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To whom it may concern:

I am a professional clinical psychologist. I am an assistant professor at the University of Utrecht and a practitioner of individual psychodynamically oriented psychotherapy at the Regional Institution for Outpatient Mental Health, Center/Old-West Amsterdam. I am co-author of a number of psychological papers and the principal editor of a volume of proceedings for an international congress on child abuse and neglect. I represent the subfaculty of psychology of the University of Utrecht on the commission on psychological tests in the Netherlands.

I received my A.B. degree magna cum laude from Brandeis University and was elected a member of Phi Beta Kapa. I received my A.M. and Ph.D. degrees from Harvard University. My clinical psychology traineeship was served at the Connecticut Mental Health Center / Department of Psychiatry, Yale University.

In the past year I have visited Rajneeshpuram twice for a total period of approximately three months. I have read from a number of books by Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh and have listened to (and seen) talks given by Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh on audio (and video) tape.

I wish to declare the following: Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh's insights are of inestimable value. His contributions are extraordinary. As the inspiration and guiding force for the training and personal growth at Rajneeshpuram, Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh is responsible for the very high quality psychological work and development offered at Rajneeshpuram. I also refer the reader of this letter to the words of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh as recorded in more than 100 books; an outpouring so vast and sagacious that it is beyond the comprehension of the normal scholar or professional.

Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh's influence is so positive that it must be counted as a tremendous fortune that Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh is living in the United States of America, the country of which I am a citizen.

I heartily recommend that Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh be accorded full legal residence in the United States of America, as soon as possible.



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