

'Assertion' (pub. 24.08.17-12:04). Quote in M. Bergman & S. Paavola (Eds.), *The Commens Dictionary: Peirce's Terms in His Own Words. New Edition*. Retrieved from <http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-system-existential-graphs-considered-instrument-investigation-logic-4>.

**Term:** Assertion

**Quote:** ...assertion does not add a new element of thought. For an assertion is not a thought but a deed. If one goes before a notary and takes one's affidavit to a statement, that is nothing but highly emphatic assertion.

**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (1906 [c.]). *On the System of Existential Graphs Considered as an Instrument for the Investigation of Logic*. MS [R] 499.

**References:** MS [R] 499

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