

Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of India

C/o Magen Hasidim Synagogue,
8, Moreland Road,

BOMBAY-11, INDIA

Dated April 12, 1963,

Dear Rabbi Lamm,

As was expected, certain elements on the instigation of certain other elements have started the campaign against the acceptance of the two Rabbis from Israel. To cut down my narrative short, I have enclosed herewith copies of correspondence exchanged and a circular letter from the 'Bene-Israel Purity Justification Committee'.

The stand of the Executive of the Orthodox Union is quite firm in the matter and against any odds we shall not only accept but make the visit of the Rabbis a success.

The United Synagogue of India has presently deferred adopting decision with regards to the acceptance or otherwise by their affiliates. However, I have this from a most reliable source that ~~whatever~~ their decision, the Thana Synagogue and the Parel Prayer Hall are going to accept them and also place certain pending cases they have before these Rabbis for disposal.

I am anxiously awaiting word from you and Dr. Weiss. Kindly write as early as you can.

With all the best wishes,

Most sincerely yours,

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