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To Whom It May Concern:

As a counselor working with alcoholics and their family members, I am aware that my clients need spiritual guidance as well as help in learning to express feelings and in changing destructive behavior. In fact, my belief is that alcoholism is a disease of the spirit as well as the mind and body. I have read several of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh's books and have found them useful in my client practice. In addition, I have personally learned much from Bhagwan about the nature of love, Sufism and Christianity.

My brother became a disciple of Bhagwan's six years ago and I came to know about Bhagwan through my brother. I believe my brother's association with Bhagwan was a major factor in helping him work through emotional difficulties, increase self-esteem and provided meaning and direction in his life. I doubt my brother would be as happy and productive a person as he is now without this association. For this transformation in my brother I feel very grateful to Bhagwan and his teachings.

It is clear that Bhagwan is an asset to the United States. Any country, in fact would be fortunate to have such a spiritual teacher. I do hope that religious prejudice, fear and discrimination will not win over the reality of a loving religious leader who has given so much to so many.

I am deeply concerned about the possibility of Bhagwan's expulsion from the United States and hope you will give this matter the attention it deserves. I would be most happy to discuss this topic further if necessary.

Yours Truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Lenore H. Gay'.

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