‘Lift ban on Muslims practising Yoga’

MYSORE: JAGGI Vasudev, founder of Isha Yoga Centre, is against the issuing of a ‘fatwa’ which will put a ban on Yoga practice by Muslims in Islamic countries. He said that Yoga is above religion or culture and banning Yoga is the height of ignorance.

Asked about his reaction on a few Islamic clerics issuing the ‘fatwa’ in Malaysia, he countered: “Is it a right move to ban Yoga for the only reason that it developed in this part of the world? India is the only secular country where everybody has the right to worship or even be atheist. I am against fiddling with religion for personal gains.” ~ENS