

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

My name is Gerhard Böckler, born 12th May 1952 in Wetzlar, Germany. I'm a doctor and right now living at Bennbacherweg 2, 6290 Weilburg, Germany.

In June 1978 I was sent by the German government with a stipendium to practice and study in a hospital in Bombay, India. In Poona, a close by city, I met Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh and felt immediately a deep connection to his being, and his visions and teachings as he gave them out in lectures and evening meetings.

Besides being my spiritual teacher since then, he inspires me daily in my practical work as a doctor, by being able to reconcile and bring together essential concepts and insights from various fields of human science, such as Theology, Psychology, Medicine, Sociology and Psychiatry. I feel greatly helped by this to find a more humanistic approach towards myself and my clients.

His teachings, which are available in books and on tape, and his meditation, which expresses itself in his silence, make him for me one of the most outstanding individuals I ever met or got to know about on this world.

17.7.1983

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Gerhard Böckler, M.D.
(Swami Deva Smito)

Seen for the legalisation of the signature of Mr. Gerhard Böckler, born 12th may 1952 in Wetzlar, W. Germany, living at Weilburg (W. Germany), Bennbacherweg 2, by me, Dr. F.J. Brons, L.L.D., notaris residing at Bergen (N.H.), The Netherlands.

(Bergen (N.H.), the 18th of july 1983.

F. J. Brons

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