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Dear Rabbi Lamm:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter with regard to the recent hearings held by the Senate Committee on Mental Hygiene.

I'm extremely sorry that these hearings were held in conflict with the end of the Passover Holidays. We had originally planned to hold them on a week day. However, due to the abnormal length of the Legislative Session, a Saturday had to be selected.

I assure you that at the time the date of April 24 was chosen, we had overlooked that this was the end of the Passover Holidays. Certainly, if we had been cognizant of the fact, we would have chosen another date.

Thank you again for writing us and calling this to our attention.

Sincerely,

Marred Chrasten

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