

16, Ramanathan Chetty St.,
Kilpauk, Madras 10,
India.

February 4, 1972.

Mr. Wallace Thompson,
A.S.E.A.,
405, Sansome St.
San Fransisco.

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Dear Mr Thompson,

I have received your contract,
for which I thank you. I am very happy with the
contents thereof, with only one small exception.
With regard to clause "C" of the contract, I
must state my views very candidly, as follows:
I am not in a position to accept any filming
or televising assignments. This fact I have
already drawn to the kind attention of A.S.E.A.
I am signing the contract as it is now drawn up
with full confidence that the Society will respect
my wishes in this matter. I do hope there will
be no misunderstanding on this point. The other
clauses in the contract are all agreeable.

Regarding my date of departure,
I am expecting to leave Madras by the end of March
in order to take up my teaching assignment at
CALARTS. However, until I receive definite confirmation
from them, I cannot set my date of departure for sure.
In case I do leave Madras at the end of March, Ganesha
and the singer will join me later, in time for the

A.S.E.A

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A.S.E.A. Summer Programme. The singer's name is Mr. M.S. Ramdas. His passport has been applied for, and we will furnish details as soon as possible regarding both his and Ganesh's passports.

In conclusion, let me say once again how very honoured I am to participate in the A.S.E.A. Summer Programme this year.

Yours sincerely,

J. Balasaraswati

(Balasaraswati)

P.s. I would like to travel by Japan Airlines.