

THE CHURCH OF  
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OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

PHYSICAL FACILITIES DEPARTMENT

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Soulforce, Inc.  
2000 Grand Avenue, #2  
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March 15, 2007

Re: **2007 Soulforce, Inc. Equality Ride to Salt Lake City**

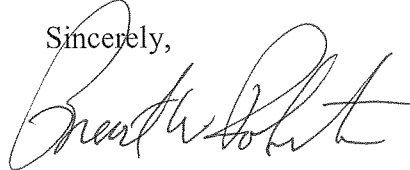
Attention: 2007 Soulforce Leadership and Soulforce Equality Ride Participants:

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints has recently learned that the Soulforce Equality Ride intends to visit Church sites in Salt Lake City on March 20, 2007. The Church respectfully requests that Soulforce not enter Church-owned properties, including Temple Square and the adjoining Church campus. The Church endeavors to maintain these properties as places of peace and quiet contemplation. Some of the sites are considered sacred. Regardless of the message, no outside person or group is permitted to demonstrate or engage in advocacy there. Groups or persons with a history of demonstrating or protesting are asked not to enter Church properties.

Soulforce is an advocacy group that uses demonstrations and civil disobedience to express its views. During last year's Equality Ride, Soulforce members refused to respect the property rights of Brigham Young University and had to be arrested. Soulforce members have also been arrested in other cities during this year's Equality Ride for advocacy tactics that violate the law. In light of this, the Church asks that Soulforce members and others involved in its advocacy respect the Church's rights and not enter Church properties for any purpose. We hope that this request will be honored voluntarily without the need for enforcement. A more appropriate place for expressive activities is on the wide public sidewalks that exist throughout Salt Lake City.

Please inform Soulforce members and others joining them of the Church's decision. We hope your travels will be safe and your stay in Salt Lake City enjoyable.

Sincerely,



Brent W. Roberts  
Director, Headquarters Facilities