

GENERAL ASSIGNMENT OF COPYRIGHT

THIS AGREEMENT is made between RAJNEESH FOUNDATION, a Charitable Trust, 17 Koregaon Park, Pune 411 001, India (hereinafter referred to as the "Foundation") and CHIDVILAS RAJNEESH MEDITATION CENTER, a non-profit corporation, 154 Valley Road, Montclair, New Jersey, U.S.A. (hereinafter referred to as "Chidvilas").

By virtue of a declaration of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh dated the 28th day of July, 1978, the Foundation is the exclusive owner of the copyrights in all books, articles, speeches, writings and other works written or delivered by the said Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh, except in so far as the Foundation has assigned any interest in one or more of such works to any other person or organization.

Both the Foundation and Chidvilas are non-profit organizations whose main purpose is to spread the teachings of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh. To further that purpose the Foundation is executing this assignment in consideration of Chidvilas's agreement to adhere to said purpose.

Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh agrees with the Foundation's desire to the above mentioned assignment of copyright and has signed a declaration to this effect, a copy of which is attached and marked as Exhibit "A".

THEREFORE:

1. The Foundation assigns to Chidvilas all the Foundation's right, title, and interest in all existing and future works of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh any translations, abridgements, selections, compilations, derivations, and reproductions in any form whatsoever of said works, and the copyrights therein, and all the profit, benefit and advantage to be derived from printing, publishing and reproducing the same in any form

whatsoever for the entire period for which copyright exists and for any renewal thereof, with full power and authority to apply for and receive the renewal and extension thereof.

2. The parties agree that this agreement is binding upon their respective executors, administrators, heirs, and assigns.

3. The parties agree that should any dispute arise under this agreement which is not capable of mutual resolution by the parties then jurisdiction shall be at the option of Chidvilas, or its assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have set our hands this 1st day of April, 1981.

Signed for and on behalf of
Rajneesh Foundation

Signed for and on behalf
of Chidvilas Rajneesh
Meditation Center

Yogendra Manu

Asha Arjun

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Witness J. P. M. M.

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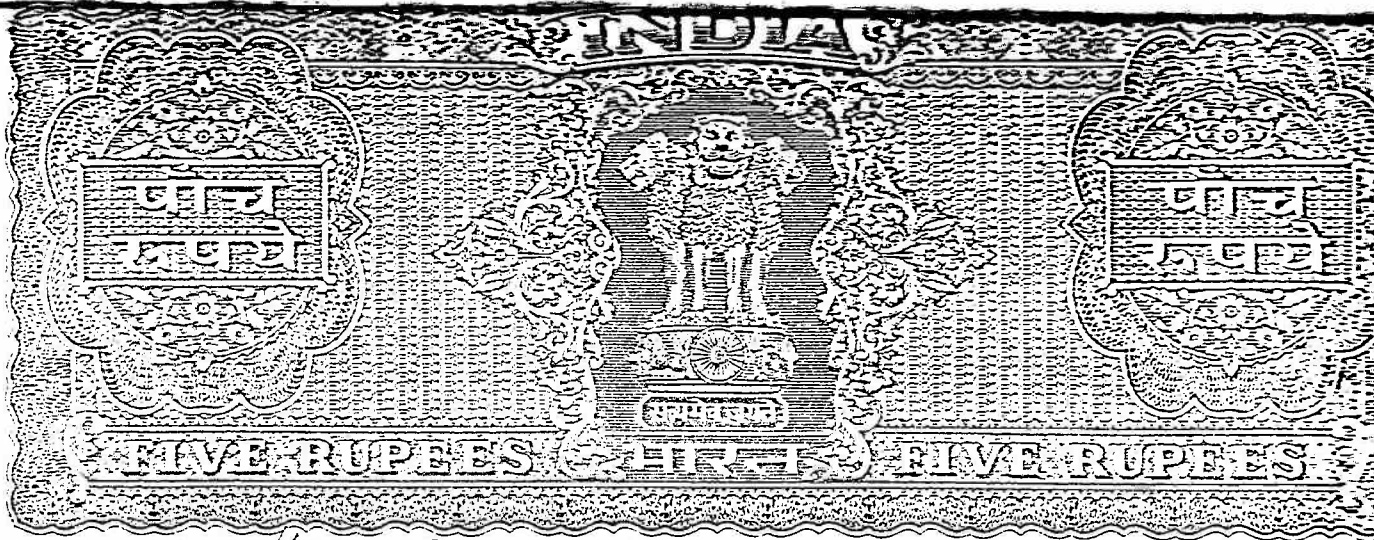
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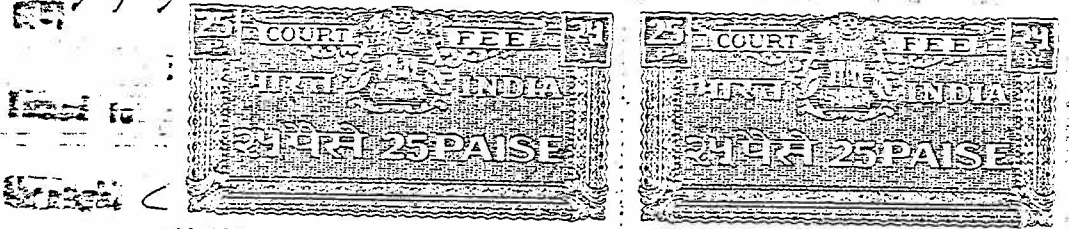
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Clear Verdict

