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Dear Mr. Lutz,

Reports which have been reaching us steadily during the past year, and which are still coming to hand almost daily, all speak of the tremendous assistance which you gave to Hungarian Jewry during the time you were Swiss Consul in Budapest. All our friends agree that large numbers of Jews, probably running into thousands, owe their very lives to your courageous intervention with the authorities and your constant readiness to help in every way that was open to you.

Although we know that it is impossible to express our gratitude to you in a mere letter of thanks, we should like you to feel that your great humanitarian work has not gone unnoticed or unappreciated in Palestine. The Jewish Agency, which speaks for the Jewish people all over the world, would like you to know that you will always be remembered in our annals as one of the relatively few men who had the honesty and courage to stand up to our persecutors.

Please accept this as a sincere expression, however inadequate, of the gratitude we all feel.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard Joseph EXECUTIVE OF THE JEWISH AGENCY

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