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Mr. Robert Kruger  
District Director, INS  
Portland, Oregon

Dear Sir:

I understand that Rajneesh has applied for a temporary visa as a religious worker. As a humanist and a teacher of literature, I support his application. I have read several of his books and found them of high moral and ethical value and of exceptional literary merit. Although I am not a follower of Rajneesh, what I know of his work persuades me that he has made a valuable contribution to American culture.

Respectfully yours,

*Arthur W. Biddle, Ph.D.*  
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