *Four Holidays*. [image of 2 movie posters side-by-side, one with *Four Christmases* as title and the other with *Four Holidays*] I couldn't believe it! How stupid is that?! But they believe that we should not be able to have freedom in this country, freedom of religion and say "Merry Christmas". If a teacher says it, they lose their job. If they tell the story of Christmas, then they lose their employment. This is ridiculous. We need freedom of religion in this country. I want to challenge you to get involved. You're not watching this program by accident, but by the providence of god. Call us, 416-391-5000. Get a copy of this film *Besieged* and go on our website word.ca. Sign those petitions and get involved 'cause your voice means a lot. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. I want to challenge you in the year 2010 for you to make it the best year of your life and come to Canada Christian College. Earn a degree, get involved in leadership in this country because we need good leaders like you. Call us, 416-391-5000. If you can't, then call someone else and get them involved in the degree program. We have extension programs. We have night classes. We have full day classes. We're one of the largest seminaries in this country. And you need to earn a respected degree in, a master's degree or a bachelor's or even a doctorate in theology or ministry or counselling, teaching or music. Those four disciplines are here for you to be a leader in this

country. I want to thank you for watching *Word TV* this week and I wish you a very Merry Christmas. I pray that 2010 is your greatest year ever, but I want to make sure that you get this *Besieged* film. It is a great film. It will give you information that the government does not want you to have and you must have. Because if we are going to act, then we are going to defend our country for our children. If not you, then who? If not now, when? Call us, 416-391-5000. Go to the website word.ca. Send me an email. And make sure you get *Besieged*. Thank you for watching. Merry Christmas. May God bless you and may 2010 be your very best.

### January 3, 2010

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. It's time that we grade the Stephen Harper government. Today we're going to look at the government and give them the grade and I want you to follow along, I want you to write some notes and then I want you to go on our website and fill in that form so you can grade Stephen Harper and the, and his government yourself. We're going to look at financial issues, family issues and foreign affairs. We'll be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This is the time of the year when we get to grade Stephen Harper and his government and how they have performed on financial issues, family issues and, of course, foreign affairs. I have talked to people across this country and we have polled leaders from coast to coast and we've come up with grades on these various particular issues. So I want you to follow along with us. I want you to write down your own grade. And then after the program, I want you to go to word.ca and I want you to give us your grade so you can tell us how these leaders did at giving Stephen Harper a various grade [sic]. And then at the end of the program today, we'll give you his final grade. The first issue that we want to talk about is financial because, of course, the recession has been paramount in this country and around the world. And how our government reacts to recessions like this means whether or not you and I have jobs. Whether we have massive unemployment as they have in the United States and other countries of the world, or whether or not we are going to get along through this recession and hopefully get on the other side of it. So the first thing we want to look at is taxation. And, of course, Stephen Harper has done quite a good job on taxation. He has kept GST down low. Remember he made that promise to cut two per cent off the GST? When did you ever see a politician keep his promise? Well here the Prime Minister Stephen Harper and his government did cut the GST! They have kept it down to five per cent and that has helped us tax-wise. Also on the issue of taxes, for years we have been asking for income splitting so couples that live together where one makes a lot of money and one makes little or no money, they can then split that income and pay a lot less tax and that can help their family. Well, unfortunately he did not give us income splitting on the issue of, of, of, of families, but he did give us income splitting for seniors and that has helped a lot of seniors across this country in their taxation and has allowed them to go forward and live a little more comfortably. For that, we give him an A. [photo of Stephen Harper and title "Stephen Harper 2009 Grades" and words "Keeping GST Down 'A'"] For the issue of keeping the GST down, the leaders give him an A. But then we have this issue of debt. This horrible issue of debt where our government has been borrowing money like crazy. In fact, Stephen Harper is an economist. He wrote his Masters degree thesis against deficit spending, but unfortunately, due to pressures from the G20 and around the world, he was forced to spend 1.9 per cent of the GDP and put us into horrific debt. Yes, you've read the headlines about our debt over the next two years going up by over a hundred billion dollars and it could be even much worse

than that when we get to the final end of the effects of this year. But, yes, on the issue of debt unfortunately Stephen Harper and the Conservative government have put us deeper into debt. But he could've been worse because in the United States, they spent much more than 1.9 per cent of their GDP and they put themselves in, into debt up to 14 trillion dollars of debt where, soon, every dime of income tax that the United States collects will just go to pay the interest on their debt. That puts the US government in trouble. Our government has not been that bad. So on the issue of debt, we, we as leaders give Stephen Harper a D. [same photo graphic; words "Debt 'D'"] Then on the issue of spending, we look at what Stephen Harper did and the, the Conservative government sort of spent money like drunken sailors. You've seen the signs all over the country. They're fixing bridges and they're building retaining walls and sidewalks and all kinds of things. They've given money out just like candy. I mean, millions and millions of dollars, including that horrific four hundred thousand dollars that went to the Toronto Sex Parade. So on the issue of spending, the leaders give Stephen Harper an F. [same graphic; words "Spending 'F'"] Now how has the Stephen Harper government done over the issue, over the year 2009 on the issue of finances? Well, overall, his grade is C. [same graphic; "Finances 'C'"] By the way, last year his grade on this program, *Word TV*, overall was a C minus. So a C in finances is even a slight improvement.

On family issues how has the Conservative government done this year? What have they done to protect our children, our families, our marriages? What have they done to help us in this country of Canada in the year 2009? Well, on the first issue, they have finally presented the *Children's [sic] Protection Act* where they are going to finally require the, the internet service providers to report any address, any web address that is using their system to propagate child pornography. Which is really not child pornography, it is the issue of video-taping or photographing children being raped and then put that information for distribution on the internet distribution system and then your neighbours down the street sit there looking at pictures of little five-year olds and three-year olds being violated and penetrated by men and then that puts our children in danger. Finally our government provided Bill C-58 to stop the insanity of broadcasting this horrific material. Canada is the third worst country in the world for child pornography. They're not going to, unfortunately, provide jail time or even put this into the *Criminal Code*. They're only going to require that these internet service providers report to the authorities this horrible crime. And also if they don't, then they'll get fines for up to a hundred thousand dollars. Well, for that, we give him an A. [graphic, "Children protection 'A'"] Now, I'm not sure it should've been an A when it really fell so short. But, you know what? It's an A for effort. It is not a law yet. It has not been passed. It is not in our legal books yet. But, you know what? We give him an A for at least trying to protect our children from this horrible scourge of internet sexual abuse.

How is he doing on your score card? How are you rating him on financial issues? On family issues? In the second part of today's program, we'll go further into the various family issues and then get into the controversial foreign affairs. How will Stephen Harper and his government do on your report card in foreign affairs? I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. We'll send you out a free copy of our magazine, the *Evangelical Christian* and I want you to get a copy of this film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* so that you can be informed in this coming year. Watch this short clip and we'll be right back with you on *Word TV*.

- lengthier clip of *Besieged* (described above in December 13 episode)

McVety: Call us at 416-391-5000 and get a copy of this film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* today because, yes, it may be a revolutionary act to tell the truth, but the truth you must have. The truth we must spread across this country! And you're not going to get

the truth on CBC or CTV or any of the other newscasts! And, by the way, you're only going to get primary source truth, right from the horse's mouth. Right from the mouth of our Supreme Court Chief Justice, right from the mouths of the leaders, so that you can trust the truth that you're going to receive on that DVD. So call us, 416-391-5000 and get your copy today. Or go on word.ca and you can, you can order that by clicking on the *Besieged* video.

This ye-, this week, we get to grade Stephen Harper and his government on how he is doing on financial issues, family issues and foreign affairs. In the first part we went through financial issues and we looked at how he did on taxation with GST. And he received an A. On the issue of keeping our taxes down, he received an A. On the issue of income spler-, er, splitting for seniors: an A. But then on the issue of debt, he received a D. Why? Because, what is it? Over sixty billion dollars of debt that we have to pay back to someone with interest. They're going to have to tax us to death to pay back this soaring debt that they are tagging on to us and for that he gets a D. And then for the issue of spending. Spending money like drunken sailors. And as my friend Doctor Thomas, sailors spend their own money, but our government is spending your money. And they spent billions of dollars on frivolous issues like sex parades in Toronto and for that he gets an F. Then on the issue of family protection, they finally put forward Bill C-58 and th-, this *Child Protection Act* and for doing that they get an A. They also put forward, in fact, Joy Smith, a private member's bill put forward Bill C-268 to criminalize or to provide minimum sentences to those who kidnap our children, repeatedly rape them for, for year after year or month after month and then sell our children! Minimum sentence of five years. Well, we thank God. My, my wife says it should be fifty years. I think it should be twenty-five. Well the Parliament thought it should be five years. At least it's not the two weeks that it used to be. And we thank God that that has passed. It's in the Senate and these dirty old senators are holding it up and putting our children at risk! Why? I have no idea, but they must stop. This is absolutely ridiculous. And, yes, I don't apologize for calling them "dirty old senators" because this is dirty business to leave our children exposed without minimum sentences.

Also on the issue of protecting our families and protecting our children, we need to look at the issue of polygamy. At the beginning of the year, we asked our government to intervene and stop this process of legalizing polygamy. They delayed, they delayed, they delayed. They refused for several months, but then finally they did. So for that, on the issue of polygamy, the leaders have given him a, a C. [graphic, "Polygamy 'C'"] Oh, by the way, on Bill C-268, the leaders gave him an A. [graphic, "Bill C-268 'A'"] Also, on bills that create tough-on-crime legislation, they have passed many of them from, to provide minimum sentences for various criminal acts. For that, the Stephen Harper government gets an A. [graphic, "Bills Crime legislation 'A'"] But then on the issue of restoring marriages one man and one woman, Stephen Harper government gets an F. [graphic, "Restoring Marriage 'F'"] Why? Because they didn't do anything about it. He did not fulfill his pledge that he gave in front of twenty-five thousand people on Parliament Hill and we have the videotape to prove it. He did not fulfill that pledge and that, unfortunately, is a scourge on his record and he receives an F. So overall on fi-, on family issues, the leaders have given Stephen Harper and his government a B. [graphic "Overall Family Issues 'B'"]

Now on the controversial issue of foreign affairs where, where the Stephen Harper government, according to the *Toronto Star*, is an extremist government. Why? Because they support Israel. Oh, isn't that terrible that he supports Israel, a country that's trying to provide peace and security for its people? How ridiculous is that?! *Toronto Star*, why don't you wake up? This issue of supporting Israel is a moral issue. Why? Because they're under attack by terrorists that want to blow them up. Hamas is still sending rockets and

bombs into Israel from Gaza! And unfortunately many people don't stand up for them, but Stephen Harper has. In fact, Stephen Harper and this government has been the most supportive government of Israel in the history of Canada. And for that, he gets an A. [graphic, "Supporting Israel 'A'"] On the issue of Durban Two. What is Durban Two? It was this horrible conference on racism that was really promoting racism, not against racism, where Ahmadinejad, the president of Iran came and spoke horrific racist remarks. Well, you know what? Stephen Harper led the world on that issue this year. And he led the world to not participate! He is the first country to boycott it. Eventually, you remember those videos where, where all of these leaders end up leaving as these mad men go and spew their venom all out over the United Nations floor, or all out, er, all out o-, over the floor of this gathering that had come together called Durban Two. We give him an A for that. [graphic, "Durban II 'A'"] On the issue of cutting funding to KAIROS, a religious political leftist action group that was receiving two million dollars a year. They received money for, from the federal government for thirty-five years and finally, so the Stephen Harper government cut that funding. For that he gets an A plus. [graphic "Cutting funding to Kairos 'A+'"] Then on the issue of cutting the funding to promote "moderate" [McVety makes air quotes] Islam in Indonesia. Thirteen million dollars CIDA was going to give. We give Stephen Harper on that issue, and his government, an A minus. [graphic "Promoting Modern [sic] Islam 'A-'"] Why the minus? Because it shouldn't've been there in the first place. It's ridiculous. But we know that the bureaucrats put all kinds of crazy things forward, so we give him an A minus on that issue. Then, on the issue of climate change, Stephen Harper has really managed this problem quite well. In Copenhagen and in other, other meetings, at the G20 and other discussions. But he did put forward that seven hundred and ninety million dollars of your money to oil companies in Alberta. What, to do what? Bury CO<sub>2</sub> underneath the ground. CO<sub>2</sub>, a natural, necessary elm-, element of air. We spend almost a billion dollars burying it? That whittles away his A down to a B. [graphic, "Climate change 'B'"] So how has Stephen Harper done on foreign affairs? Overall he is given an A minus. [graphic, "Overall Foreign Affairs 'A-'"] We're going to be right back after this short break as we wrap this up and give Stephen Harper an overall grade for this year 2009.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. How has Stephen Harper and the Conservative government done on your scar-, score card? Well on our score card, he has received a C in financial issues, a B in family issues, and an A minus on foreign affairs issues. So overall, Stephen Harper, for the year 2009, his government is given by us a B minus. [graphic, "Overall 2009 'B-'"] That is not a bad grade. Last year he received a C minus. There have been a number of successes lately. He is doing a little bit better, but he does have a lot of groom, room to grow. Hopefully next year he can at least get rid of the minus and maybe get over that B. If you got a B minus on your grade in school, would you be happy with it? No, I don't think you would. So hopefully he will improve as our prime minister and that he will lead this country to success. I want this next year, 2010, to be your very best year ever. I want you to study at Canada Christian College to earn a degree so that you can be a leader that makes a difference in this country. I want you to get this film *Besieged*, so that you can know the truth, spread the truth in your city, in your town, in your family because the truth is paramount. It's the only way that we can get rid, that we can walk forward in 2010 with success. So I want to thank you for watching *Word TV* this year and may God bless you and give you the greatest year ever in 2010. God bless you and we'll see you next year.

