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To whom it may concern - I would like to document an incident with Eido Roshi that had caused me concern years ago. I bring this to your attention because I have been directed to a blog site where it appears there is discussions about a pattern of sexual improprieties that has extended over years with Eido Roshi. The incident I had with Eido Rosho had me concerned to the point where I decided not to return to future associations with him. At the last 7 day sessin I attended at Dai Bosatsu ( its probably documented in the Dai Bosatsu files) during dokusan Eido Roshi asked me to come to his room that evening after meditation to give him a Shiatsu massage. I was thrown off by the request because I did not know he knew I was a Shiatsu Therapist and because I was in dokusan for what I thought was my spiritual development and here he was asking me for a Shiatsu massage. I had mixed feelings at the time feeling both honored and and confused by the request. I distinctly remember him saying " do not let anyone see you come to my room" That night I went to his room, quietly knocked on his door, he let me in and then he laid on the ground face down. I proceeded to give him a Shiatsu massage. When I asked him to turn over to be face up, I saw that he had an erection. He was clothed but it was obvious to me he had an erection. I Shiatsu massaged treating his shoulders and his neck but was very aware that his eyes were open and he was watching me as I worked. It was very weird and energetically I guess the word I would use is "creepy". I remember thinking that I must have given off some kind of "vibe" that had aroused him. Anyways, I finished the shiatsu early and told him I was finished and got up and left. I did not go to dokusan again for the entire sessin nor ever had a dokusan again with Eido Roshi. I was very un-nerved by the entire incident. I have not returned to Dai Bosatsu / Shobo Ji since that incident because I was so disturbed by it.

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