

GO 1191

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All AGs &  
GO StaffRe: RECRUITMENT

As you all know, there is a big push for recruitment and expansion within the Guardian Office. LHM and CSG have ordered that we recruit heavily and expand fast.

Having had considerable experience in recruiting for the G.O. at W/ and having run into the usual counter intention, I decided that it would blow B.P.C. and indicate psychosis if some of the most frequent counter intention and stupid remarks were indicated broadly.

So here are some statements which appear to come up regularly and which are majorly outpoints. They come up when the G.O. recruits in organisations.

1. You don't want to put the org in an optern situation.
2. If you join the G.O. you are in treason.
3. If you join the G.O. you have betrayed the group.
4. Joining the G.O. is a blow from the current post you are holding.
5. Whenever my org's stats are up the G.O. attempts to ruin them by recruiting.
6. As soon as the enemy is handled, which will be any day now, the G.O. will be disbanded and join the auditing unit.
7. Don't join the G.O. - they will be disbanded any moment.
8. We don't assist the G.O. in recruitment because they are unreal to us. (This is usually stated after the G.O. has given the org lots of briefings on PR and Legal wins).
9. The G.O. does such a good job that we don't know they are there and so have never produced CSWs for G.O. staff.
10. Don't recruit the students for the G.O. because it enturnulates them.
11. We can't give the G.O. any recruits because the org would collapse.
12. The org must be fully manned before the G.O. can have any recruits.
13. Lot's establish the org first.
14. The person whose CSW has just been okayed for the G.O. is a stat crasher, criminal, heavy drug case, psychiatrist, has blown, is PTS 1,2,3, ABC and is absolutely indispensable to the org.
15. I am resubmitting Joe Flow's CSW as his psychiatric history was only over 3 years, he came back the day after he blew, and his antagonistic parents threw him out of the house and he has no further connection with them. His stats are rising and he really wants to join the G.O.

16. We have just discovered that Joe Blow whose CS# you want, is No Case Gain and roller coasters.
17. If you join the G.O. you are going off source.
18. I can't join the G.O. because I'm on a theta purpose line.
19. It's not our hat to recruit for the G.O.
20. The only staff we can spare for the G.O. (out of 150 staff) are the Dustin cleaner, and Lavatories I/C. Both of them are extremely upstat and have been on the posts for 3 years and have made it go right.
21. We suggest that you take Joe Blow who has been in Sen for 3 weeks, is really upstat and who has worked in a psychiatric ward for the last 3 years and so is familiar with G.O. lines.
22. The staff member that you want has been declared in treason for wanting to join the G.O. and therefore no longer qualifies for the G.O.
23. We suggest you have Joe Smith. We can't do anything with him but we're sure that the G.O. could manage.
24. Don't you dare talk to the staff or they will want to join the G.O.
25. Don't promote the G.O. to the staff because it will knock them off their posts.
26. We know that Joe Blow was appointed 6 months ago to the G.O. However, the 3 replacements he obtained were all unsuitable and are in other posts in the org.
27. Yes, you can have Joe Blow but he has to have 4 replacements as he is holding 4 hats from above.

So - recognise psychosis, and do not be sidetracked or back off recruiting. The G.O. must expand rapidly.

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