January 17, 2010

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, a massive earthquake rocks Haiti with thousands feared dead. And also, the *National Post* editorial declares that there's virtually no anti-Semitism in Canada, but shockingly the Ontario Ministry of Education launches a new four-year program to implement pro-homosexual curriculum. You don't want to miss this show. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, the *National Post* declares that there's virtually no anti-Semitism left in Canada. [image of article with portions highlighted] And also the Ontario Ministry of Education launches a new, four-year program to homosexualize our curriculum. [image of Ministry document] But first in the news, a massive earthquake rocks the country of Haiti and thousands are feared dead. [photographs of devastation in Haiti] We need to pray for these people. We need to pray that God will send the appropriate relief, that God will touch the hearts and the minds of these people. Haiti is an unfortunate country. It is the, the world capital for corruption. It has the highest rate of voodoo and witchcraft, of Satan worshippers in the whole world. These people need help and now their buildings have crumbled in a horrific way and they're suffering terribly. And my fear is that all the aid that is being poured in by our governments will not reach the people. Why? Because, yes, they have just less than seven million people, but this money gets skimmed off. And I fear for that, so I am asking you and from me to work with people that are on the ground. And one of our professors, Doctor Sam Martin, he has a relief organization called the Arms of Jesus [website address appears on screen] that is, has been working in Haiti for many years and I want to ask you to donate to help those people directly because I know that your dollars will go straight to Haiti and straight to those people that are in need. We need to reach out with the Arms of Jesus. So go to our website word.ca. You can click on a button, you can donate right there. Or you can call us, 416-391-5000 or call that 1-800 number at the bottom of the screen and Edris and all of her phone counsellors will love to talk with you. Pray for the people of Haiti and receive your donation so that they can receive relief when they are in a time of need.

Also in the news, the *National Post* editorial board published an editorial on January the 11<sup>th</sup> called "There's no (sane) comparison" [image of article with portions highlighted] where they charge that B'nai Brith, the oldest Jewish organization in the world, operating in Canada since 1875 is now a laughing stock. Why? Because they say that there is virtually no anti-Semitism left in this country of Canada. I don't know what planet the *National Post* is living on, but this is ridiculous. What happened here was the B'nai Brith put out a press release. And they wrongfully compared the Olympic Committee's denial of the women's ski-jumping to the Berlin Olympic Committee's denial of Jews in the Berlin Olympics in 1936. [image of article entitled "Jonathan Kay: B'nai Brith compares Vancouver's treatment of female ski jumpers to Nazi policies of 1936"] Of course that was wrong. That was over the edge, but the *National Post* editorial is over the cliff. Instead of criticizing the point that B'nai Brith made in their editori-, in their press release, the *National Post* goes and summarily dismisses all the tremendous work that this Jewish organization does and calls it a laughing stock. They then go on to say that the battle has been won, that there is virtually no anti-Semitism left. And they say that B'nai Brith's contention, contentions are observed, that their claims are trivial and that they are becoming a joke! [article with highlighted portions] I mean, this is outrageous. How can they possibly say such a thing? Unfortunately anti-Semitism has taken on a new face and is growing exponentially in this country of Canada. It has taken on the face of international Jew hatred, international hatred of the country of Israel. How can

the *National Post* say that there is no anti-Semitism? Can they say that to the Jewish students at York University? [photo of student protest, men wearing t-shirts that read "Jews Need Not Fear Here"] During the Israel apartheid week where those two students are accosted, they're shouted at and even beaten? Can they say that to the school in the Montreal that was bombed with a firebomb? [image of article on CBC News website entitled "Man admits to firebombing Montreal Jewish school"] The United Talmud Torah Elm-, Elementary School. Can they say this when CUPE Canada attempts to ban Jewish-Israeli academics from teaching at Ontario universities? [photo of CUPE protest in Dundas Square] This is outrageous for them to make this statement! And then, the *National Post* goes on to say that the B'nai Brith audit of anti-Semi-, a-, anti-Semitic events is just trivial. [highlight paragraph of editorial] That they have, that they have exaggerated any type of action and called it an anti-Semit-, Semitic action. Well, this is outrageous. A few years ago, I was in the United Nations General Assembly Hall. I was there with my son Ryan and, and we witnessed this 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz and virtually every speaker came up and said that anti-Semitism and the Holocaust did not begin in, in Auschwitz. It began with the marginalization of the Jewish people. We as Christians unfortunately have participated too much over our history in the marginalization and even in anti-Semitic acts. [photo of man holding sign that reads "'Free Palestine' is code for 'Kill the Jews'"] But now we realize that everything that we have as Christians has come to us from the Jewish people. We celebrate and worship our God, the god of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the god of Israel, the god of the Jewish people. We worship Jesus Christ, a Jew himself. Matthew, Mark and Peter and Paul and Mary and Joseph, all Jews. We fight against anti-Semitism, but somehow the *National Post* believes that there is no more anti-Semitism, so B'nai Brith should just close up shop and go home. This is an outrage and we really need to take a stand against it. Why? Because anti-Semitism is a scourge. It is hate. And it damages all Canadians, Christians, Hindus, Muslims, secularists and Jews! So I pray that the B'nai Brith staff and supporters will m-, not be discouraged over this disparaging editorial. And that their organization will continue their stalwart activity. We need to take a stand against am-, anti-Semitism. We need to support the people of Haiti. We need to take a stand against the homosexualization of the curriculum of our educational system in Ontario. I want you to go to our website. There is a button there where you can pledge to support Israel. That pledge is not a financial pledge. That pledge is a pledge of support and your voice counts. So go to word.ca and sign that pledge. Also, go to the word.ca and sign the petition to stop the homosexualization of the curriculum of our children. And also call us at 416-391-5000. Give your best donation to the Arms of Jesus where this mission will go, will take the money and the relief material straight to the people of Haiti and you can re-, be rest assured that that money will go straight to Haiti. I want you also to watch this short clip of the new film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* and then call us and order this film so you can have it. You can be educated on these issues and then you can take a stand at knowing the truth. Yes, you're not going to get this material from other newscasts. You're not going to get it from CTV or CBC, but you will get it here. So I want you to get involved. Call us, 416-391-5000. Send me an email at [charles@word.ca](mailto:charles@word.ca) and we'll be right back after this short clip.

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McVety: Call us at 416-391-5000. Go to the website word.ca and get a copy of this film *Besieged* because you will get the, the real goods. You've seen just a short clip of it. This is a full feature film that gives you tremendous information that helps you take a stand. And why? Because democracy is being pulled out from under our feet and we are witnessing massive social change. One of those changes is the homosexualization of our educational curriculum. This last week, our Ontario Ministry of Education launched a new



four-year program to implement a pro-homosexual curriculum. They use wonderful, flowery terms to describe it. [image of Ministry document entitled *Ontario's Equity and Inclusive Education Strategy*] They call it the *Ontario Equity and Inclusive Education Strategy*. Now doesn't that sound nice? "Equity" and "inclusive". That just sounds so warm and fuzzy that you just want to give it a big group hug. But you know what? It's all subterfuge. Why? Because when you read into the details, and I have this program in my hands [holds up copy of document], and when you read into the details, you realize that the focus is on homosexuality, lesbianism, bisexuality, gender issues, transgendered issues. All of these sexual practices to be taught to our children in our schools. When we send little Johnny and little Jane to school, not to learn to be homosexuals and lesbians. We send them there to learn reading, writing and arithmetic and history and all these wonderful things, but unfortunately there is an activist group that is afoot that wants to change our curriculum. Why? Because unfortunately they have an insatiable appetite for sex, especially with young people. And there're not enough of them, so they want to proselytize your children and mine, our grandchildren and turn them into homosexuals. And they've seized our Ministry of Education and now they're implementing this! Back when we led the campaign to defend marriage in, oh, in 2005, we warned that once they legalized same-sex marriage, then that will be the legal groundwork for them to change our curriculum and to start teaching this to our children. Well, here it is, my friends. Something that we said five years ago is now alive and well in the province of Ontario. Our Minister of Education, Kathleen Wynne [photo of Wynne], a self-professed lesbian, same-sex marriage activist, is now implementing her new diversity program. Now she uses great, flowery words and don't let those flowery words get you off track. But what they, what they're teaching, and I quote in this, is diversity, ethnicity, gender ancestry. All of these, and gender issues, all of those are wonderful. [highlighted portions of document] But let's look at the rest of it: gender identity. What in the world is that? And sexual orientation. What is sexual orientation? Well gender identity is what you call yourself. They want to stop, and I kid you not, they want to stop what they call as discrimination by naming a child male or female at birth. They say that the child has not yet chosen their gender identity. So you are discriminating against that child if you call that child a boy because maybe later on he will choose to be called a girl. This is nonsense. It's ridiculous, but it's now entering the curriculum of our Ontario educational system. They continue on in this package and they say that we must go beyond diversity and move beyond tolerance to acceptance. To acceptance of the homosexual activity and lesbian activity. Acceptance of this sexual orientation activity. By the way, what is sexual orientation? You know, you have, you could have an orientation to commit adultery. You could have an orientation to commit pedophilia. You could have a sexual orientation to commit all kinds of things. It doesn't mean that we have to accept it. It doesn't mean that we have to teach it! But unfortunately that's what's happening in this curriculum. I quote in this curric-, what this document says, when I say homophobia has now risen to the forefront of the discussion. They are saying that homophobia is the forefront issue. Yes, this does, does deal with, with ethnicity and racism and all those horrific things that, that we need to fight against. But it also focusses, according to their own words, on the forefront of the discussion, homophobia. [highlighted sentence in document] What is homophobia? Well, they describe it as anyone who does not tolerate and accept homosexual activity. You know the Bible 57 times condemns homosexual activity. Why? Because it is self-destructive. According to the Rainbow Health Coalition [image of Canadian Rainbow Health Coalition logo] someone who practises homosexuality has a, has a twenty-year less life expectancy. They have a 14 times greater risk of committing suicide. They have up to a three times risk of smoking. Seven times the risk of being an alcoholic. Nineteen times the risk of using illicit drugs. This is not me saying this. This is coming from the homosexual community themselves. They say that their depression rate is up to three times higher and then 76 per cent of AIDS cases are homosexual. This is why the Bible teaches 57 times that homosexuality, homosexual practice is wrong. But now our educational program is going to teach that it must be accepted in our school system. This is an outrage. This is something that we should fight

against and I ask you to go to the website word.ca and sign that petition to stop this. This document goes on to say that it's going to implement a curriculum that will fight against religious intolerance. [highlighted sentence in document] Religious intolerance? Yeah, that's the Bible that speaks against such sexual practices as fornication, as adultery, homosexuality and women using their bodies in untoward ways. Yes, they're now going to have new curriculum preaching against religious practices! This is outrageous. Also, they say in this document that special attention will be given to LGBT issues. [highlighted portion of document] Lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgendered issue. So what they've done is they've formed something called the Rainbow Coalition. Where have you heard that before?

Of course, this is the coalition of lesbian, gay, bisexual, two-spirited, trans-identified and straight students, according to this document! And now it's part of our curriculum. They're going to implement policies and programs and practices into our curriculum. They have launched something called the Inclusive Education Branch where that branch will give up to four million dollars a year to school boards that implement and promote this type of material.

