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Support & Integrity

Dear Penfabricans,

We are all social beings. Naturally we yearn for support from people around us, especially people whom we look up to and those who mean much to us. However, sometimes, the support we want are not forthcoming or not in the manner that we desire. We feel that we are being left alone between the rock and the hard place, facing the music. What then can we do?

It sure is disheartening that the support we hope for did not materialize. We feel hopeless, let down and in despair. Unwanted even! Do we just give up our aspiration and pretend nothing ever happens? Surely not! Time for us to gather up the pieces and try not to take to heart the lack of support. Do not let it dissipate our enthusiasm. Let us take this as a challenge and an opportunity to prove our very own capability. We need to be confident and more supportive of ourselves. Let us believe in ourselves, regardless of support from others. Irrespective of what others may think or do, we should proceed with our ideals and the job at hand. It is time to grow up and to have our own independent judgement. Let us stand on our own two feet to go forth. Maybe we should mull over the reasons for lack of support from others so that we can evaluate or fine-tune our projects.

Saying is easy; Talk is cheap. However, we need to bear in mind the gap

between what we profess and what we actually perform. A gap where our integrity and people's trust in us gets washed away. If we wish to strive towards integrity and gain people's trust in us, close that gap between what we profess and what we actually do. Do not compromise our values. Stop telling tall tales that we cannot possibly deliver. Thus, find out if we have gaps of integrity from people close to us. More often than not, we do have such gaps and inadequacies. Having acknowledged these integrity gaps, take steps to close them. Without closing these gaps, we are not credible. Few will ever believe us. When we are not being supported, is it because we have integrity gaps? Is this the reason for driving away our supporters ?

Dear Penfabricans, we need support in our endeavors to make our goings more smooth sailing and to have higher success rates. To garner support, let us ensure that we do not have gaps of integrity. Have a great weekend, always try garner support for our daily jobs and match our words with our deeds.

Thank you.

With kind regards,

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