

Firm chairman, director cleared of charges

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BANGALORE: The cyber crime police have given a clean chit to DFX Customer Connect Consulting Pvt Ltd chairman Daniel S Pena and director William Smith in a case.

Also, the I ACMM court has ended proceedings against Smith and acquitted him.

In March 2006, software engineer P Srinivas Mahesh lodged a complaint with the cyber crime police station, Bangalore, alleging that Pena, Smith and Sally Hall negotiated with him to start a call centre, DFX Customer Connect Consulting Pvt Ltd. But later he found that they were running an adult porn website. He further alleged that the users had to give their credit card details, which were misused by the accused. Following this, the police confiscated Smith's laptop and passport.

Later, however, the cyber crime police filed a B report with the I ACMM court, saying it couldn't find any evidence and asked the court to treat it as mistake of facts.

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