

Steve Krivit wrote:

> To whom it may concern:
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> I am a reporter and I am investigating this foundation:
> <http://www.iganfoundation.org/>
> Mr. George has a variety of other business activities, he is primarily
> involved in energy and environment, which is my main interest in him.
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> Are you aware of his foundation, or of Mr. George, his qualifications, etc?
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> Is there any comment that your organization would like to make for the
> record regarding Mr. George's foundation?
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> I would need a response by 5pm Monday.
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> Thank you,
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> Steven
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Date: Fri, 17 Aug 2007 13:44:21 -0400
From: Pierre Lachaine
To: Steven Krivit
Subject: Re: Foundation Question

Hi Steven,

I do not know Mr. George personally, but I do know of him. He used to be a participant on a now defunct email group on the

subject of IgA nephropathy. This was some 5 or 6 years ago, and I have not heard anything about him since that time. I have

never had any personal communication with Mr. George or any associates, and I know nothing about his qualifications.

For the record, the Foundation for IgA Nephropathy is not connected in any way with Mr. George, www.iganfoundation.org, nor

with any entity operating under the name of IgAN Foundation, nor do we have any knowledge of any activity by an organization

referred to as "IgAN Foundation". We are only aware that such a website exists. Our own Foundation for IgA Nephropathy is a

duly incorporated registered public charity in the U.S. under 501c3. We are very active on a daily basis via the peer support

group we administer and moderate on Yahoo Groups.

Good luck with your enquiries, and if I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to email me.

Pierre Lachaine
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