

#54 | 11/18/2009, 3:22 pm, EST | Miguel A De Dios  | Location  United States

Notice:

Due to repeated usage of this Forum for personal issues and references to the functionality of this Society as well as the many complaints referring to these same issues, we will establish the following Forum usage rules:

- 1) The Forum is open for general access to anyone.
- 2) It is to be used to discuss philately and issues that are relevant to our hobby.
- 3) Issues related to the running of this Society or any complaints against a Director, the Board of Directors, or any Society member are considered private and should be directly discussed among the concerned parties outside of this Forum.
- 4) Users cannot use this Forum to discuss any political, religious, ethnic, or any other topics that may be erroneously interpreted or that offend the ideology of others.
- 5) Use of obscene or offensive language against the Society or any members is prohibited.
- 6) The main purpose of this Forum is to dissipate information, communicate and ask philatelic questions among those who want to receive these benefits.
- 7) Any infractions will be sanctioned with the removal of the message and blocking the user from using this Forum temporarily or permanently.

Thank for your cooperation and we hope that will never have to be in the position of having to sanction anyone, especially one of our members...

The following message was deleted from the "Your Opinions" forum in exercise of the censorship arbitrarily imposed by the Miami members of the Society per posting #54.

#55a | 11/18/2009, 4:10 pm, EST | Ernesto Cuesta  | Location  United States

Censorship reflects society's lack of confidence in itself.

It is a hallmark of an authoritarian regime.

-Potter Stewart

The test of democracy is freedom of criticism.

-David Ben-Gurion

I disapprove of what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it.

-Voltaire

Really offensive language indeed...