TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I, the undersigned, am Robert Daniël van Harrewijn, a lawyer of Dutch Nationality. I was born April 20, 1944 in The Hague, The Netherlands, and am presently living at Purmerendstraat 97, (2547 JB) The Hague.

I received a law degree at the University of Leiden, The Netherlands, in 1969, specializing in State and Administrative Law. Also I have specialized in the history of law, working at the Institute for Papyrology at the University of Leiden. Since then, I have worked in a Legal Aid programme, being government employed.

Throughout my life I have studied philosophy and religion.
When I first came into contact with Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh - which was through accidentally hearing a taped discourse - I immediately experienced extraordinary clarity through His teaching. In 1978 therefore I asked to be initiated by Him, and He has been my spiritual guide and Master ever since.

I have benefited by Mis teaching, both spiritually and in my day-to-day life, and I think His teaching, both verbal and silent, has great value for all of mankind today.

Also I am convinced that Bhagwan's approach to morality will become a great and positive social force, that will eventually carry through into the legal field.

July 16, 1983

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this 18th day of July 1983. -------

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