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India
Dear Mr. Stern:

A few weeks ago, I sent you a photocopy of a letter from Mr. A.D. Jhirad, the Executive Director of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of India.

The halachic questions contained in this letter I referred to the Rabbinical Council of America, in keeping with the policy of the Orthodox Union not to answer halachic inquiries.

As far as the request for budgetary assistance is concerned, you were good enough, in the last several years, to make available the amount of \$500.00 for this purpose, as part of your generous pledge of \$10,000 on which there is still a balance of \$1,500. May I recommend that we send them again the same amount.

There is a further inquiry whether we could give financial or other assistance to a student who has secured admission to the Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago. I would say that such financial support is not incumbent upon the Orthodox Union. However, I recommend that we alert our friends in Chicago to the arrival of this young man and ask them to befriend him and to make their hospitality available to him. I shall greatly appreciate your opinion and advice.

With all good wishes and kindest personal regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Dr. Samson R. Weiss

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