



**WORLD WIDE LEARN**  
THE WORLD'S DIRECTORY OF ONLINE COURSES, ONLINE LEARNING AND ONLINE EDUCATION

February 7, 2003

**VIA MAIL**

[REDACTED]  
Counsel  
America Online, Inc.  
[REDACTED]  
Dulles, VA 20166

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

**Re: Notice of Copyright Infringement by [directoryofschools.com](http://www.directoryofschools.com)**

I understand that American search engines are required to comply with The Digital Millennium Copyright Act and am writing to report an illegal copying of my website by a website that is now appearing in your search engine database.

I am the owner of an exclusive right to World Wide Learn, a website at <http://www.worldwidelearn.com>, of whose copyright is being infringed by a website at <http://www.directoryofschools.com>. Each page at <http://www.worldwidelearn.com> is clearly marked that it is under copyright protection. World Wide Learn has copyright protection in Canada (Registration #1007347), with copyright registration pending in the United States.

The entire website at <http://www.directoryofschools.com> is an illegal reproduction of my site and the owner of this <http://www.directoryofschools.com> site has illegally copied HTML code, web graphics, text, content, and page layout design from my site.

I have a good faith belief that use of the copyrighted materials described above on the allegedly infringing web pages is not authorized by the copyright owner, its agent, or the law.

Contact information for [directoryofschools.com](http://www.directoryofschools.com):

Email: [REDACTED]  
Phone: [REDACTED]  
Directory of Schools  
[REDACTED]  
Santa Rosa, CA 95404

[www.WORLDDWIDELEARN.com](http://www.WORLDDWIDELEARN.com)

PH: [REDACTED]

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February 4, 2003

**VIA EMAIL & COURIER**

Directory of Schools Site

[REDACTED]  
Santa Rosa, California  
USA 95404

Attention: [REDACTED], Administrator

Dear Sir:

Re: **World Wide Learn Inc.  
Copyright Infringement CEASE AND DESIST**

We advise that we act for World Wide Learn Inc., an Alberta based portal for online education websites ([www.worldwidelearn.com](http://www.worldwidelearn.com)).

Our client has brought to our attention your website, [www.directoryofschools.com](http://www.directoryofschools.com). Our client has advised that your website constitutes a substantial reproduction of our client's website in both its content and its underlying HTML code. This reproduction appears to run throughout your website and is not limited to any particular page, pages or screenshots. This information supports our conclusion that your website is operating in violation of our client's copyright in their website content and underlying HTML code pursuant to the Canadian *Copyright Act*, and applicable copyright legislation in the United States.

Accordingly, we require that you:

1. cease and desist from allowing internet access to your website, under its current domain name or otherwise, and cease and desist from any further publication, dissemination or transmission of your website in whole or in part, as soon as possible and in any case within 24 hours of receipt of this letter;


*Vancouver, Calgary, London, Toronto, Ottawa, Montréal, Québec, New York and London, England*

2. destroy all copies of your website and the underlying HTML code that are in your possession or control, whether in electronic form or otherwise; and
3. confirm to us in writing within 24 hours that you have complied with each of the aforementioned requirements.

We trust that this matter can be disposed of promptly and without the need for costly litigation and look forward to hearing from you within the time frame set out above, provided however, that nothing in this letter should be construed either to be a waiver or limitation of any rights or remedies to which our client may be entitled in law, equity or otherwise.

Yours very truly,

McCarthy Tétrault LLP



c: World Wide Learn Inc.  
Attn:  President



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I have initiated legal proceedings against <http://www.directoryofschools.com>, including a Cease & Desist letter (attached) requesting they remove their site, which they have chosen to ignore. We are now in the process of retaining US counsel with the intent to pursue further legal action.

I ask that you remove this <http://www.directoryofschools.com> site from your search engine database or take whatever steps that are in accordance with your company policy regarding a situation such as this.

I swear, under penalty of perjury, that the information in the notification is accurate and that I am the copyright owner or am authorized to act on behalf of the owner of an exclusive right that is allegedly infringed

If you need further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

**World Wide Learn**

Per:

A large black rectangular box redacting the signature of the sender.

CEO

cc. McCarthy Tétrault LLP  
Attention:

[www.WORLDSWIDELEARN.com](http://www.WORLDSWIDELEARN.com)

Calgary, Alberta T2T 0B2

PH: