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Dear Yechiel,

Thank you for your round robin review.

To answer your question first: We will give an additional \$25,000 to help the Romas in the Czech Republic if you recommend it. If you feel that the same amount of money could do better helping Romas elsewhere, we will follow your recommendation.

Your interview with Ms. Bagaric is very moving.

Will Sue Read attempt to make the movie?

Regarding the orphanage in Dnepopetrovsk, I have come to pretty much the same conclusion. Hence, I plan to give again this year \$30,000 for them via the Joint. Also, I will give an additional \$20,000 to Lubavitch here with the assurance that that will be transmitted in full to the orphanage and be used not for building, but to help more children.

We also plan to send \$30,000 to the Joint to be transmitted to the orphanage in Odessa.

Please do let me know what you think of the school in Vienna. Isabel and I were very impressed, and it may be that children do need outdoor and indoor toys to help them.

With fond regards I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader



Subject: ROUND ROBIN REVIEW

Date: Wed, 21 Feb 2001 19:23:11 -0000

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

To: "Alfred BADER \(E-mail\)" < baderfa@execpc.com>

21 February 2001

Dear Alfred,

Here is a round-robin review.

#### SARAJEVO

Last week, Sue Read came to Sarajevo to explore the possibilities of making a film.

(Your discretionary grant enabled me to subsidize this initial trip).

Together we went to see Mrs. Danica Bagaric, one of the beneficiaries of the Home Care Program you are so generously supporting. Please, find attached a draft article I have written about our visit.

#### VIENNA

Next week, I am set to meet Mag. Bauer of the Zvi Perez Chaes School in Vienna to discuss their use of your donation and will let you know the results.

#### SKOPJE

Tjen, it is off to Skopje to check on the Health & Education Program proposal for Roma women and children you are underwriting. Initial results show that 73% of the Roma women of childbearing age suffer from a sexually transmitted disease. How to treat them? Once treated, how to prevent re-infection in such a complicated and problematic social and economic environment? I will be looking for answers before committing any funds.

Best regards,

Yechiel Bar-Chaim

PS: Please, could you clarify for me: will you indeed continue your support of the Roma Programs in the Czech Republic?

PPS: The story about the Jewish Orphanage in Dnepepetrovisk, as it is unfolding, is a complex one. Best left for a personal conversation. The bottom line, according to my most trusted colleague, is that it is a program truly saving lives, run by dedicated individuals operating in a nearly impossible environment. Loose bookkeeping out of necessity and a lack of training - Yes. Dishonesty - No, is the word I am hearing.

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Sitting upright on a broad sofa, 78 year-old Danica Bagaric welcomes her guests to Sarajevo. Her left arm is completely paralysed from a stroke suffered years ago. She lays it simply in her lap.

Danica, as her helper Tanya explains, barely gets around these days. She walks with great difficulty. Yet her eyes shine brightly and she speaks with surprising animation as she tells her story.

She lives alone in Sarajevo. Never married. But tells of living in a close family. One sister moved away long ago with her husband to the Adriatic Coast. Too far, now that they are both old, to visit anymore. Another sister lives in Israel. The nephew, Doron, is working for an international organization in Kosovo. They too are far away. Danica last left Sarajevo seven years ago during the Bosnian War, when the German government decided to airlift her out of Sarajevo which was then besieged.

In this war the German looked after her. But Danica remembers another war and how the Germans took care of her then. The bluish number tattooed on her paralysed arm, 58165, tells the story. Auschwitz – Birkenau - Dr. Mengele.



She pulls out photos of the records of the medical experiments she was subjected too. We know just enough terman to get the atea.

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Partisans and taken to Auschwitz as a kind of military presence. Office district recognize Tito's Partisans as a legitimate army). But she wouldn't tell us about the medical experiments.

"Don't cry! - She shouts out suddenly. We screwed him!" she crus in a kind of fierce exaltation. "Mengele, you know, he's now dust and dirt, buried in the earth. And we are here".

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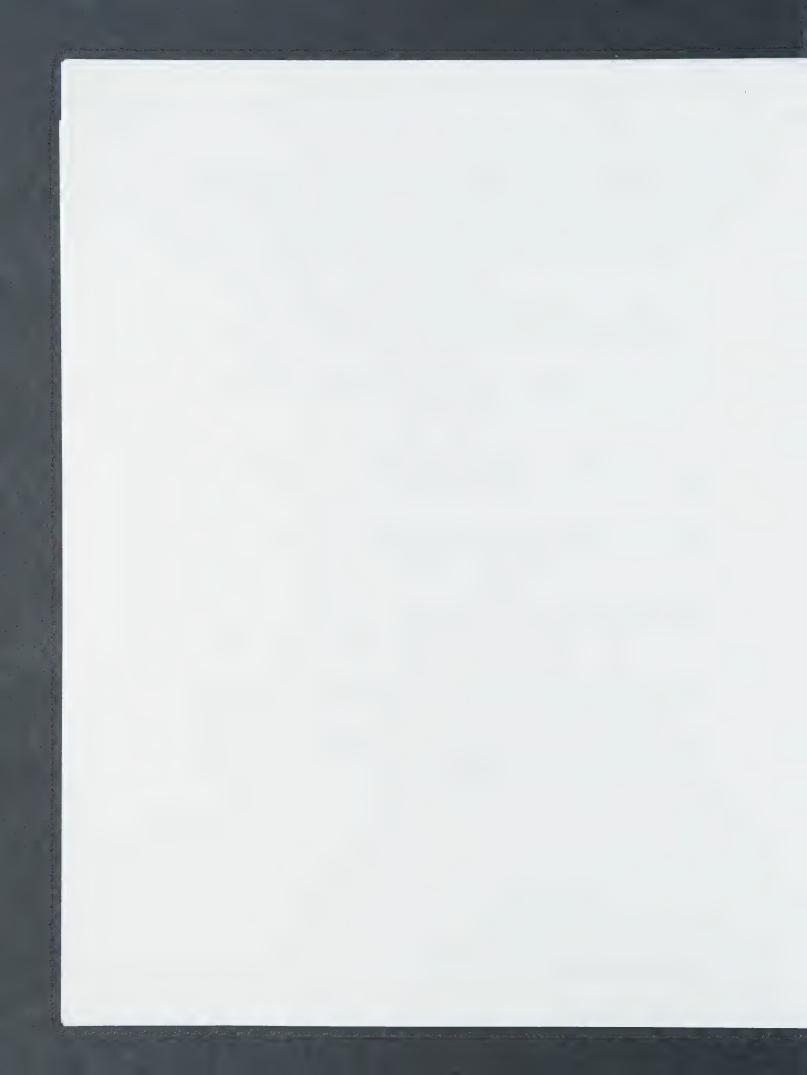


We asked her if at Auschwitz the Germans knew she was Jewish.

Whether it was worse for the Jews or for the quasi-military-prisoners."

But as our questions revealed, we had been blindsided by our own preomneptions. Danies is not Jewish. She's a Croatian Roman Catholic; her brother-in-law in Israel is Jewish. She had joined Trocs Pantisans as an Anti-Fascist. Meagete, it worms hadn't cared manifely even inquire whether she was Jewish or not.

We had come to see Danica because she is one of severely distressed 540 elderly residents of Sarajevo tooked after by Lac Beneyolencija, the local Jewish Cultural, Educational, and Humanitarian Aid Organization. The JONN - The American Jewish John Distribution Committee - hus about a feed one of the Beneyolencija's major backers, and I had spent a good part of the Bosnian war belping them set up an international network of donors. Fo me oligible for the medical and home care program you face to be obtain, alone, poor and chronically ill.



Operating since the middle of the war in Bosnia, the program is
the nuly one of its kind in Sarajevo. More than 180 of the buildens or
the laws, all of them Holocaust survivors. The majority in Serbe
Counts, Muslims, Roma (Copsies) and others (including one Seventh
Day Adventist).

A multi-ethnic team of 35 home care workers fan out each day
from the rose-colored synagogue on the bank of Sarajeva's Miljacka
River to look after these elderly in distress. An outpation medical chare
meaned in the synagogue building sends and daylors and any as to make
from visus to show boneficiaries who live tourse away to come there or
who can not move at all.

Since the war ended, La Benevolencijn's Home Care Program for the Elderly has drawn support from all over: The European Union Sopos, L.K. Jewish And...etc. The Germans too have been especially noncrous through 11014.

We always knew though that the international donor community wantst move on, that our help would be needed to sustain the program in the long run. This year the Home Care Program is financed by the JOPCI. Dr. Alfred Bader of Wilwaukee (USA) and the Friends of La Banevoleneija in Germany and Switzerland.



