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To whom it may concern:

I am sure that many prominent and respected people are watching the proceedings involving the residence of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh.

Others, with much more education and erudition than I, respect the insightful and love-filled messages that Rajneesh is giving the world. They too feel that a man of this stature and such nobility of spirit should be cherished in our country.

I am a Vietnam Vet, 34 years old, with no great record of accomplishment. But I do know what hate is, what War is, and what human suffering and misery is like. The teachings of Rajneesh bring fresh hope to people to men like I; and, for this man to come to our country is a blessing. I have supported the entry of the many Vietnamese refugees who have come here. I know they will become an asset to our country. So, to have a great techer, a great thinker, a great man of peace here like Rajneesh, will certainly serve the proud and thoughtful purposes of my country.