They have a, this new policy memorandum program that they're going to implement and it'll be implemented by that Inclusive Education Board that will put forward all of these principles in every aspect of the curriculum. Also, they are going to i-, as part of this, they're going to put forward new guidelines on religious accommodation. Guess what? The guidelines won't accommodate for the Bible. They may accommodate for a Ramadan prayer room as, as our schools already do. But they're not going to accommodate for the word of God. Why? Because it doesn't fit their activist agenda. They continue to say that they're going to imbed these principles in every aspect of our educational curriculum and that they're finally going to implement what they call positive employment practices. You know what that means. They're only going to employ teachers that will implement their homosexual curriculum. This is an outrage. This is something that has the potential to damage our students irreparably. And I believe that we need to take a stand against it. And sometimes you look at these stands and you say well, this is impossible. But you know what? Deuteronomy tells us that one can put a thousand to flight and two together can put ta-, ten thousand to flight. So if you and me [sic] partner together, that if we sign these petitions, if we stand strong together, then we can protect our children from this new curriculum. But if we don't, if we say, ah, you know what? I've got too many other things to do. I don't want to take a stand. Who cares about the kids? Who cares about little Johnny and little Janie. Ah, let them, let them be taught homosexuality. Let them be taught gender identity issues and two-spiritedness and all of these different issues. If we say that, then shame on us. We need to take a stand. I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. Go to the website at word.ca and sign that petition and take a stand for the sake of the children! We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. Yes, at this late time on Sunday night we have people waiting to talk to you. Pray for the people of Haiti. They are in desperate need. You saw the pictures, you've seen the reports in the news and now they need your help. So call us, 416-391-5000. Give them the best donation you can. It'll go straight to the Arms of Jesus that has been operating in Haiti on the ground for many years and that money will go to help those people. Also, go to the website word.ca.

Sign that petition for the sake of our children. Join this child emergency protection plan. And get involved because our children deserve to be protected from this activist, homosexual activist agenda that is now going to change our curriculum to teach homosexuality to our children. [image of document] Not just tolerance, but acceptance with a focus on homosexuality. This is an outrage because these sexual practices bring damage to our children and our friends. And we need to continue to teach against the practice. Not the

person, but the practice. Thank you for watching *Word TV* this week and may God bless you until we see you next week. And make sure that you go on that website and sign that petition. God bless you.

January 24, 2010

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, Education Minister Kathleen Wynne is removed from her post. Also, the Minister of Tourism that gave that four hundred thousand dollars to the Toronto sex parade is replaced. Also in the news, the Americans reject the White House's soft approach appeasing terrorism with historic by-election [sic] in Massachusetts. And the media viciously attacks Pat Robertson, as MSNBC calls him the devil. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, Education Minister Kathleen Wynne [photo of Wynne holding piece of paper and standing in front of microphone outdoors] was removed from her office and sent over to be the Minister of Transportation. I guess there goes my driver's licence. This week, the *Toronto Sun* reported that Kathleen Wynne must be wondering what she did wrong to deserve this demotion. [image of article on *Sun* website with sentence highlighted] Well, last week we reported to you one of those things that she has done wrong. She implemented a four-year program to implement a pro-homosexual curriculum. [image of *Ontario's Equity and Inclusive Education Strategy*] She calls it the *Ontario Equity and Inclusive Education Strategy*. Remember that Kathleen Wynne is a self-professed lesbian activist. She is for same-sex marriage, re-defining the definition of marriage and so many other things. And she has been for four years the Minister of Education. She recently implemented this new program and she says in this program, in this curriculum, in this strategy, that their focus is going to be diversity, ethnicity, gender ancestry, gender identity – whatever that is – language, physical and intellectual ability, race, religion and sexual orientation. I mean, that all sounds fine, but she says further in the document, that homophobia has risen to the forefront of the discussion. [image of document, portions highlighted] Also that they are going to implement new religious intolerance teaching to our children. And she goes on to say that this curriculum needs to go beyond tolerance and into acceptance. Acceptance of homosexuality and lesbianism and all the other things. She says in the document that special attention is going to be given to the LGBT – lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgendered – students. This document also sets up the Rainbow Coalition, and I quote, which is formed to provide lesbian, gay, bisexual, two-spirited, trans-identified and straight students a place to discuss their issues. [close-up of words in document] This program is being implemented in our province, the province of Ontario. And it plans to, to reform the thoughts of our children. This is not why we send our children to school. We send them to learn how to read and write and history and math and all these wonderful things and, instead, Kathleen Wynne wants to impose her sexual preferences on our children. I don't think it's right. She introduced something called the Inclusive Education Branch, gave it a lot of money. They offer four million dollars to any school board that will promote this new pro-homosexual curriculum. Their memorandum that they have passed around says that this new curriculum is going to have religious accommodation guidelines. Well, guess what? I don't think the Bible is going to be part of that religious accommodation because the Bible condemns homosexuality 57 times. But this document says that they're going to imbed these principles in every aspect of our children's education and that they're even going to go on and impose positive employment practices. Ah, I guess my application is going to be rejected. They're not going to teach the truth. They're not going to teach the truth that these sexual practices, and remember, we're not

talking about homosexuals or lesbians, we're talking about the practice of homosexuality. [logo of Canadian Rainbow Health Coalition] This practice, according to their own community, the Rainbow Health Coalition, reduces your lifespan by, on average, twenty years. [words appear on screen "Reduces lifespan by an average 20 years"] It increases the rate of suicide by up to 14 times [words on screen "Increases de [sic] rate of suicide up to 14 times"]. Increases the rate of smoking by three times [words on screen "Increases de [sic] rate of smoking by 3 times"]. Increases the rate of alcoholism by up to 7 times [words on screen "Increases de [sic] rate of alcoholism by up to 7 times"]. Use of illicit drugs up to 19 times! [words on screen "Increases de [sic] rate of use of illicit drugs up to 19 times"] Depression up to 3 times! [words on screen "Increases de [sic] rate of depression up to 3 times"] And 76 per cent of AIDS cases are homosexuals [words on screen "66% of AIDS cases are homosexuals"]. But that is not going to be taught to our children. Ou-, our former, now former Minister of Education is now the Minister of Tourism [sic] and, and who knows what that's going to mean for me. But I want to thank you for going to the website word.ca and signing that petition on the homosexualization of our curriculum. Because you may think your word means nothing, but your prayers mean something. The Bible says that the prayers of the righteous availeth much. There's great power in prayer. There's great power in action. And when you go on the website and sign these petitions, there is tremendous meaning behind it and you can see that there is almost immediate, immediate implications in this case. Yes, we never want to rejoice when someone's being demoted, but when they're doing this to our children, we need to take a stand. Yes, you could say well, who cares about the children? We don't care if they're taught whatever they, the school board wants to teach them. But you know what? We can't say that. We need to take a stand. And I encourage you to continue to take a stand.

Also in the news this week, the Minister of Tourism, remember last year, that gave that four hundred thousand dollars to the Toronto sex parade, Diane Ablonczy, [photo of Ablonzy, caption "Dianne Ablonzy" [sic]] she has now been replaced with a tremendous man of God named Rob Moore [photo of Moore]. This is a I-, this is a long-awaited result. You remember that you and I and many others, we signed a petition, we prayed about this, we called our members of Parliament and asked the government to not take our hard-earned tax dollars and give it to people who want to parade nude down the streets of Toronto and Montreal and Calgary and Vancouver. And our government listened and they, they did not give money to the Montreal parade. They did not give money to the Vancouver parade. But guess what? These parades are all coming up again this year and they're going to be knocking on the Minister of Tourism's door. Remember, they set aside 20 million dollars for special events and they started rolling out massive cheques. But you know what? That stopped. And now under the leadership of Rob Moore, I don't think it's going to continue. I want to challenge you to continue to take action. Go to our website word.ca and sign that petition because it does make a difference. Remember that our Ministry of, Minister of Tourism in the past has renamed Toronto and renamed our slogan. It used to be "Toronto the good". Now it is "Toronto, as gay as it gets". You know, the Toronto sex parade claims that they get over a million visitors, but it's odd that they can't even fill the 32 thousand hotel rooms that are in the city of Toronto. Where are they sleeping, on the street? I don't know. But just a couple of months ago, Stephen Harper needed twenty-, er, ten thousand empty hotel rooms to host the G20 meeting in June in Canada. [photo of Harper] The only place he could find these hotel rooms was in the city of Toronto, guess what? During the Toronto sex parade week! Why? Because they don't fill these hotel rooms. This claim of a million tourists coming to this city is nonsense. But it is a big cash grab. They should not be using tax dollars for this purpose. I want you to go to the website. I want you to call us, 416-391-5000. Even at this late time on Sunday night, we have people waiting to talk to you. They want to take your call. They want to pray with you, they want to talk to you. They want to take your order for this new m-, film, *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. Why? Because

we need to be informed about the issues. You don't get this type of information from CBC or CTV or the *National Post* or the *Globe and Mail*. You need to get that information here. And I'd like to give you the, the, the, the original source. This video gives you the original source for many of these statements. The original source of the Supreme Court of Canada, how they have revamped democracy, put us into a new democracy that says that judges make the laws. They're changing the face of our country and unfortunately it is to the detriment of our children. Call us, 416-391-5000. Call that 1-800 number at the bottom of the screen and get involved. Go to word.ca and sign these petitions because your action means something. We'll be right back after we show you this short clip.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. You need to call us, 416-391-5000. Get involved, go to the website, sign that petition, word.ca. And make sure you get a copy of this new film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. Also in the news this week, America rejects the White House's soft approach to appeasing terrorism. Last, this last week, Scott Brown [photo of Brown] won a Senate seat in Massachusetts. Why was this a rejection of America's soft approach to terrorism? The reason is, is that this seat was held for over 50 years by the Democrats. Now a Republican has come in and won that seat. Before Christmas, the Democrat candidate, Missus Coakley [photo of Coakley], she had a 31 per cent lead before Christmas. But that lead evaporated over Christmas and New Year's and she ended up losing the race by seven points. What happened? Well, one of the things that happened was that Scott Brown was campaigning on the issue of not funding lawyers for terrorists, but funding the military to fight the terrorists overseas. What happened was, on Christmas Day, that horrific bomber from Nigeria [blurry photo of struggle on airplane; caption "Umar Abdul Mutallab" & "CNN Exclusive" in upper right corner], trained in Yemen, boarded an aircraft bound for Detroit and he tried to blow up that aircraft and kill the 289 people on board. What did the White House do about it? They said oh, we will give you American citizen rights. We will give you a lawyer. We will pay that lawyer a million or two million dollars if necessary. We will give you all the protections of Miranda rights. And we will stage a good criminal trial for you. Well, what's wrong with that? This is an act of war by al-Qaeda that is waging war against America. And you cannot fight international terrorists and international war-mongers with criminal applications. That is appeasing evil. Yes, it's true that also there was a health care, uh, amendment passed by the Senate, but it is still not law. And that had a big impact on the vote. But I believe that the predominant issue that swayed those people was the threat of terrorism because Americans don't want to get on their own airplanes and feel that they're going to be blown up by some madman. And that madman should not receive appeasement treatment. That madman should be tried in a military court [photo of Umar Abdul Mutallab] where it is all done under secret rule, where secrets don't have to be divulged, and where there is no massive spending of money to give to the terrorists' lawyers.

Also another thing that happened is that the White House decided that they were gonna try Khalid Sheikh Mohammed [photo of Mohammed with caption "Kalid Sheik Mohamed" *[sic]*] and the other four terrorists that planned the bombings of September 11<sup>th</sup>, they're going to try them as criminals. Not as a war crime, but as common criminals in New York City. This, the estimates are that this trial is going to cost the ci-, the country of the United States over a hundred million dollars. I mean, these people already cost hundreds of billions of dollars with the destruction of the World Trade Centers and the, the damage to the American economy [photo of smoke billowing out of Center towers]. And now they're going to spend a hundred million dollars appeasing these terrorists. Said well, you know, if we catch you, we'll just treat you nice. We'll give you three squares a day and we'll give you a multi-million-dollar

bank account to draw on for your lawyer. This is nonsense. This is what happened down, back in 1993. When al-Qaeda bombed the World Trade Center, yes, they bombed it! And they took out five floors underneath the ground and somehow that great building did not topple. What did Bill Clinton and his administration do? Well, they gave, I guess, those terrorists a group hug and they sang "Kumbaya" around a table. And they gave 'em a multi-million-dollar account for their lawyers and put them in jail where they could have visitors every day and, and tried them as a common criminal when really this was an act of war. It is impossible to fight terrorism with common criminal procedures because it exposes the country to more terrorism. What happened after 1993? Well, al-Qaeda then planned the bombing of September 2001 and now it appears to be a feeding frenzy on America. This is not right. This is not what the United States White House should be doing. This is not what the government should be doing. They should not be appeasing evil. You can only oppose evil. You cannot appease it. No matter how you appease it, it's still going to come back after you.

