

Sigh\*

Quote:mgstpain has no control over "renmaps" even the word. Also I can use it advertisements if I want, he can't do anything about it. I can actively sell merchandise using that name. Once I do this, I will actually own rights to "renmaps", because I was the first one to use it in commerce. I keep telling you trademarks only apply in commerce, not in everyday speech, and usually the one who starts using it first in commerce gets the rights. what you think every time I use the word microsoft I have to pay them? No. Didn't you read that entire article? I'm sorry but your download reward the public bullshit does not count its not commerce.

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The buying and selling of goods

buy ( P ) Pronunciation Key (b)

v. tr.

To acquire in exchange for money or its equivalent; purchase

sell ( P ) Pronunciation Key (sl)

v. tr.

To exchange or deliver for money or its equivalent

Something useful that can be turned to commercial or other advantage  
An article of trade or commerce,

To obtain in exchange for money or its equivalent

Now that the definitions are set forth, you can plainly see that selling, buying, commerce in general, DOES NOT HAVE TO INVOLVE MONEY. All it has to do is provide a service for people where he gets an equivalent "something" in return. If he wanted to he could charge for access to his site, as he is only recouping lost income on bandwidth (assuming the income doesn't exceed his out of pocket expenditures), however he has decided not to do that.

But regardless, as I have said before (now FOUR times :rolleyes: ) YOU CAN USE THE RENMAPS.NET DOMAIN. however, IF (maybe when I stress it enough, you'll notice it) he decides to trademark the name renmaps, YOU CAN STILL USE THE DOMAIN. HOWEVER IF he decided to do that, since he is providing a service to people, you won't be able to use the name IN REGARDS TO SELF PROMOTION. That would be the same as holding a pary, making

hamburgers, selling (refer to the definition of selling I provided) them, and calling them McDonalds burgers. Yes I will admit the use of the word sale is somewhat not completely accurate as with what today's standards imply, but it is still simply an exchange of goods for equivalent value. For such an educated person, you sure don't read very well.

As for libel, let's say for the moment you're right. You can go ahead and sue him for libel, I'll be right behind you with my suit against you.

Quote:well since you are stupid n00b wannabe, (...) happy now? stupid n00b.

Sounds stupid doesn't it? That's what I thought. Show me a birth certificate that shows "Alkaline" is a real person, or ANY proof that this will adversely affect the personal life of "Alkaline". In fact, show me ANY proof that your real identity is accessible via this site, and that "msgtpain" has access to it. Heck, for all I know, YOUR msgtpain using a spoofed IP to cause this argument.

As for the LSU case, I thought you said they lost? Now you said they dropped it? You're the "educated" one here, please tell me how stopping something from being concluded is the same as losing? In the legal sense I mean...

As for your accomplishments with the bar exam, good for you (assuming that you're not just saying this to try and make you look more credible) But there have been people in the past that have passed the bar exam, and prove their knowledge by, oh I don't know, suing a kids hockey league for discrimination when his kid didn't get into the level that he should have gotten.

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