## RECONSTRAINED DESIGN: AMANIFESTO

**REVERSE** THIS STATEMENT:

MAN'S DESIRES MUST OVERSHADOW HIS NEEDS.

RECLAIM THE MEANS - STOP OBSESSING WITH THE ENDS.

AS THINGS BECOME INCREASINGLY ACTION NOT AUTOMATED – FACILITATE ACTION APATHY.

BRING AN END TO THIS VACUOUS CELEBRITY DESIGNER BS.

INTERRUPT LEGACY THINKING AND PRODUCT LINEAGES.

RATHER THAN FEED THE ILLUSION OF INVINCIBILITY, WORK FROM THE REALITY OF

UNCERTAINTY AND TRANSIENCE.

SET ASIDE THE EASIER WORK OF ARMCHAIR CRITIQUE AND TAKE UP THE MORE DIFFICULT WORK OF **PROPOSING VIABLE ALTERNATIVES**.

ASK YOURSELF (BEFORE PUTTING THINGS IN THE WORLD): AM I PREPARED TO PLAY GOD? DESIGN ECOLOGICALLY. ADOPT A KHADI MENTALITY. BE PATIENT FOR THE QUIET DAYS. START BUILDING THE FUTURE YOU WANT, WITH OR WITHOUT TECHNOLOGY.