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To  
Chaver Chaim Charas.  
Ichud Hakvutzot v'Hakibutzim.  
Tel-Aviv.

Dear Chaver,

We received your letter dated February 16th. The fact is that we didn't answer before by the astonishment, and, to state it truthly, also disgust that your letter brought us. In short words, the fact is, that the promise when I was in Israel, May 1954, wasn't to make the biggest efforts but was to send the taksiv.

We are sure that if you will talk again to Ios-sef Israeli - with whom were all my contacts in matters concerning the Ichud - he will remember. By the way, Israeli's letter dated 3/10/54 ( which we answered in 6/12/54) states that the taksiv is not anual, to what we agreed and wrote so.

Anyhow, whatever the case was, the factual circumstances are that we are unable to maintain the good and strong position to which the Inua came, without getting this taksiv. And we aren't even mentioning any strengthening of the situation and work.

We consider it unnecessary to go in details again, once that our letters dated August 26th, 1954 and December 6th 1954, explain everything. Besides that, Etrog, who recently returned from Brasil is in a splendid position to give all necessary details.

We are coming back to this matter against our will, and the reason is easily understood: our work sufered tremendously when after months and months of plans and expenses the taksiv didn't come. Untill now the awaited shlichim didn't arrive either - and one more year passed since I was in Israel - and at least, we thing, should get this help for internal shlichut. Would be grateful if you would take up this matter again with the chaverim.

To Hanan Yavor we also wrote in December 6th and until now didn't get an answer. By your files you can verify it, once that copy of the mentioned letter was sent to you. Anyhow we are sending another letter to him, of which a copy is enclosed.



We thank you for all in anticipation, and ask you to transmit  
also my recommendations to Iossef Israeli.

We remain with our

Alei V'Hagshem !

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Erwin Semmel.

Note-: Inclosed copy of letter to Hanan Yavor.