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Dear Sirs,

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I am a Computer Consultant with I.P. Sharp & Associates, an International time-sharing network.

I graduated from Melbourne University in 1966 with the degree of Bachelor of Science and a Diploma of Education.

After military service, I became a Lecturer in Mathematics and Computer Programming at the Footscray Institute of Technology.

I joined I.P. Sharp as an APL consultant in 1982.

I first came across the teaching of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh in 1976 and was immediately impressed by the intelligence and depth of his teachings.

The following year, I visited his ashram in India and found the impression of peace in his presence so profound that I felt impelled to become a disciple.

Though I cannot remember him directly teaching about computing, his teachings have helped immeasurably in my day to day career as a computer consultant. The computer language I program in is APL. It is a complex high level language which involves considerable mental gymnastics to program in. Before I met Bhagwan, such involved intellectual effort had been at great personal cost in anxiety, headaches, sleeplessness and tension in inter-personal relationships.

I have practiced the meditations devised by Bhagwan and these have been instrumental in giving me a more peaceful self. But most important has been the applied application of Bhagwan's philosophy of doing through non-doing. It may seem strange that such a philosophy should have effectiveness in planning an accounting system for a merchant bank. But this is so. Inherent in Bhagwan's teachings is the theme that to treat life as a battle is futile, that with trust and acceptance, life will show itself not to be an enemy but a friend, that 'existence takes care of you'. The practical end of this approach is that given a problem, the solution is inherently part of it and ready, with trust and persistence, to show itself. And this approach I actually use daily in computer programming. Countless times I have been in insoluble situations to find the solution appear almost like magic.

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No matter how complex the situation, the solution eventually shows itself. So I now program in a relaxed manner. Because I am less tense, I make less mistakes. Because I am more open, I can hear my customers' needs more clearly. And by consequence, my personal life is more relaxed and free of tension.

And this I owe to the teachings of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'G.B. Weibgen', written in black ink.

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