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Dear Rabbi Twersky:

In reference to our telephone conversation yesterday, I hasten to assure you that the two Russian girls, Miss Miriam Schiocmmeu and Miss Mira Wilenkin, are attending Stern College for Women, on full scholarship at the behest of Mr. Max Stern.

At the beginning of last semester, I was approached by Rabbi Okunov of the Friends of Refugees of Eastern Europe about the young ladies who, understandably, are without the means to obtain a higher education. I discussed the matter with Mr. Stern and he expressed a genuine interest in the case and arranged for them to attend without payment. Subsequently, Dr. Belkin himself told me that he was aware of the two girls attending on scholarship and obviously pleased with it.

I have since heard from Rabbi Okunov that they are progressing and are not only happy with the school, but also comfortable in their Jewish growth.

I will be grateful to you for allowing them to continue for the forthcoming semester under the same conditions.

Cordially,

RABBI NORMAN LAMM

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