Letter of Appreciation

To Herb Feith Foundation,

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Dear Representative of Herb Feith Foundation,

I am writing to you on expressing my gratitude for the support to my Ph.D. research. I am Sunaryo. I am student of Ph.D. program in Driyarkara School of Philosophy, Jakarta, supported by Herb Feith Foundation. My Ph.D. research is about the theory of freedom according to Amartya Sen, a respected economist, social theorist and philosopher. Through this research I will try to analyze the distinctiveness of Amartya Sen’s theory of freedom and its implication in overcoming the barriers and obstacles of freedom.

I am very grateful to Herb Feith Foundation for the support and sponsorship to my Ph.D. research. I hope this support will help my study, and thereby I could contribute the theoretical and practical explanation on strengthening the quality of democratic life in Indonesia. As we know, after Reformasi we live under a democratic system, but at the same time many substantive freedoms are denied. In my case, I would see into the theoretical analyses to understand the condition, among which the Amartya Sen’s approach of freedom could contribute.

I thank you.

Sincerely yours,

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