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Rabbi Louis Gerstein  
Shearith Israel Congregation  
8 West 70th Street  
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Dear Rabbi Gerstein:

It has been brought to my attention that very often the time that we give in our respective Bulletins for the end of the Sabbath varies from one synagogue to another. We can appreciate, of course, that laymen sometimes wonder which is really correct, and, naturally, prefer the earlier time.

May I suggest, therefore, that all of us in the midtown area follow one system. That could be either the schedule published by the Vaad Harabbonim, or that proposed by Mr. Edgar Frank.

Please let me know your thoughts about the matter so that we can have this accomplished even in time for the rest of the season.

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Norman Lamm