

Eurycles A.F.L. Pereira
R. Raimundo Correa, 60
Rio de Janeiro BRAZIL

July 11, 1983


I am a senior economist working with Brazilian Government Bank for Economics and Social Development and I've been Chief of Infrastructure Department for the last 5 years. It is my task to evaluate and promote projects dealing with "urban development" transportation, warehousing, and other bank needs, to meet higher standards of quality of life. I am also an engineer in civil works and I am a fellow of Economic Development Association of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank).

I want to state that I've met at Rajneeshpuram such inspired ways of finding the best and the cheapest urban development (most economical for each dollar of capital costs) that I must say it is, no doubt, due to the presence of a genius - Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh - whose inspiration and religious teaching provides the main guidelines for the fabulous work already done. And more. I can foresee in a few years a very, very high quality of life due to the work already undergoing. I have never seen such work in a desert site like Rajneeshpuram.

I've met Bhagwan first some 3 years ago and I've read many books and used to listen to many tapes of his speeches and music. I am very grateful to Him for I am disclosing my inner hidden religiousness in a very happy way by opening my heart to love as I couldn't imagine. Together with such love flows creativity wherever I am.

I recognize that the exceptional creativity at Rajneeshpuram is absolutely remarkable in my field of work and interest such as I have described above.

Sincerely,



Eurycles A.F.L. Pereira
Senior Economist
Infrastructure Department Head
Brazilian Bank for Economic & Social Development