

**INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR KRISHNA CONSCIOUSNESS**  
*Founder-Acarya: His Divine Grace A. C. Bhaktivedanta Swami Prabhupada*

Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICIAL RECOMMENDATION FOR ASPIRANTS FOR SHELTER/ INITIATION {V1. 0}**

To (Name of Diksa Guru): **HH Bhakti Ashraya Vaisnava Swami**

Please accept my humble obeisances. All glories to Srila Prabhupada.

It is my pleasure to recommend: \_\_\_\_\_

to be accepted by you as an "aspirant for shelter and initiation". He/ She has been connected with the Krishna consciousness movement for more than one year, as a congregational member, Temple Resident or as a child being brought up in a Krishna-conscious devotee's household. He/ She is mature enough to understand the importance of this decision. Therefore I approve that he/ she cultivates a personal spiritual relationship with you by taking personal guidance, and instructions accepting you as his/ her primary siksa guru and aspired future diksa guru as per ISKCON Law.

Your servant, \_\_\_\_\_ ( Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (Title)  
\_\_\_\_\_ ( Place) \_\_\_\_\_ ( Date)

**General and Spiritual Information**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Male Female Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

Devotional services: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation (if working): \_\_\_\_\_

**Present Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No's: home: \_\_\_\_\_ office: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

**Permanent Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No's: home: \_\_\_\_\_ office: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Marriage status: Single/ Seeking/ Engaged/ Married/ Separated/ divorced/ Widow;

Name of spouse (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse KC Status [ \_\_\_\_\_ ]

Name of children and their birth year / age: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a child of ISKCON Devotees? (Yes/No) Devotee relative name: \_\_\_\_\_

Is in contact with Krishna consciousness for \_\_\_\_\_ years/ months. Live in a temple or temple community (Yes/No)

Is connected to a temple? (Yes/No) Name of the temple: \_\_\_\_\_

Is a member of a Nama Hatta? Yes/No. Follows 4/ \_\_\_\_\_ regulative principles for \_\_\_\_\_ years/ months.

Chants Hare Krishna japa for \_\_\_\_\_ years/ months & 16/ \_\_\_\_\_ rounds for \_\_\_\_\_ Months/ Years

Siksa Guru( s): \_\_\_\_\_ Guiding devotee( s): \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail (COM) Internet services**

E-mail (personal/ contact): \_\_\_\_\_