Also, America has done something that is absolutely astonishing. [image of [www.army.mil](http://www.army.mil) website & article entitled "Protecting the Force: Lessons learned from Fort Hood"] They came out with this report, an 86-page report produced by the US military entitled *Protecting the Force: Lessons learned from Fort Hood* [image of document entitled *Protecting the Force: Lessons from Fort Hood*] Remember what Fort Hood was. This massacre back in November where this major, a psychiatrist, went into this Fort Hood military installation [photo of Nidal Malik Hasan] and he cut down 13 GIs. He wounded another 42 and he killed an unborn baby. He did this wearing Islamic garb. He did this shouting "Allahu Akbar", that Allah is greater. He did this under the impetus of al-Qaeda. And they found his communications. And guess what? This report does not mention Islam or Islamic terrorists or radical Islam once [holds up copy of document]. Not once! What kind of lesson did they learn if they don't even learn what drove this madman to go and kill these 13 people?! To kill that, that little baby in its mother's womb. And to wound another 43. This is outrageous and the people know, they know that it's appeasing evil. Sitting down with evil and saying hey, we'll cover it up. We'll just be nice to you. Well, you know what? That only leads to more destruction.

Also in the news, the media has viciously attacked Pat Robertson [photo of American evangelist Robertson]. MSNBC has attacked him viciously and called Pat Robertson the devil. This is an outrage. Keith Olbermann of MSNBC, he came out and talked about Pat Robertson's statement about Haiti where Pat Robertson did talk about the deal with the devil that Haitians did about two hundred years ago. And the result of that deal has been that Haiti is the world capital for voodoo, the world capital for Satan worship and those people need help. They are desperate. They are desperate in this time of this earthquake. Keith Olbermann has attacked Pat Robertson and all the care that he has offered to Haiti and called Pat Robertson horrible names. They say that Pat Robertson is tone deaf. That he delights in human misery. That he is full of senile crap. And they even say "Pat Robertson, you are the devil". Let's listen to Keith Olbermann of MSNBC.

video clip from YouTube of Keith Olbermann: Back to Haiti in a moment and reports now that quake victims in Haiti from the United States have been evacuated to, of all places, Guantánamo Bay. The first subject of the comment tonight is still the matter of Haiti, but relating to back here. Even the worst of us in this political moshpit of the early 21<sup>st</sup> century can't stop on occasion in grief, in human sympathy, in mourning or just in self-preservation. Not Rush Limbaugh and not Pat Robertson. We'll explore this at length later, but Mister Robertson, it is laughable now to try to call him "Reverend", explained today that this

earthquake was a result of, quote, "deal with the devil" that he claims the nation made in the 19<sup>th</sup> century to gain its freedom from France. True story, Robertson says. Sir, because of your tone-deafness and your delight in human misery and your dripping, self-satisfied, holier-than-thou senile crap, I am now likelier to believe that you are the devil. Limbaugh, meantime, did not know when to just shut up. Today he blamed communism for the poverty of Haiti, blamed President Obama for holding a news conference the day after this cataclysm when he did not hold one after the failed, half-assed terror attempt in Detroit, and said Mister Obama would, quote, "use Haiti to", quote, "burnish their, shall we say, credibility with the Black community in the both light-skinned and dark-skinned Black community [sic] in this country." Mister Robertson, Mister Limbaugh, your lives are not worth those of the lowest, meanest, poorest of those victims still lying under that rubble in Haiti tonight. You serve no good. You serve no God. You inspire only stupidity and hatred and I would wish you to hell. But knowing how empty your souls must be for you to be able to say such things in a time of such pain, I suspect the vacant, purposeless lives you both live now are hell enough already.

McVety: This is outrageous! How could a man tell such a half-truth? Well, you know what? The half-truth is a lie and the media right across the board is telling this lie! Pat Robertson has given over two hundred million dollars to feed children, to provide liefwork [sic], relief work through Operation Blessing. He has given millions of dollars over the years to help the Haitians. And he has a heart to help the Haitians. He doesn't want to see them return to Satanism and witchcraft and all the calamity and curses that they have been under. Unfortunately, Haitians are in trouble. When you practise such Satanism, you end up with a horrific government. They are the most corrupt government in the Western hemisphere. It takes five years and going through 65 bureaucrats to, for a Haitian to simply buy a house. That's how corrupt they are. Over 60 per cent of the Haitians have no job. Satan worship is flourishing. And on this one island that is shared, half Democratic Republic [sic, Dominican Republic] and half, half Haiti, you have a tremendous disparity. Democratic Republic [sic] is doing quite well with a lot of tourism and a lot of economic development, but the Haitians are in trouble. We need to see the Haitians turn to God. I ask Keith Olbermann, how much money have you given to relieve the pain of the Haitians? All you can do is spew out your venom. All of you media that have been attacking Pat Robertson with half-truths that are really the lie should be ashamed of yourselves! Because Pat Robertson has shown all of you up because Pat Robertson has delivered hundreds of millions of dollars to help the hungry. How much have you given? How much have you done to help these needy people? We need to pray for the Haitians. We need to pray that God will move in that country and bring them to prosperity, bring them out of their squalor. Bring them a good government that will not be so corrupt and have them turn from worshipping Satan. I want you to stand with us as we stand for the truth. So call us tonight, 416-391-5000. Register your complaint against these various evils that are being conducted against our children. And also get a copy of this video *Besieged: Democracy under Attack*. We'll be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Call us at 416-391-5000 or call that 1-800 number at the bottom of the screen. I want to thank you for watching *Word TV* and I ask you to go to the website, sign those petitions, pray for the Haitians, give what you can. Because they need your help. Thank you for watching *Word TV*. May God bless you until we see you again.

February 7, 2010

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, our Canadian Prime Minister delivers his global governance plan. This television program is going to shock you. You don't want to miss it. We'll be right back after this short break.

- Make a Change promo

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, our prime minister of Canada, Stephen Harper, delivered his plan for global governance at the Davos, Switzerland World Economic Summit, January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010. [video footage of Harper at World Economic Forum] This is unbelievable. Why? Because he is now the chairman of the G20. The next meeting is going to be here in Canada, in Ontario in June of 2010. For this upcoming G20 summit, he announced his plan for global governance. Now this shocked many people because we see Stephen Harper as a conservative leader. But many of us started looking at him sideways 14 months ago because he, he, he all of a sudden brought in a liberal tax-and-spend budget. And they've been spending hundreds of billions of dollars like drunken sailors. We can't believe it. Whatever happened to Stephen Harper? Well this speech of his answers some of those questions and many were very shocked to hear Stephen Harper declare that we, and I quote, that we also know that markets need governance. He went on to talk about this new global economy. This G20 is what we have.

video clip of Stephen Harper speaking at World Economic Forum: To be succinct, the real test of the G20 going forward is that it develops and sustains among its members a sense of shared responsibility toward the global economy. For while the markets' awesome power to generate and widely distribute wealth is self-evident, we also know from history that markets do need governance. For the new global economy, the G20 is today what we have.

McVety: Harper went on to speak and as a-, as an avowed Keynesian committed to one-world global economy, creating a world, as Harper said, that we have been trying to build since 1945. I mean, what kind of totalitarian regime is our Prime Minister talking about! A one-world government, a one-world system that they've been trying to implement since 1945. And now we are there. Now we're at the threshold of it. And it's actually going to happen in Toronto, Ontario, Canada at the G20 summit in June 2010. This is shocking! It's shocking that a Conservative prime minister would go down this path! Well, he went on to warn the world against acting with national self-interest. Sovereignty. He said this must be opposed to stave off a [McVety makes air quotes] "greater crisis" than the current recession that we're in. He, in essence, threatened any government that would dare act with sovereignty.

clip of Harper: We must promote national regulation, sufficiently strong to avoid repetition of the kind of crisis we experienced last year. We also believe that such national systems should be subject to international peer review in order to enhance transparency and reduce risks to the global economy. Anything less would expose any economy to needless risk. In fact, if inadequate regulation is not addressed, I believe the consequences could actually be worse than before the crisis. If, after a period of renewed stability, institutions are able to return to the irresponsible practices that caused the crisis, what would they have learned? They would've learned a very bad lesson. That is that reckless behaviour can be engaged in because national governments will ultimately back-stop the consequences. And that, ladies and gentlemen, would be a very dangerous precedent. Now let me just say, first of all, that I



understand why there are calls for such approaches in some circles. In situations very different than Canada's, where big bank failures resulted in public bailouts, where the public endured the pain yet those who caused it seemed to emerge unscathed, there is understandably public anger and demands for tough or even retaliatory action.

McVety: Well you know that sovereignty is the backbone of democracy. And democracy is the heartbeat of freedom! We don't want a totalitarian one-world government that is led by these elites at the G20. We want a national sovereign government that answers to the people that is driven by democracy. Not this totalitarian regime controlling all of our financial world. But, unfortunately, that is what our Prime Minister is now putting forward. This plan for global governance that he is going to implement, that is being implemented by the G20. He calls this enlightened sovereignty and he pleads with the world to adopt enlightened sovereignty. Well, you know what? This is not sovereignty at all. There is nothing enlightening about it. When you give control of your budget, of your economy, of your banking system over to people that you have not elected. When you give it over to, to control of some globalists that want to have totalitarian control over every aspect of our finances, then we do not live in a democracy. And, in fact, we have just completed this film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* [video clip of promo for film] where we ask these questions. Why is our democracy under attack, first by our judges and then by world forces at the G20? But, you know what? Now these questions are being answered by our Prime Minister on videotape and you're hearing his words himself on this television show. You're not getting this from CBC or CTV. They're not going to give you the truth. But you're going to get it right here. So I want to ask you to go to our website word.ca, get a copy of this film *Besieged: Democracy under Attack* and get the truth. Our Prime Minister is now the chairman of the G20 for this time period because of the G20 being, being in Canada. And he, he, in his speech, reviewed the progress of the G20. How it established these institutions back in Washington on November the 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008. And then later on in London, as it set up the necessary control mechanisms in April of 2009 and then went on to cement these in Pittsburgh in 2009. In his speech, he talks about this G20 that controls 90 per cent of the world's economy and how it is now walking in lock-step to combat the global stock market crash. In fact, British Prime Minister Gordon Brown declared that this one-world system is now in place. [photo of Brown] And Barack Obama did the same thing in Pittsburgh. And now our Prime Minister is following suit. He talked about how, in London, this Financial Stability Board was established and, and I, I quote from the Financial Stability Board resolution, that its objective is overseeing and regulating all systemically important financial institutions around the world. [image of article from The London Summit website with portions highlighted] Stephen Harper went on in his speech and he added we established and we christened the framework. And he went on to talk about, and he said the national systems of our countries should be subject to international review.

clip of Harper: However, at Pittsburgh last year, the G20 went beyond merely advocating for trade and against protectionism as a basis for promoting global growth. We also established what we christened the framework for strong, sustainable and balanced growth. Much of what the framework prescribes takes us in the right direction. I speak especially of consensus on the macro level, on the causes of the recession and the mutual commitment among G20 members to coordinate their policies. However, this is where G20 partners must truly embrace enlightened views of sovereign behaviour.

