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To whom it may concern,

I am a Finnish agronomist and have been working internationally for many years. I have gained my professional experience from Finland, Sweden, Ontario, California, Zambia and Indonesia. I have also a university degree in economics and have been working for United Nations in developing countries as an agricultural economist.

First I came to know Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh in Poona India in 1979 and have been since then following his work as religious leader through personal contacts, reading his books and seeing video-tapes in which he describes his religious vision. In July 1983 I visited Rajneeshpuram personally and studied the progress made there in last two years. I feel that developments made in Rajneeshpuram are very interesting and unique. The vision that man can live harmoniously with nature, improve the ecology and yet use the latest modern technology is being realized there. This project can benifit both industrial and underdeveloped countries.

I feel that the manner and speed in which the Rajneeshpuram project is carried out testifies that Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh has exceptional abilities to inspire and guide people to achieve tasks far beyond normal standards.

Yours faithfully

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