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To whom it may concern

I have visited the former Ashram of Acharya Rajneesh in Poona twice in 1981. Once as a private person, once as a member of the voluntary social worker staff of the German Embassy in New Delhi, to which my husband was attached as Political Counselor from 1980 - 1985.

I consider Acharya Rajneesh to be a religious leader. This view is substantiated by an analysis of the religious as well as philosophical background of his teachings. - Having an M.A. in sociology,

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as well as in psychology I was very favourably impressed under a scientific point of view as well.

My husband and I were astonished to find among his followers such a multitude of serious-minded, intellectually outstanding and warmhearted people.

In view of certain immigration procedures in the U.S.A. concerning charges Rajneesh I would like to make my understanding of him known.

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