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## Publishing Services Overview

### Contract General :-

Able Limited Editions is an apolitical ebook publisher of fiction and non-fiction. But all fiction published by us is founded on knowledge-based corroborative evidence and empirical near-native research. It's thereby informative. And the ultimate objective of all our publications is to raise public awareness of modern-day crime causation/s. As such, Able Limited Editions only publish solicited work in the additional context that Able Limited Editions is not and will not be a vanity based I.S.B.N. imprint.

Vanity publishing is when any individual offers to publish work on the basis that the writer or author of the work must pay them editorial and production costs of the said book, magazine, etc, upfront. - But the said book, magazine, etc, is quite often not in fact produced at all, as far as the writer or author is aware. The reasons for that are many, due to the complexities of intellectual property rights etc. - But one of the other main reasons is quite simply that the writer or author finds there are implied (legally hidden) editorial costs for example they must but cannot pay after accepting such vanity based offers.

Results of entering such vanity based agreements more than often include losing all intellectual property rights (copyright etc) over their submitted work to such vanity based publishers. It's therefore on this basis Able Limited Editions decided to offer their essential publishing services to new, aspiring, and established writers and authors to protect them against what's effectively legal theft.

The Able Limited Editions publishing services are categorised below. - They are the only legal ways writers and authors will prevent themselves from falling into the vanity traps - The rest of this document gives a concise overview of each; before contacting us with a view of negotiating any publishing contract. They will be reflected in any contract in relation to individual circumstances, requirements and needs of authors, etc.



### Editorial :-

It's standard practice for mainstream print publishers to charge their authors and writers editorial fees; set against royalties earned. That is, they don't charge editorial fees up-front. They claw them back against the authors and writers after production.

Able Limited Editions do not charge any editorial fee; unless writer or author exceeds editorial allowance/s expressed in their contract. - Such allowance/s may be normal, intermediary, or exceptional, for example; but is/are based solely on the circumstances, requirements and needs of the individual writer or author in question. That is, editorial allowances take ability, competency and education status of the writer or author into account, for example. But like mainstream print publisher agreements any editorial fee so charged will only be set against royalties earned; if any. And it's unlikely any will be charged; unless it becomes clear to Able Limited Editions the writer or author intentionally, wrecklessly, or carelessly does not adhere to the expressed and implied editorial allowance/s set.

This is the only editorial service Able Limited Editions offer. And it's the only legal way writers and authors may prevent falling into the vanity trap in the context of editing. It's also designed by Able Limited Editions to ensure writers and authors do not lose any of their intellectual property rights (copyrights) over their submitted work.



## Ghostwriting :-

Ghostwriting, in the context of any Able Limited Editions publishing agreement, is only legally applicable if Able Limited Editions consider the writer's or author's sample chapter/s show/s adequate potential to offer a publishing contract; but it transpires their work is in fact and law too dangerous to publish, for example. As such, it may be too dangerous because the writer or author did not or could not submit corroboration and or consents etc regarding what they have written.

Ghostwriting may also be applicable if it becomes obvious to Able Limited Editions the writer or author will substantially exceed editorial allowance/s only in the context that their submitted work must be substantially re-written, to prevent any editorial fees being charged, for example. It may also be applicable if the writer or author does not have adequate time to complete their work and or are merely submitting their grievances etc for Able Limited Editions to write and publish their story on their behalf and produce, distribute and sell the ebook product.

Whatever the reason/s Able Limited Editions ghostwriting service must be offered, there are two types of ghostwriting. One is where any suitable fee must be charged (whether nominally or not) to write the work; whereby all the intellectual property rights pre-editing will be owned by some appointed writer. The other is where any suitable fee must be charged to write the work; whereby all the intellectual property rights of the written work pre-edit will be owned by the person who the story is being written for.

It's in these ghostwriting contexts vanity publishing will be legally prevented, since there will be no charge whatsoever payable towards production of the ebook etc. And there will be no editorial fee.



### Authoring :-

Authoring in the context of any Able Limited Editions publishing agreement, is another legal in-house way of preventing Ghostwriting fees. And what it effectively means is that the writer or author of the submitted work appoints Able Limited Editions in-house author to write/tell their story on their behalf, based on their submitted work. But unlike Able Limited Editions Ghostwriting service options, the writer of the submitted work will not be entitled to be named as the author of the ebook. But they will retain intellectual property rights over the work they submitted, and will be given free collectable and mainstream copies of the ebook to sell or give away.

It's in these authoring contexts that vanity publishing and ghostwriting fees will be legally prevented, since there will be no charge whatsoever payable towards publishing, production and or writing of the ebook etc. And there will be no editorial fee.



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