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Dear Rabbi Lamm,

It was a great pleasure meeting you during my recent visit to New York, and I am indeed pleased that my proposal to you to visit us may well materialise.

I have no doubt whatever that this visit will prove of benefit to everyone concerned.

Within the next two or three weeks we shall be having a smaller conference here specifically devoted to the content of Hebrew and Jewish Education in our day-schools. It has been the contention of some that insufficient time is devoted to Hebrew and Jewish Education and in fact our pupils receive a very superficial knowledge.

In order to provide some basis of comparison I would be most grateful to you if you could send me a specimen typical syllabus of a Jewish day-school in New York. I refer of course to a school that has to cover a secular syllabus laid down by the Government Education Department. Our schools cater up to the matric. i.e. the University entrance examination, which means that a child who begins his education in our schools has twelve years with us.

I would be interested to know how many hours constitute a complete school day and what portion of this time is devoted to specific Hebrew and Jewish studies.

May I take this opportunity of wishing you and your family health and happiness in the coming year.

With kindest regards and best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

H.S. LIEBOTT.