

February 7, 1973

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Dear Danny:

I just want to tell you how very very much I personally appreciate the trouble and expense you went to in calling me yesterday (February 6) about the conversation you had concerning me. Although the facts you reported were not supportive of my candidacy, it is far better that I know them than that I be ignorant of them.

As I said, I am grateful to you and consider your call an act of genuine friendship. However, I would not at all want the cost of the call to be borne by anyone else but myself. So, without any protests, please please let me know how much the call cost and I will be glad to remit the cost either to you or to Gesher. Furthermore, I implore you not to hesitate but to call me whenever you think you have information that may be useful to me.

All my fondest regards to your wife, whom *Mindy* and I were so pleased to see in Jerusalem when we were there last.

Cordially,

RABBI NORMAN LAMM

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