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19th November 1969

Rabbi Dr. Norman Lamm,
27 West 86th Street, N.Y.,
New York 10024,
U.S.A.

Dear Rabbi Lamm,

I am writing to enquire whether you, together with your Wife, would consider travelling to London to be the Guests of Honour at a Dinner we are holding at the King David Suite, Marble Arch, W.1., on Wednesday evening, April 1st next. The occasion is to mark the opening of the completed new School buildings which will replace the obsolete premises the School has been occupying for the past twenty five years.

The School was founded by Rabbi Dr. E. Munk, and others, and is now looked upon as one of the leading Jewish Primary Schools in the United Kingdom, with 300 pupils between the ages of 5 and 11, and an associated Kindergarten - in other premises with some 70 children.

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This particular celebration is not only that the new School buildings have been constructed complete with a swimming pool, but that as a result of this the School will become State Aided, and the parents will no longer have to continue to bear the burden of the ever increasing School fees. At the same time the Education Authority leave us with complete freedom in regard to the Jewish studies.

Enclosed herewith is a Souvenir Brochure of the Dinner that was held on June 25th last, to celebrate the Laying of the Foundation Stone, and at which Chief Rabbi Immanuel Jakobovits was the Guest of Honour, and which gives some indication of the work that is being done. At the end of this Dinner we would be appealing for funds to help to clear the loans we have had to raise to get the buildings erected, and it is felt that in addition to you and your Wife gracing the Dinner with your distinguished presence, we will also have the opportunity of listening to one of your erudite and inspiring addresses, and the Guests would be very greatly stimulated and encouraged.

I look forward to hearing favourably from you, and need hardly add that all expenses will be looked after.

With kindest regards,

Yours very sincerely,



A. Lawson.
Chairman of the Board of Governors.

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