

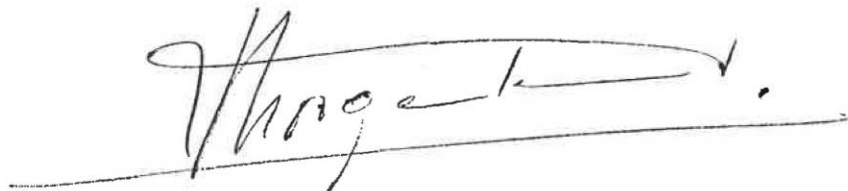
Mechelen, 19th July 1983.

To whom it may concern,

I, the undersigned, Frank Van hoogenbemt
PHD Chemistry, declare to have read some of the publications by
Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh, who resides at present in the State of
Oregon.

I am convinced that he is a man of great
knowledge and wisdom, although his teachings are not infallible
and can easily be misunderstood. Yet I believe the western world
may learn of him.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Frank Van hoogenbemt', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and somewhat stylized.

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