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To
Cleveland Public Library
325 & 525 Superior Avenue
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Dear Sir,

It gives me immense pleasure to announce publication of first book in Marathi language with title "F1-Story". The book is about my student life experiences when I was doing my Masters (1996-1998) at Cleveland State University. The student visa category for international students studying in the United States is "F1" so the book title itself talks about the content.

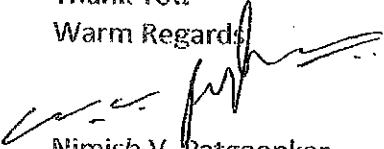
As an International student stepping out first time out of my home in India to a completely new environment, I was knowing nothing about Cleveland neither I had any friends. During that settling time, I suddenly found one trusted friend in the form of "Cleveland Public Library".

I still remember my first visit to the Library and was amazed by the type of collections in the library. The surprise level reached to peak when I visited International Section on 9th floor and found rich collection of books in my mother tongue "Marathi".

Today I am author, newspaper columnist but to be honest, reading was not one of my primary hobby till I came to the United States. It's Cleveland Public Library who cultivated my reading and eventually I discovered writer in myself.

I owe a lot to Cleveland Public Library and would sincerely thank for the great collection and great work. As a gratitude, I would like to contribute to International literature – Marathi section with copy of my book "F1-Story". I will be really grateful and honoured if you accept my book in the collection.

Thank You
Warm Regards


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