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To Whom It May Concern:

I took Saanyas in Poona in 1977 at the age of 68, two years after I had retired from the University of Western Australia where I had been a senior Lecturer (Assistant Professor) in the Psychology Department. I am now 72 years old and ever grateful for the peace Bhagwan Sri Rajneesh has brought me as well as many younger friends who have found their way to his teachings and a new way of life in their bewildered world.

I would like to repeat the phrase, "found their way" as I have known of no case where pressure or persuasion has been brought to bear on an individual "seeker".

Young people especially are drawn to the happy atmosphere of groups of saanyasins where each gives and does not count the cost, labours, and looks for no more than a fair reward.

Therefore, I would like to support

the application of Bhagwan Sri Rajwade  
for an extension of his visa and stay in  
the U.S.A. in order that he may continue his  
work and influence.

Yours faithfully,

Ma Anand Prasad.

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