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To whom it may concern.

The cultural development of all mankind is essentially rooted in the antagonism of Eastern and Western culture, which can be metaphorically described as a pendulum moving between these poles.

Today, it is the teachings of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh which represent Eastern philosophy and religion in a distinguished, unique, both scientific and poetic way. Among those Eastern philosophers I have studied he is the most outstanding and excellent, and his work - like a bridge between the Oriental and Anglo-American culture - provides a mutual understanding and fruitful enrichment.

A position right in the middle between East and West is held by Goetheanism, a cultural movement rooted in Indo-Germanic and closely related to Anglo-American civilization, which strongly supports mutual relations between both cultural and spiritual principles.

Being a philosopher myself, I have been working on a further development of this anthroposophic philosophy I have mentioned above.

I was born the youngest son and spiritual heir of the Principal of Freemasonry, Eduard Schleip. I am a member of the Christian-Jewish Society and the Liberal International.

I was a medical army officer, highly decorated for bravery, and I have had friendly contacts and communications with the NATO, and I have contributed in establishing the scientific and psychologic organization for defence in Baden-Württemberg.(AFL).

Today, in my old age, I still work as a medical expert for German Courts.

I have analyzed modern religious movements very closely and critically and among these I solely accept the religion of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh. I highly respect and honor him as one of the most original and creative religious philosophers.

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