McVety: Yes, international review. What he is really doing is using soft words for an international body to rule and regulate and control the national systems that we adhere to. Where our democratically elected officials have put into place and now they're being

controlled and regulated, reviewed and governed by an international totalitarian body. This is outrageous. Now, this apparent homogenous [sic] group of leaders acting in harmony, in unison, Stephen Harper described, described as a true Keynesian. What is a Keynesian? Well, John Maynard Keynes was a, was a, an economist. [black & white photo of Keynes with caption "John Maynard Keynes, (1883-1946) British economist"] Back in the twenties and thirties and then right up through the forties, he died in 1946, and he put forward a strategy for macro-economics. And what our Prime Minister has announced is that our G20 leaders have chosen Keynesian economics to be the guide to get us out of this terrible recession. What Keynesian economics teaches is that when capitalism, when the markets get in trouble, then the governments should borrow massive amounts of money and then inject that money into the economy. We now know it as the stimulus package. As, as in the United States they've spent trillions of dollars. In Canada they've spent hundreds of billions of dollars, money that they don't have, money that they're borrowing that our children are going to have to pay back, and then they believe that will stave off the recession, that will re-kick-start our economy and then everything will be fine. Unfortunately, this has resulted in unprecedented national debt that threatens to cripple our future and even destroy capitalism, even destroy the free markets. Keynes was well-known for agreeing with Vladimir Lenin on how to bring down a free-market based society. Keynes wrote in one of his, his essays, he said, and I quote, "Lenin is said to have declared that the best way to destroy the capitalist system was to debauch the currency. By continuing a process of inflation, governments can confiscate, secretly and unobserved, an important part of the wealth of their citizens." "There is no subtler way," said Lenin, "no surer means of overturning the existing basis of society than to debauch the currency. This process engages all the hidden forces of economic law on the side of destruction, and does it in a manner which not one in a million is able to diagnose." [image of essay on screen with portions highlighted] Well, you know what? We are that one in a million. Because we know that if you borrow what you cannot repay, one day bankruptcy follows. One day massive inflation follows. And then our system of freedom and free markets can be brought down. This is what Keynes taught. This is what Lenin taught. And this is what your government is implementing on our watch. I want you to watch this short clip. I want you to call us and get involved because it's not too late to stop the destruction. But if you and I do nothing about it, then we are going to watch horrific destruction that we, we have never seen with the bring-down of our economy. We'll be right back after this short clip.

## - Take Action promo

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. Make sure you call us and get a copy of this videotape because you need to know the truth. *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*. And our democracy is truly under attack so call us, 416-391-5000. Go to the website word.ca. You can sign these petitions. You can sign up to make sure that you know the truth and you can make a difference in this world. Back a few months ago, we brought to you this issue of this massive spending under the name of a stimulus program. And we brought to you the fact that our government set aside twenty million dollars, part of which was to fund sex parades in our country. They started writing out the cheques and they gave the first four hundred thousand dollar cheque to the sex parade in Toronto. But thankfully many people stood up and they spoke against it and tho-, that funding of sex parades was stopped. But now we have another year, so I want you to go onto our website, sign that petition against funding of sex parades, so this will stop. Well, where did this funding come from? We've been wondering for fourteen months how Stephen Harper went from being a conservative leader to a liberal, globalist, Keynesian economist. What happened to him? Well, in this second segment, I'm going to show you what happened to him because you're going to hear his testimony himself. He declared that we are now true Keynesians. Who was Keynes? [photo of Keynes] John Maynard Keynes was a man who fathered the Keynesian philosophy of economics. To borrow massive amounts of money and to infuse that money into the

economy to stave off a, a world crash. Well, you know what? Not only was his economics dubious, but he was of dubious character himself. He was horribly racist, terribly anti-Semitic. He was a Nazi sympathizer that shared Hitler's view of eugenics. In fact, he was a member of the British Eugenics Society right up until 1945 even though that Hitler was killing the Jewish people in the name of eugenics. Keynes was a vulgar man and he made many vulgar swears, swear words. He, he used the n-word to describe Africans. He spoke against the Jewish people and I'll give you one of his quotes. He said that Jews have in them deep-rooted instincts that, that, that are antagonistic and therefore repulsive to the European. [image of article from the Telegraph.co.uk website entitled "John Maynard Keynes on 'repulsive', 'impure', 'ugly' Jews" by Damian Thompson; portions highlighted] I mean, this is, this was one of, one of his worst anti-Semitic statements. But he was not only a racist, he was also promiscuous in his lifestyle, having sex with both men and women. But not only was his lifestyle promiscuous, so was his economics, in that it borrowed from many different areas and it came for-, and he came forward with horrific troubling views. After the stock market crash of 1929, many economists were looking for a way to solve the problems of the capitalist system. Many turned to communism. Stalinism rose quickly. Hitler rose with socialism. And many people looked for the solution. But this man, John Maynard Keynes, offered a solution that would allow the world, the western world to keep the capitalist free market system. But then to infuse this socialistic, totalitarian type of action during times of emergency. This became known as the Keynesian theory. This was preferred by many governments of the time. [image of heritage plaque for Bretton Woods Monetary Conference] And even in 1944, the British government led a contingent over to New Hampshire, to the Bretton Woods Conference grounds and they had a conference there with world leaders and they established the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund and Keynes was the key leader in putting that forward. Well Keynes also, at Bretton Woods, pushed for a one-world currency. He called it the bancor. And recently China's economic leader, Zhou Xiaochuan [photo of Zhou Xiaochuan, Governor of the Chinese central bank] has asked the world to revisit the implementation of the bancor and saying if we're going to be true Keynesians, then we need to follow it through and implement this new one-world currency. Well, you know where you've heard before. You heard that written two thousand years ago in scripture that one day there would be this one-world economy, this one-world currency, this one-world system where you could not buy or sell or trade without its permission. Well, guess what? It is coming true. It is here on our doorstep. And our Prime Minister is putting forward his version of Keynesian economics. Stephen Harper went on in his speech to give his testimony about he went from being against deficit spending to for deficit spending. He had an epiphany on the road to Damascus, uh, so to speak. He said that he went to Washington on November the 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008 and he couldn't believe it. He explains it in these words.

clip of Harper: If I may be indulged in a personal recollection, what I saw at the Washington summit made an enormous impression on me. Nations whose interests have often been at odds, nations with different traditions of governance, rivals, even former enemies found themselves addressing common problems with a common will. In this globalized economy, they recognize that a flood engulfing one would soon swamp them all. So even though twenty-some leaders all represented sovereign states, they agreed to common and synchronized actions to chart the same course toward calmer waters.

McVety: This is how he was won over to Keynesian economics. And he watched these 20 leaders and he, and he continued on in his speech and he talked about how they worked so wonderfully together and, and, to establish this global economy. And then he went on to talk about the parting of the veil that gave him a glimpse into a hopeful future.

clip of Harper: But, ladies and gentlemen, in that brief parting of the veil, I saw world leadership at its best. A glimpse of a hopeful future.

McVety: Can you believe that our Prime Minister would use such mystical words and then he declared that this is the world that we've been trying to build since 1945. A world that our grandchildren and children will enjoy.

Harper: One where we act together for the good of all. The world we have been trying to build since 1945. The world we want for our children and grandchildren. It shows it can be done if we act together.

McVety: He wrote his Masters degree based on conservative economic theory, but now he has had his epiphany. He has had his change and he has had a change of ways. And he came back from that November the 15<sup>th</sup> meeting and what did he do? He implemented a new policy, a new budget where he started spending money like a drunken sailor. Unbelievable. Splashing hundreds of billions of dollars around, leaving Canada with a record deficit and a massive debt, which we, which, I don't know if our people can ever repay. But you know what? They'll have to repay it by raising the taxes on the people, reducing the services of the government and paying this horrible debt that our Prime Minister has put us into. Now, he even goes further and he says that if you don't accept this then we might end up in a worse crisis.

Harper: In fact, if inadequate regulation is not addressed, I believe the consequences could actually be worse than before the crisis.

McVety: And he exercises his authority as the chairman and he forces people to adopt to [sic] his view of what he calls enlightened sovereignty. In fact, he even goes on to quote Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State during World War Two. This is the man who created the United Nations. He wrote its constitution. Cordell Hull was quoted by our Prime Minister.

Harper: Some words of former US Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, seem apt. I like this quote because it's so similar to what my father told me for many, many years: "To be sure, no piece of social machinery, however well constructed, can be effective unless there is back of it a will and a determination to make it work."

McVety: "Social machinery"?! Our Prime Minister is for this social machinery? Now all he has to do is sell it to us so we will subject ourselves to this one-world government? This is incredible that our Prime Minister would go down this path. In fact, our Prime Minister even went on to talk about Keynesism in the same light as communism. And he said Keynesism is a bit like communism, neither has been properly attempted.

Harper: In passing, as an economist, I must observe that this particular recommendation of John Maynard Keynes is seldom acted upon as vigorously as his permission to borrow. I

would say that in this regard, Keynesism is a bit like communism. According to those who advocate it, neither has been properly attempted.

McVety: Now our Prime Minister is going to [makes air quotes] “properly” attempt to implement this totalitarian, one-world, Keynesian economic system! And he even ends his statement by saying that we are going to chart new beginnings for humanity worldwide. My fear is that it’s not for humanity, but it will result in the destruction of our freedom, destruction of our free market that has given us the success that we have had today. And, just like the failures of the implementation of communism, I believe the failures of the implementation of Keynesism will be much more catastrophic. Make sure that you take action today. Go to our website word.ca. Get the truth. Get the full speech. You can watch it, you can read it, you can listen to it and you can get it straight from our Prime Minister. You’re going to hear a lot about it over the next six months, leading up to this, this G20 meeting. And this will change the face of our world. But you and I, if we act together, we can see freedom continue, but we must act. We’ll be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. Make sure you call us, 416-391-5000. At this late time on Sunday night, we have operators waiting to talk to you, to take your orders, to pray with you and to sign you up so you can get the information and make a difference. Because if you don’t and if I don’t, who will? And if not now, then when? We must act together. We want to thank you for watching *Word TV* and look forward to having you back on this program next week and may God bless you until then.

#### February 14, 2010

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu speaks from Auschwitz, Poland. And also in the news this week, Canadian Prime Minister announces his global governance plan. And also he makes demands for Iran to stop its enrichment of uranium. Later in the program, we’re going to have a song from Andrea Bocelli and Liel, that great Israeli star, “Ray of Hope”, a song written by the president of Israel, Shimon Peres. You don’t want to miss this program. We’re going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, Canadian Prime Minister announces his global governance plan. While he was speaking at the economic forum in Davos, Switzerland, he put forward his plan for the up-and-coming G20 meeting here in Toronto on June 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>. At this Davos, Switzerland meeting, many were shocked to hear this Conservative leader declare that we also know that markets need governance. Yes, global governance. He went on to talk about Keynesian economics and how we are establishing this one-world economic system that they’ve been tried [*sic*] to build since 1945. I mean, I was absolutely shocked to hear this because Stephen Harper wrote his Masters thesis against deficit spending. Now, all of a sudden, back a year and a half ago, he came forward with this massive budget with massive deficit spending putting Canada in debt for, for as long as we can foresee. And why’s he doing it? Because of Keynesian

economics that demands that we spend massive amounts of money to offset a global recession. The unfortunate side of this is the establishment of a one-world global economic system. Keynes taught that we need a one-world global system that would be governed and ruled and regulated [black & white photo of Keynes]. And he went forward, he was a, he was an, an economist, a British economist that led the world to establish in 1944 the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank. He also wanted to put forward, he also did put forward a one-world currency called the bancor, but that did not pass. Now our Prime Minister is speaking as an avowed Keynesian and he now the, the co-chairman of the, the upcoming summit here in Toronto and he has said that this is going to be the agenda: to further this cause of Keynesian economics, this one-world global economy that will be governed by a body that is set up by the G20 called the Financial Stability Board that is there f-, to, to govern all of our systemically-important financial institutions [image from FSB website with portions highlighted]. Back a few months ago, you heard that, you heard from us that somehow the, our Canadian government was spending millions and millions of dollars on this marquee tourism fund [image from Government of Canada website with press release entitled "Government of Canada Announces Funding to Support Marquee Tourism Events"].

They put aside 20 million dollars for this and they started rolling out the cheques. Four hundred thousand dollars to the Toronto sex parade and you signed a petition and many people signed petitions and thankfully that has stopped. This find is part of this grand stimulus package, called Keynesian economics. It's part of this plan to establish a one-world global economy and now it's happening here on our watch, in our city, in this great city of Toronto. I want to challenge you to go to the website word.ca. Sign that petition to make sure that this thing doesn't continue and make sure that it doesn't come back. We don't want our government taxing our families to death and then pouring money out to frivolous causes such as sex parades in our cities [photo Toronto Mayor David Miller with what appears to be two drag queens in a parade; identified as from Macleans.ca]. So sign that petition, word.ca. Send me an email. Call us at 416-391-5000. I'd love to send you a free copy of our magazine. We'd love to talk to you and take your orders for this new film *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack* [image of film poster]. You need to get this film so then you can understand where all this is coming from. And where all this is going.