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:
I, BHAGWAN SHREE RAJNEESH, Indian inhabitant (hereinafter referred to as "The Declarant") SEND GREETINGS:

WHEREAS:-

- i) By a Certificate of Incorporation dated 15th April 1975 a charitable non-profit making corporation known as "Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center" for the charitable purposes therein mentioned (hereinafter referred to as "Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center"):-
- ii) The members of the said Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center have requested the Declarant to make this Declaration so as to enable Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center to establish its title in the Books, Pamphlets, Papers and Tape records.

NOW I the said BHAGWAN SHREE RAJNEESH HEREBY DECLARE AND STATE as follows:

1. I say the exclusive printing and publishing rights in the said Books, Articles, Speeches, Writings and other Works heretofore written or delivered as the case may be by The Declarant and the Books, Articles, Speeches, Writings and other Works to be hereafter written or delivered by the Declarant (hereinafter referred to as "the said Works"), have or shall be the property of the said Chidvilas Rajneesh

Meditation Center. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center has agreed to the conditions hereinafter appearing as regards the said Works.

2. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center shall give all such information and particulars as the Declarant may require from time to time in respect of the publication of the said Works. The publishers shall publish the said Works at their own cost.
3. The Declarant shall deliver to Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center the completed typescript of the Works and Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center shall print, produce, publish and sell the Works at its own cost and expenses in such manner and style and at such prices as Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center may at its discretion deem fit.
4. The Declarant has given to Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center a List of the books, articles and writings so far written by the Declarant and shall as and when any further books and articles are written, or any speeches are delivered, he shall furnish copies thereof to Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center to enable them to publish the same as aforesaid.
5. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center shall have the sole and exclusive right of publishing, republishing and producing in any part of the world the said Works and all translations, abridgements and selections in any of the languages whatsoever and/or grant licences for the said purposes PROVIDED HOWEVER no translation or abridgement shall be made except with the written consent of the Declarant and on the terms imposed by him and all such grants shall be subject to this Declaration. The Declarant shall not publish or cause to be published in any part of the world any copy of the Works or any translation, abridgement or selection thereof. The entire control and right of publication, production, publicity and sales shall remain with the Publishers who will be entitled to all emoluments and profits thereof.
6. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center shall, at its own risk and expenses, and at the convenience, produce and publish

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the said Works and push the sale of the same. The production publication, publicity and sale of the said Works shall be controlled entirely by Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center and it shall have full right and authority to republish and produce all such Works either by itself or through its agents in any part of the world.

7. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center has agreed to deliver to the Declarant free of charge three (3) presentatio copies of the Works when ready.

8. The Declarant hereby reserves the right to decline to give right for publication of any future book or writing hereafter written by him.

9. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center shall not pub or authorize anybody to publish an abridgement of any of the Works of the Declarant except with the consent in writing of the Declarant.

10. Chidvilas has undertaken to see that the proofs of the said Works are properly corrected and revised.

11. Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center has agreed th the name of the Declarant as the Author shall appear in its customary form in due prominence on the title page and on th binding of every copy produced, and on all advertisements of the Books issued by Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center or their Agents and Licensees.

12. Should Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center at any time wilfully fail to fulfill or to comply with any of the conditions herein contained, the Licence to publish the said Works shall thereupon determine and the Declarant shall be free to grant Licence to any other person to print and publish the same.

13. The Declarant hereby authorises Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center to use his portraits, photographs, sketches statues and other visual images, as well as his name; and he

consents to such use by Chidvilas Rajneesh Meditation Center of any article, such as books, publications, tapes and any other object or product related to his person.

Solemnly Declared by the)
within-named Author:)
BHAGWAN SHREE RAJNEESH)

~~Signature~~

this 1st day of April, 1981)