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Subject: Quick Question

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AircraftkillerI can expect Warranto to come in here eventually and say otherwise.

I'm sorry, but I have to Laugh out loud at this. Nothing bad ment by it, but I guess I do have some sort of reputation (for better or for worse) on these forums.

On topic though, strictly speaking -the so called "Black and White" (not a racial connection, another name would be right [white] or wrong [black] {think of good and evil color representations}) Law- it is illigal to use other peoples work and call it your own, or cause the assumption to be that you are calling it your own. No body can create a colection of items without specifying who the original author/creator is. Whether it be a collection of poems, a collection of books, or in this case a collection of maps. However, as with every aspect of the law it's open to debate. Is it really that serious? Unfortunatly the seriousness of it depends on the person who holds the rights to the piece of work.

I don't have all my legal links with me to double check my understanding of this as I'm not at home, but overall this is the case. Now I will check when I get home, there may be some extenuating circumstances in this case regarding intellectual property over physically copyrighted property, that the law can shed light on. If I find any, I'll be sure to post it.

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