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Rabbi Norman Lamm The Jewish Center 131 West 86th Street New York, New York

Dear Rabbi Lamm:

Although we may have been contemporaries at Yeshiva, I am not certain that we have ever met. I graduated from the College in 1947.

As you are probably well aware, an article of yours on the Fifth Amendment and Halakhah was cited by Chief Justice Warren in a footnote to the famous Miranda case. I have been interested for a long time in the problem of confessions in criminal cases and particularly where Jewish law has application.

I am interested in obtaining a copy of your article, and I wonder whether you have any reprints or copies available. If there is any expense involved, please let me know or if you have a copy that I might be able to Xerox I would certainly appreciate it.

I am a subscriber to Tradition and have enjoyed reading your articles, and look forward to seeing the one on the Fifth Amendment.

By the way do you know of any articles on capital punishment and Talmudic law? I would appreciate any help you can give me.

With kindest regards to you and to Rabbi Jung, my former professor and a man I greatly admire.

Sincerely,

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