Also, our Prime Minister continued to speak at this, at this event and he gave his testimony. How he was won over to this type of, of economic theory. And, and, and he went on to, to talk about how there was a brief parting of the veil and he got a glimpse of a hopeful future that, that, where we can act all together for the good of all and chart a new course for the good of mankind. Something that we've been trying to build since 1945. Listen to his words.

video clip of Stephen Harper's speech at World Economic Forum: But, ladies and gentlemen, in that brief parting of the veil, I saw world leadership at its best. A glimpse of a hopeful future. One where we act together for the good of all. The world we have been trying to build since 1945. The world we want for our children and grandchildren. It shows it can be done if we act together.

McVety: It's unbelievable that he can come out with this. What is he talking about? Trying to build something since 1945? What's he talking about, this, this new glimmer of hope where all of us walk in lockstep? This is nonsense. We've heard it before. They've tried to implement this through communism, through socialism and now through Keynesianism. And we don't want it. We need sovereignty. We need our government to make decisions that are best for Canada. Not our government to turn over our sovereignty to a world body that is going to make this best decision that is good for them, not for the

country of Canada. This is an outrage. I need you to stand with me. Go to the website. Get involved. Sign your, this petition.

Also in the news this week, Prime Minister Stephen Harper did something great. He finally heard our call and the calls of many Canadians to get involved and lead the world, demanding that Iran stop enriching a-, ur-, uranium to build a nuclear weapon [image from CBC News website of article entitled "Harper demands Iran halt uranium enrichment" with portions highlighted]. He said it is time for Iran to end its defiance of the international community, suspend its enrichment activity and take immediate steps toward transparency and compliance by halting the construction of new enrichment sites and fully cooperating with the International Atomic Energy Agency. That is, those are tremendous words. We do hope that the Prime Minister backs this up with serious sanctions. And we are asking him to add this to the agenda of the G20 that is upcoming. They've got all kinds of other one-world government agendas. Surely they can do something. He led the world in condemning Hamas. He led the world in condemning the Hezbollah actions against Israel during the war in 2006. He led the world in Durban Two, the horrible, racist UN conference that was horribly anti-Semitic. Six months before the program, he, he announced his boycott and the world ended up boycotting it with him, but many of them not until they heard the rants of Ahmadinejad. I want you to go to our website word.ca. There you can sign the Stop Iran petition. Or you can go directly to StopIran.ca and you can get involved and make a difference because Iran is very close to having a nuclear weapon and God help us if they get it. We want you to watch this, this short clip of *Besieged* and we'll be right back with you.

- cityscape promo for *Besieged*

- promo for magazine

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. You need to get a copy of this videotape *Besieged: Democracy under Attack* because this is going to give you the truth. How the G20 is seizing control of democracy. How our judges are taking over law-making in this country and they are destroying the moral fabric of our nation. You have to get this film! Call us, 416-391-5000. Call that 800 number at the bottom of the screen or send me an email charles@word.ca. Or go to word.ca and you can buy it online and we'll get it right out to you.

Also in the news this week, the Stop Iran, Iran campaign has begun. In, back in the 1930s, our fathers had the opportunity to take action and stop the Nazi regime from gaining strength and waging World War Two where nearly 50 million people died and they executed industrially over six million Jews [black & white photo of large pile of bodies]. Today another madman is on the international front. Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad is planning to do in eight minutes what Hitler did over eight years [photo of Ahmadinejad]. Iran is on the verge of developing a nuclear bomb and its president has avowed to wipe Israel off the map. Never again should this be allowed to happen. We in Canada have a unique opportunity to go and say "never again". You know what? Our fathers regretted not opposing evil when it was at its infancy stage. It grew up to be a massive, ugly monster. Winston Churchill called World War Two the unnecessary war because it should've been snuffed out at its infancy, but it grew to kill so many tens of millions of people. We in Canada have an opportunity to take a stand and say no to this Iranian madman. We have an opportunity to impact our government, impact our prime minister. This year, the year of the G20 in Canada where he could add this to the agenda of the G20 and the world could act in unison to stop this madman by putting forward strong, strong economic sanctions, stopping gasoline from going to their country. Iran has tons of oil, but they can't refine it. They don't have enough refinery

capacity, so if there was a stoppage of gasoline, this would create a revolution and this madman would be out of power. There're many other sanctions that could make a difference, but we need to get on board. I want you to sign this petition. Go to [StopIran.ca](http://StopIran.ca). Sign it, get involved. Call us tonight at 416-391-5000. I want you to listen to the words of Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu as he spoke at the 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz in Poland.

video clip of Netanyahu from YouTube: [subtitled] The voices of millions of my people gassed, burned and killed and slain in every way in a thousand different ways. In the final moment of their lives, many whispered the timeless words of our ancient people: Listen Israel, "Hear O Israel, the Lord is our God, the Lord is One." Perhaps a few of them used their final breath to chant another old prayer: "Remember what Amalek did to you. Never forget!" To those who were murdered here, and to those who survived the destruction, I come from Jerusalem today with this promise: We will never forget! We will never permit those who desecrated this monument to death to distort or wipe away your memory. We will always remember ... what Amalek's Nazi heirs did to us. We will be prepared to defend ourselves when a new Amalek appears on the stage of history. We will be vigilant. We will not delude ourselves into believing that the threats, vilifications and Holocaust denials are merely empty words. We must always be vigilant. The important lesson is that evil must be stopped early, when it is still in its infancy stage. That is the lesson we have learned. The enlightened nations of the world must learn this lesson. After we lost a third of our people in Europe, we know that the defense can only be possible with a strong Israel and with a strong army. We have learned that we must always be alert and always be ready to defend ourselves. As the head of the Jewish state, I pledge to you today: We will never again permit evil in the life of our people and our country again.

McVety: The Prime Minister spoke the words of scripture that say remember what Amalek did to you and never forget. We need to never forget what the Nazi Amalek did to the world and to the Jewish people. And we need to not forget what this Iranian Amalek is doing. What is, who is Amalek? Well, he was the grandson of Esau and he chased the Jews while they were escaping the Egyptians. And he waged war against the Jews and he did a tremendous amount of damage to them as recorded in Deuteronomy chapter 25, verses 17 and 18. But then he continued to plague the Israeli people and fight against them over and over and over. And in verse 19, God tells us to remember Amalek and what he has done and that you should never forget it. We need to not forget the murderers of the Nazis. We can't forget the, the, the, the, the plan of Ahmadinejad. We must never forget and permit this to happen on our watch again. Many Christians during World War Two, they did forget Amalek. And they forgot about this evil. They did not oppose it. I want you to oppose it. Go to [StopIran.ca](http://StopIran.ca). Sign that petition. Get your friends to sign it. Get involved to stop this madman because your voice has a real impact. We're going to listen to a fabulous song written by the president of Israel where he put forward this song called "Ray of Hope". This will be sung by Andrea Bocelli and Liel. Liel is a tremendous Israeli singer. She sang here at the College last year at the 61<sup>st</sup> anniversary celebration of Israel. And listen to this beautiful song, this "Ray of Hope".

- video clip from YouTube of Andrea Bocelli and Liel singing song for Israeli president

McVety: Isn't that an incredible song? The hope that we have when we pray. We need to pray for the peace of Jerusalem as commanded by scripture. And we need to pray that this madman Ahmadinejad does not get a nuclear weapon. You have an opportunity to do something about it. Go to this website. Pledge, sign this pledge, this petition to stop Iran.



And ask our Prime Minister to make this part of the agenda of the G20. Ask him to lead the country, uh, lead the world as he has done on three occasions in supporting Israel. He can now do it a fourth. This, I believe, could be his greatest achievement. And he can't do it without your support. I want to ask you to go to w-, to StopIran.ca. Call us tonight at 416-391-5000. We have operators to take your orders on the film *Besieged* and also they can fill out that petition form for you. Your voice makes a difference. Never again can we forget. Never again can we stand idly by and watch a madman who promises to exact another holocaust. Never again can we allow this to happen. You and I need to take action. And if we take action, I know it can make a difference. The god who never slumbers nor sleeps will defend Israel, but we need to pray. We need to act. We need to sign this petition! We need to get involved. I want to thank you for watching *Word TV* this week and I pray that you get involved. And I pray that this holocaust promise by Ahmadinejad is never permitted to happen and that he never gets a nuclear weapon. Thank you for watching *Word TV* and may God bless you until we see you again.

## February 21, 2010

McVety: Welcome to *Word TV*. This week in the news, Iran has announced that it is now a nuclear nation. Also, our Prime Minister, Stephen Harper, is attempting to sell global governance by cloaking it in women's health issues. And Michael Ignatieff, the Liberal leader has responded by demanding funding for abortion around the world. You don't want to miss this show. We'll be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. This week in the news, our Prime Minister, Stephen Harper, is attempting to sell his global governance by cloaking it in women's health issues. Michael Ignatieff is responding by demanding funding for abortion. But first in the news, Iran has now declared that it is a nuclear nation. [image of article from Yahoo! News website entitled "'Nuclear' Iran marks Islamic revolution" with portions highlighted] On the 31<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the Islamic revolution, their president, Ahmadinejad declared that Iran is now a nuclear nation. [image from 9News website of article entitled "Iran has become nuclear: Ahmadinejad" with portions highlighted] He said, and I quote, he said "with the persistence of our leaders, our nation and with the help of Allah, the Iranian nation has now become nuclear." This is a scary thought. Now, what is he talking about when he is talking about becoming nuclear? Well, you know, the head of their atomic energy organization has said, he announced that Iran has now enriched uranium to the 20 per cent level. What does this mean? Well, it means that they are now en route to building a nuclear bomb. Experts say that you need a 93 per cent level of enrichment in order to produce a nuclear weapon, but the experts are saying that now that they've been able to go all the way to 20 per cent, there is nothing stopping them from going all the way to 93 per cent and creating that nuclear bomb. This is an outrage. Why? Because our leaders have done virtually nothing. They have heard this Ahmadinejad pronounce that he is going to wipe Israel off the map. He is planning to do in eight minutes what Hitler did in eight years. [photo of Ahmadinejad] We have heard the, the rants, the denial of the Holocaust, the horrible anti-Semitic rants. We've heard the threats come out of this man. What has our leadership done? It has sat back and tried to appease Ahmadinejad and say "Oh, you're a nice man. You're a good man. We'll sit down and have dinner with you and we'll talk with you," but, and you know what? "We'll even sing 'Kumbaya' and have group hug." Well, it hasn't worked. And what we have ended up with is now Iran declaring it's a nuclear nation. They've built these nuclear reactors. They are now enriching uranium. They've gone all the way up to 20 per cent and now there's nothing to stop them from going all the way to 93 per cent. Once they get a nuclear

