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Dear Friends,

Newdealshaker.com started off as a project to make sure that everyone who was ever a member of the OneLife network would at least get something out. It was (and the follow up still is), that.

Now it's called Ovid.ie and expanded. Anyone who saw the benefits of crypto and lost out can participate. For anyone to claim the legacy who didn't live through the excitement that crypto brought is frankly insulting.

If you were never involved, you can't begin to understand it. I met many wonderful people and sincerely believe in the future of crypto. We acted in good faith and were convinced. It was a revolution. It still is. Unfortunately what was presented and the people behind it were often deeply flawed.

I had my fall-out with Veselina. The facts are reported. We all know what happened with Veselina.

I continued with my development of a new platform. It of course needed funding. I arranged for a pair of special purpose vehicles which would sell shares at £ 1 each that potentially could be converted to a coin but otherwise would retain their worth at £ 1 and be refunded, or held as a share. Private equity placements are unregulated largely and do not generate taxes.

I was horrified to learn that the shares were being sold as "packages" of coin! This places the people behind the placement of shares in a very difficult situation. You cannot sell a coin instead of a share - that is a security. It is regulated and was not registered. You cannot sell it while limiting access to an exchange so that the value is artificial - that is fraud. I will have no part of that. Either way nobody saw any money, the share registrar never received any requests for any changes and independent reviews have revealed that whatever was collected was not spent on any development of what remains my platform.

Unfortunately my name was abused.

I will guarantee whatever has been spent in terms of coin while reserving the right to prosecute anyone I believe needs reporting to the authorities. Please remember that you too can access the authorities.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Duncan Malcolm Arthur". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with some loops and flourishes.

Duncan Malcolm Arthur