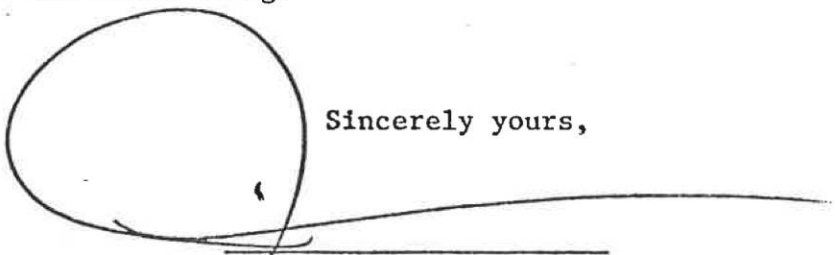


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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I have been practicing as an obstetrician and gynecologist in a University Hospital in Holland for the last six years. I received my medical education and training at the University of Amsterdam, and some of my research papers on fetal growth have been published in international medical journals.

In 1978, I read my first book by Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh and since then, I have delved very deeply into how his religious teachings can affect the medical practice of obstetrics. Many times, Bhagwan has mentioned the importance of a soft, natural birth to reduce birth trauma. This insight is of enormous significance and, if applied, would have a monumental impact on humanity. As Bhagwan's vision continues to spread to hospitals throughout the world, the birth trauma will be tremendously reduced and the psychological health of children will be greatly enhanced. There is no doubt that Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh is a religious figure of the most exceptional magnitude, whose teachings can greatly benefit our medical understanding of the human being.



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