bomb, then they can exact their terrorism. Not just on Israel. But they can do it, they, they've already proven that they can launch missiles that go all the way to Europe. They can then o-, offset that balance of power that's against them right now. And then they can use their proxy armies, like Hezbollah, to continue to fight conventional warfare with a backup of nuclear warfare behind it. This cannot happen. This should not happen. Just a generation ago, our fathers and grandfathers made the mistake of allowing another tyrant to rise in power and in strength. And they thought that he was a good man. They thought that they could sit down with him and, and create a peace treaty. And in 1938, the Prime Minister of England went to Nazi Germany. [black & white photo of Neville Chamberlain shaking hands with Hitler surrounded by three other men] And he sat down with Adolf Hitler and he gave him a few countries, like Poland and Czechoslovakia, and, and he said now we have achieved peace. Well, we know that it was not peace. We know that this madman was gaining strength. Winston Churchill called World War Two the unnecessary war. Why was it unnecessary? Because if this madman was, was, was, was fought against at an early stage, if our fathers and grandfathers had the intestinal fortitude to come against him at the very beginning, then the 50 or 60 million people of World War Two would still be alive today. But unfortunately they didn't. And Hitler grew in strength. He grew in power. [black & white photo of Hitler saluting] And he said he would wipe out the Jews and guess what? He wiped out about half of the Jewish people on Earth. He created industrialization of death. And he marched six million Jewish people to their death. [black & white photo of pile of emaciated bodies] This horrible Holocaust was allowed to happen on our fathers' watch. Now our fathers valiantly stood up and defeated Hitler and they liberated Auschwitz and, and the other death camps. [black & white photo of emaciated men packed into berths] And, and they, they freed those people that were marked for death. But it was too little and too late for those 50 or 60 million people that died. Here we are just one generation later and what are we doing? We have another madman, Ahmadinejad. We have another mad regime that is, that is already exacting terrorism around the world. We know the history, that Jimmy Carter in the '70s, he said that the Ayatollah Khomeini was a peaceable man, a, a cleric. [photo of Ayatollah Khomeini] He was a wonderful man and he forced the shah to allow him to come back into Iran. He forced the shah to allow him to come back into the country and hold massive demonstrations. He then, the Ayatollah then exacted a revolution and that revolution was celebrated this past week with the declaration that they are now a nuclear power. This should not be happening on our watch! Our forefa-, our fathers, they declared that never would this happen again. But it is happening! But you and I can do something about it. I want to ask you to go to the website [StopIran.ca](http://StopIran.ca). I want you to sign that petition. Why? Because your signature is important. Your support of the prime minister to do something about this is important. Why? Because he's not going to get the support from CBC or CTV or any of the other, other media outlets. He needs to hear from you to get him to do the right thing. To stand up against the wiles of the devil. To stand up against these evil principalities and powers. And to lead the G20 to create serious sanctions to stop this madman from going to 93 per cent enrichment and then building a nuclear bomb. [photo of Stephen Harper] Yes, our Prime Minister can do this. He's already proven that he can lead the world. He did so by condemning Hamas when it was elected in 2006 in Pales-, in the Palestinian territories. He's the first world leader to condemn Hamas. He then went on at the Francophonie summit to lead that francophonie world to condemn Hezbollah as they launched a war on Israel in 2006. And then, just this past year, he had the foresight to lead the world to boycott Durban Two. And you remember those images of world leaders marching out of the United Nations racism conference while Ahmadinejad spoke. [photos of people filing out of conference room] Well, you know what? Our Prime Minister had the forethought to lead that boycott six months before that. And it wasn't until the actual occurrence of the evil that other leaders followed suit. Well, you know what? If he did it three times, he can do it four times. And he is now the chairman of the G20, which is going to be held here in Toronto on June the 25<sup>th</sup>, -6<sup>th</sup> and -7<sup>th</sup>. And he can lead the G20 to impose serious sanctions to stop this Ahmadine-whackjob! This evil from gaining further strength! I

want you to go on that website and sign that petition. And say together we stand to oppose this evil. And never again will we allow it to be raised up to the point where it will do in eight minutes what Hitler did in eight years. Your voice makes a difference. Go to that website. StopIran.ca. Sign that petition. That will end up going to the prime minister and we hope and pray that the prime minister will put this on the agenda. And that this crazy Ahmadinejad will be stopped in his tracks. We're going to be right back after this short clip of, a new clip of *Besieged*, this new great movie that talks about global governance. You need to get a copy of it, so I want you to call our counsellors at this time. Yes, Sunday night they're waiting for your call, 416-391-5000. Or call that number at the bottom of the screen, but watch this new clip and you will be impressed. Make sure you get the truth. Make sure you get the information.

promo for *Besieged*:

McVety: Our democratic freedoms are under attack. The freedom of religion, the freedom to practise your faith as you see fit. In fact, this is the first freedom of our *Charter of Rights and Freedoms* [image of *Charter*]. In fact, our entire *Charter* is based on this [image of Department of Justice website with *Charter* on screen with portions highlighted]. It starts, our *Charter* starts out by saying "Whereas Canada is founded upon the principles that recognize the supremacy of God and the rule of law." Our *Charter of Rights and Freedoms* guarantees this freedom of conscience, freedom of religion. But unfortunately those freedoms have been eroded. We now have hate crime legislation. Section 319 of the *Criminal Code of Canada* where if you say something that offends someone, then you can be prosecuted and even put in prison for up to two years [image of Department of Justice website with *Criminal Code* on screen & portions highlighted]. Back a few years ago, I testified in the Senate of Canada saying please do not redefine our hate crime laws and add sexual orientation to them [video footage of McVety testifying, but caption reads "Bill C-10, Income Tax Act"]. But they cited many judicial proceedings that say that this must be the case [image of CBC News website article entitled "What is a hate crime?" with portions highlighted]. So they wrote sexual orientation into our *Criminal Code of Canada*. And now that has criminalized many parts of scripture that speak against certain sexual practices. Our freedom of religion is being eroded. Our freedom of thought, freedom of conscience, freedom to act as we see fit is being eroded. And now we are being persecuted because our freedom of speech is being eroded. We have the case of Reverend Stephen Boissin who s-, who wrote a letter to the editor against same-sex marriage [photo of Boissin]. He was then persecuted by this tribunal, a human rights tribunal. These tribunals are going all across this country. It's really a re-birth of McCarthyism. McCarthyism was a, a, a similar witch-hunt back in the fifties where Senator Joseph McCarthy in the United States went around the country holding hearings, witch-hunts to find out who had communist thought, communist tendencies [photo of McCarthy]. Our freedoms have been taken away. Our judges have criminalized prayer in the school. They've criminalized the Bible, so a teacher cannot teach or even use the greatest document ever written [image of BusinessWeek website with line highlighted reading "The Bible (2.5 billion copies)"]. The greatest book ever published. The most read, the most studied, the most translated, the most distributed. And under the guise of higher education, our judges have, have said no, you cannot use this document in our educational system [image of page of Bible]. This is an erosion of freedom of religion. It's ero-, an erosion of freedom of thought, of freedom of speech. It continues where we have the erosion of freedom of expression. The case of Scott Brockie, a Christian man who has a printing business [photo of Brockie]. The homosexual and lesbian organization came to him and asked him to print their material [image of CLGA website]. He said no, this is offensive to me. Please go to another printer. They then went to the Human Rights Commission and they fined Scott Brockie [image of LifeSiteNews website with article entitled "Scott Brockie Loses Decision at Court of Appeals, On the Hook for \$40,000, Needs Financial Support"]. He had to pay over a hundred and fifty thousand dollars in legal fees to

defend himself. Our freedom of the press is under attack, where Mark Steyn of *Maclean's* magazine wrote the truth about the threat of radical jihadist Islam [image of part of cover of *Maclean's*, followed by photo of Steyn]. And the result was that the human rights commissions came against him. The human rights commissions also came against Ezra Levant, the publisher of the *Western Standard* when he published those cartoons, those Muslim cartoons that offended many [photo of Levant at conference table, followed by photo of Levant beside cover of *Western Standard* magazine]. In fact, Section 13 of the *Canada Human Rights Act* says that you can be prosecuted and persecuted if your words are likely to cause contempt for another [image of *Human Rights Act* on Canadian Human Rights Commission website with portions highlighted]. I mean, what kind of wrongful prosecution is that? That is a violation of habeas corpus! That is a violation of everything that we stand for in freedom, in democracy. But with every hit of the gavel, our freedoms are being eroded. If we don't do something about it, we will have less and less freedom year by year. And our children will end up losing the great freedoms that you and I enjoyed in our youth.

McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV*. You need to get a copy of this film. I can't emphasize it enough. Because these things are happening before our eyes. You need the truth. You're not going to get it anywhere else, so call us 416-391-5000. Call that 1-800 number at the bottom of your screen. The government does not want you to have this information. I don't know how long they'll even allow us to distribute it. But you need to have it, the truth. First source information about the death and destruction and the attack on democracy that we are experiencing. *Besieged: Democracy Under Attack*, call 416-391-5000 and get that new film.

Also in the news this week, our Prime Minister continues to sell his global governance plan. He announced it at the World Economic Conference in Davos, Switzerland [video of Harper giving speech]. And the last couple of weeks we've played a few clips of it on here. His announcement, it's not really his plan, it's the plan of the G20. And he is now the chairman for this period of time of the G20. Yes, technically it's called the co-chair because this year it is shared between our Prime Minister of Canada and the head of the South Korean government because in November there will be another G20 meeting in South Korea. But Stephen Harper is very wise. He's very smart. And the G20 leaders are very smart. And what they have decided to do is to sell their global governance plan by cloaking it in issues of women's health and infant mortality rates. Now, these issues are very, very important in and of themselves. Why? Because women around the world are suffering while pregnant and even dying. They need healthcare. They need basic medicine, basic clean water. They need our help. So who would be against that? So what they've done is they've said that if we can cloak this global governance issue and say that we'll have unity of purpose of supporting these women, then everybody'll be on board. It will feel good. It will feel right. And, yes, this is a noble cause, to care for women, to care for pregnant women. To care for the babies because infant mortality rate is massive. And our Prime Minister gives some, gives some statistics in his speech. But unfortunately they're doing this for devious means and that is to set up a global one-world economic system. And yes, we can support the, the issue of maternal health issues. But we should not support global government. Why? Because global government is totalitarian! It's un-, undemocratic. It is not for the people. You don't vote for these leaders that end up, end up implementing laws, rules and regulations upon us, the people, that we have not elected or chosen or voted on or even had a part in the discussion. This is an outrage. And we should oppose it. [video of Harper giving speech] But at the same time, we should support the Prime Minister's initiative to fight the women's maternal health issue and also this issue of, of, of infant mortality rates. Or infant mortality death rates. Unfortunately our Prime Minister is committed to this new plan. And let me hear, I don't want you to take it from me. I want you to hear it from his voice as

he talks about this brief parting of the veil where he saw leadership at its best. And where he got hope for the future, that this world that we've been trying to build since 1945 will now come into being. Listen to our Prime Minister say these words.

clip of Stephen Harper's speech at World Economic Forum: But ladies and gentlemen, in that brief parting of the veil, I saw world leadership at its best. A glimpse of a hopeful future. One where we act together for the good of all, the world we have been trying to build since 1945. The world we want for our children and grandchildren. It shows it can be done if we act together.

McVety: What world have we been trying to build since 1945? I mean, this, of course, is the, and I talked to you about this last week. The Keynesian economic position where we have a one-world economic system. E-, even a one-world currency where our governments spend money like it's going out of style. And guess what? One day inflation comes. One day then we are robbed of all our wealth and assets and our freedom. Why? Because this is the plan! I've given you the statements in our past shows. You can go to word.ca and you can read them yourself right from the author of this system, of John Maynard Keynes. [photo of Keynes] He devised a one-world system and started to implement it back in the '30s and then at Bretton Woods in 1944 when the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund were formed. And now it is being implemented by our Prime Minister and by the G20. One of the other founders of this system was Cordell Hull [black & white photo of Hull giving speech]. He established the United Nations. He wrote its constitution and guess what? Our Prime Minister quoted Cordell Hull. Let's listen to him.

Harper: Some words of former US Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, seem apt. As you know, Hull was the driving force of the creation of post-war international institutions that are still with us today. The UN for its, uh, for example, and the World Bank. Accepting the Nobel Peace Prize in 1945 for his work, Hull had this to say about international institutions. I like this quote because it's so similar to what my father told me for many, many years. "To be sure, no piece of social machinery, however well constructed, can be effective unless there is back of it a will and a determination to make it work."

McVety: And he, he then goes on in his speech and he says that, that the G20 is going to find unity in purpose. And, and they are going to use maternal health issues to create that unity. Listen to what he says.

Harper: It concerns the link between poverty and the appalling mortality among mothers and small children in the third world. Did you know that every year over half a million women die in pregnancy and nearly nine million children die before their fifth birthday?

McVety: That over half a million women die in pregnancy each year and nearly nine million children de-, die before their fifth birthday. That we need to all rally around this one-world global system in order to combat that, those issues. Well I agree that we need to join hands around the world. We need to take the billions of dollars that they waste on frivolous things and use it to fight hunger. Use it to care for the dying. Use that money to give clean water to women and children. We need to find this unity and purpose to care for the women and children, but not for the purpose of a global government system! A totalitarian system

that controls all of our financial institutions! This is an outrage. Well, you know, our leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition, Michael Ignatieff, the leader of the Liberal Party, he responded by injecting a highly toxic political issue into this maternal health issue [photo of Ignatieff]. He brought forward abortion. And he said that if we are going to help women, then we have to give them abortion. How is that helping women? If we're going to help children, you have to abort them? Well, ask the aborted if that is help. What nonsense is this? One headline in the *Ottawa Citizen* said shame on Michael Ignatieff for playing politics by pushing abortion when the world is trying to care for women who are dying in pregnancy. He then goes on to put forward this nonsensical position that women are dying in botched abortions, therefore we need to give them money to perform abortions. This is nonsensical. This is an outrage. He then goes on to say that we have pro-choice consensus in this country and we've had it for a couple of generations [photo of Ignatieff wearing red feather boa]. I'm sorry, but I am not in agreement. Many millions of Canadians are not in agreement because our country, Canada, is the only country in the western world that has no law against abortion. You can kill a baby right up until a, they, uh, the baby comes out of the mother's womb and the umbilical cord is cut. This is barbaric. This is outrageous. Michael Ignatieff says that if we're going to fund maternal health issues, then we must give the full gamut of health services. And that includes the termination of pregnancies. This is an outrageous position to be taking. I want you to take a stand. I want you to go to our website word.ca. And sign those petitions to stop funding sex parades. This fund comes from this global G20 decision to create a stimulus package to fund things like tour-, tourism. And that's why they're funding sex parades in our country. We need to sign the petition against funding sex parades. We need to sign that petition to stop Iran from going fully nuclear. They've already announced that they're a nuclear power and they're on that fast-track. But your voice can make a difference. Go to the websites and make sure that you sign. Don't say oh, I'll do it tomorrow because tomorrow may, you may forget. Do it now. Even at this late time on Sunday night. Or call our line, 416-391-5000. We're going to be right back after this short break.

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McVety: Welcome back to *Word TV* where you can have a voice. And you can make a difference. Go to the website word.ca. Sign that Stop Iran pledge. Sign that pledge to stop funding these sex parades in our city and get involved. Call us, 416-391-5000. We're up waiting for your call and make sure you get that video *Besieged* because it has information on there that the government does not want you to have. Make sure you get it while you can. Call us, 416-391-5000. Thank you for watching *Word TV* and we'll look forward to seeing you next week. And may God bless you until we see you again.

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## APPENDIX B

### CBSC Decision 08/09-2142 & 09/10-0383+ CITS-TV re *Word.ca* and *Word TV*

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#### The Complaints

##### CBSC File 08/09-2142

The CBSC received the following letter dated August 14, 2009:

To Whom It May Concern:

Detailed here are concerns with two broadcasters. The first & more serious complaint regards a television broadcast of *Word.ca* on CTS aired on July 19, 2009 at 11:00 pm. During the show, the hosts discussed a gay man relieved of his volunteer duties at a Catholic church. It was made clear he was not right to lodge a formal complaint about his situation. General comments were made about the alleged sin of homosexuality & viewers were urged to sign a petition against this man's claim. This would have the effect of exposing this individual to undue public scorn & may be a violation of his civil rights.

[The second part of the complainant's letter was about an entirely different program on a different channel and raised different concerns.]

Thank you for your consideration.

##### CBSC File 09/10-0383

The same complainant then filed another complaint about CTS's broadcast of *Word.ca/Word TV* on November 5:

To Whom It May Concern:

I am complaining re two editions of *Word.ca* on CITS-TV that aired at 11:00 pm on Sunday, Oct. 25 & Nov. 1 respectively.

In the Oct. 25 edition, the World Pride event in 2014 in Toronto was discussed. It was repeatedly referred to as World Sex Day or Parade, was dismissed as an endorsement of "perversion" & derided as an event that would sexually exploit any minor children in attendance. The audience was informed of an internet petition to halt the event, of which viewers were reminded in the Nov. 1 show, along with other tacky remarks.

I cannot believe in this day & age that public airwaves are still being permitted as a hate speech vehicle for those who still see the gay community as a sex-crazed social scourge. Thank you for your consideration.

CBSC File 09/10-0522

On December 4, the complainant filed another complaint about additional episodes of the program and made references to some of his other complaints:

To Whom It May Concern:

May it be known that I am dissatisfied with all of the responses to all of my pending complaints.

[The first two paragraphs of his letter referred to his other complaints about other programs and stations.]

I find the fulsomeness of the networks' responses to be tonally patronizing & condescendingly invalidating, filled as they are with mind-fogging folderol such as "we at this network", "in good CBSC standing", "your valued opinion" (which is often not addressed until at least a page along) & quotations of broadcast policy. I'd rather have my opinion responded to, timely & succinctly.

This, however, is still preferable to how I have been dealt with by CITS-TV. Only one of three complaints about *Word.ca* has been responded to, and another four are now pending.

In broadcasts of *Word.ca* on CITS-TV (November 8, 15, 22, 29, 11 pm), offensive comments have been made about gays & Muslims (whose moderates are too liberal & whose fundamentalists are xenophobic) & in the course of discussion about euthanasia, people suffering from mental duress [*sic* – distress] have repeatedly been equated with the perception of mental incompetence. In addition, its host violated copyright by showing an uncleared internet clip of the show *Curb Your Enthusiasm* to decry HBO Canada.

[He then mentioned a different issue on a different broadcaster.]

Thank you for your consideration.

The complainant wrote again on January 7, 2010 to add new broadcast dates to this file:

To Whom It May Concern:

I wish to complain about broadcasts of *Word.ca* on CITS-TV from Dec. 13, 2009 & Jan. 3, 2010 for similar reasons as in past complaints re the gay community. In particular, I wish to note that in the Jan 3 edition Dr. McVety claims that Canadian Prime Minister Stephen Harper has claimed he would revoke gay marriage rights.

Thank you for your consideration.

CBSC File 09/10-0815

He wrote again on February 1, 2010 with additional dates and concerns about the program:

To Whom It May Concern:



I am writing re concerns about *Word TV* broadcasts on CITS-TV from January 17 & 24, 2010.

The show's host has again campaigned against the Pride parade referring again to it as "the Sex Parade" & in the January 17<sup>th</sup> broadcast he referred to the gay community's alleged need to sexually prey on children through active recruitment practices. He has praised the govt & his viewers for actions against the gay community & has lowered the level of debate about Haiti's need for aid with his poor handling of the CNN [*sic*, likely CBN]-Pat Robertson issue.

I request this complaint be held for adjudication as I cannot imagine there is anything CITS could say to satisfy me & I believe they are dealing with me in bad faith.

Thank you for your consideration.

## **Broadcaster Responses**

The broadcaster responded to each of the complaints.

### File 08/09-2142

CITS-TV responded to the first complaint on September 4, 2009:

I have received your complaint concerning *Word.ca* broadcast on CTS TV, July 19, 2009 at 11 pm, (CBSC File#C08/09-2142). I have carefully reviewed the entire broadcast and offer the following comments.

As you state in your letter, you are concerned that the individual that has complained to the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal would be subject to "undue public scorn and may be a violation of his civil rights" because you believe you heard the host ask viewers to "sign a petition against him". I have reviewed the program carefully and need to clarify that the host doesn't ask viewers to sign a petition against this man's Ontario Human Rights complaint. The host is asking for viewers to sign an ongoing petition against public funding for Gay Pride Parades.

It is important to note that this program aired on July 19<sup>th</sup>, days after this story was covered by Canada's National Newspapers. The host of *Word.ca* comments on this news item from a Christian perspective and his belief that homosexuals should not be serving Communion in the church. The host expresses his belief that, through the Bible, the practice of serving Holy Communion cannot be conducted by a practising homosexual. He also expresses his belief that the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal does not have the authority to intervene in the religious practices of the Roman Catholic Church. None of this discussion was aimed directly at the person complaining to the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal and I do not believe this exposes him to undue public scorn or is a violation of his civil rights.

### File 09/10-0383

CITS-TV responded to this complaint on November 30:

I have received your complaint concerning *Word TV* broadcasts on CTS TV Oct. 25/09 & Nov. 1/09, CBSC File #09/10-0383. I have carefully reviewed both programs in question and offer the following comments.

In your complaint you are concerned "that public airwaves are still being permitted as a hate speech vehicle ..." After careful review, I find no point in this program where this program disseminated hate towards gay people. Dr. McVety is encouraging his viewers and like-minded Christians to petition the Toronto City Council, both the Provincial and Federal Government to not publicly fund a parade that may include images of what Christians believe to be immoral. He makes the statement that there has been public nudity at past Gay Pride parades in Toronto and this is sexuality on display and should not be publicly funded since public nudity is against the law.

While you may not agree with Dr. McVety's point of view, he does have the right to share his view on the issue of public funding of this parade in Toronto in 2014. In my opinion, Dr. McVety's opposition to public funding of a parade that may contain public nudity is not hate speech. CTS TV also broadcasts "balanced" programs such as the Michael Coren show which also deal with this type of issue and contain other points of view on this matter.

#### File 09/10-0522

The station responded to this complaint on December 23, 2009:

I have received your complaint concerning the broadcast of *Word.ca* on CTS TV and offer the following comments.

*Word.ca* is an independently produced program dealing with current affairs and provides commentary by the host on current affairs from his faith perspective. The issues you raise in your complaint, while not specific, do concern me. I have watched all of these programs carefully with an eye for any violations of Canadian law, CRTC broadcasting regulations or our own Broadcast Code of Ethics. CTS has a review process when a program has contravened any of these laws, rules or ethics. Depending on the violation, CTS will appropriately discuss the matter with the producer and in some case may result in the removal of the program from CTS. There is nothing in these programs concerning Muslims or Gays that violates Canadian law, CRTC regulations or our Broadcast Code of Ethics. You and I have spoken by phone and you have also written to the CBSC with your concerns about a number of episodes of this series. I understand your concerns with this program. I have also shared your concerns with the host and producer of the program and I believe he has a better understanding of how you perceive his commentary on current affairs.

You may want to follow up with the producer directly to share your comments further by writing to: Dr. Charles McVety, Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, North York, ON M3C 1Z3. You may also want to copy me on your correspondence with Dr. McVety.

#### File 09/10-0815

The station responded to this complaint on February 19:

I have received your complaint concerning *Word TV* broadcasts on CTS, Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> & Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> and have carefully reviewed each program and offer the following comments.

*Word TV* is a Christian religious program that offers a Christian perspective on current affairs. In both the Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> and Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> editions of the program, the host discusses an Ontario Ministry of Education initiative to include gender identity and sexual orientation teaching and acceptance into Ontario schools curriculum. The host expresses his concerns that what is being taught in schools will be, according to the Bible, the teaching of sinful practices. I did not see any violation of Broadcasting Regulations in the host's comments as he freely expressed his opinion on this curriculum as it relates to the beliefs and religious practices of Christians.

Thank you for your comments and concerns about the host's comments over the media's handling of Pat Robertson's comments concerning Haiti. It is clear that the host of this program, *Word TV*, doesn't want the comments in the media about Pat Robertson to detract from Christians giving to the need in Haiti.

I understand that you do not share the beliefs of the host of this particular Christian program. CTS is balanced religious service and does offer other programs that are broadcast throughout our schedule that have discussed this topic with other points of view, opinion and beliefs. CTS takes the matter of balanced programming seriously and we believe we adhere to the CRTC Religious Broadcasting Policy concerning Balance.

As I have stated in the past, I have shared your opinions of this weekly program with the program producers. You may wish to write to the producer directly by writing to: Dr. Charles McVety, Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Dr., North York, ON M3C 1Z3.

## **Additional Correspondence**

The complainant filed his Ruling Request for File 08/09-2142 on October 8, 2009.

He indicated his dissatisfaction with the broadcaster response to File 09/10-0383 in his December 4 letter, which also raised new complaints (reproduced above as the initial complaint letter for file 09/10-0522).

He filed his Ruling Request for file 09/10-0522 on January 7, 2010 and wrote the following on the form:

[The complainant] adds the following comments re new correspondence of Jan. 7: As I have no reason to believe I could be satisfied with any response by CITS-TV to my complaint re broadcasts of *Word.ca* from Dec. 13 & Jan. 3 as they are reiterations of comments from prior broadcasts whose responses I've deemed unsatisfactory, please have a CBSC panel adjudicate my complaints about *Word.ca* of broadcasts Dec. 13, 2009/Jan. 3, 2010.

With respect to file 09/10-0815, the complainant filed his Ruling Request on February 26 and attached the following letter:

To Whom It May Concern:

In addition to my complaints about *Word TV* on CITS-TV of Jan. 17 & 24, I would also like to add concerns about broadcasts of this show from Jan. 31 (a repeat broadcast of the Jan. 24

edition to which I would like to add my objection about assertions that terrorism suspects deserve to be denied due process of law) as well as those of Feb. 7, 14 & 21.

In these broadcasts the gay pride parade is referred to with repeated dismissive contempt as a "Sex Parade". The removal of an openly gay government minister & the cancellation of Pride funding are celebrated as correct moral victories as a result of the show's online petition campaign. In addition, Iran's president is referred to as mentally unstable & directly compared to Hitler.

Advocating monotheism at the expense of every other belief system & campaigning against everyone else's right to exist is harassment, not balanced commentary & just because other shows on CITS supposedly (& at this point, an empty idle claim) have balance, does not validate this show's stance.

Thank you for your consideration.