Danica Bagarie is just one of 540 beneficiaries. Take others in the program, she lives on a pension of less than \$ 100 a month.

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Anyone wishing to support La Benevolencija's Home Care Program is invited to send his or her contribution to:

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Signed: Yechiel Bur-Chain The writer is the .INC representative for the countries that were once Yugoslavia





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February 27, 2001

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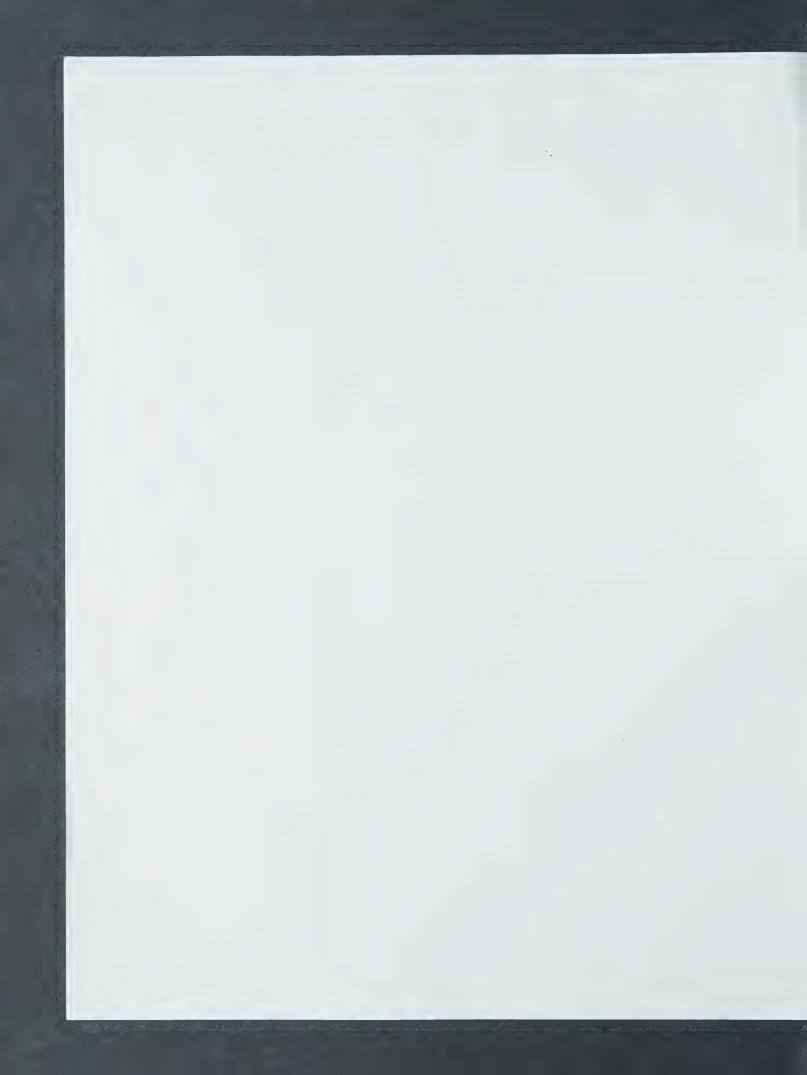
Dear Rabbi Bradpiece,

In response to your letter of February 20<sup>th</sup>, there is really no need for you to visit me in Milwaukee because I have already sent my contribution for the Odessa orphanage to the Joint, as shown on the enclosed.

With best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az Enc.





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Dear Yechiel.

Thank you for your e-mail of yesterday. We have a mutual admiration society started!

Isabel and I will be in New York next week and if convenient to Tzivia Bieler and perhaps even to Michael Schneider, we will stop there and deliver my check for \$50,000 by hand.

Being on a waiting list when old and sick is terrible. Please make absolutely certain that these 70 are looked after right away.

To turn to a different matter: when we visited Vienna last June I was very much impressed by the Chajes School and left them a check for \$10,000, made out to the Joint to help them. Of course I had hoped that they would be able to use the funds to admit more eastern European children coming to Vienna. Recently I received a note saying that the funds were used to buy toys for the children.

I had looked forward to giving them funds every year, but it had never occurred to me that the money would be used to buy toys; surely not our first priority. Next time you are in Vienna could you make a phone call to discuss this - the person in charge is Mag. Jutta Bauer.

With many thanks for all your help I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

Yechiel Bar-Chaim wrote:

17 January 2001

Dear Alfred.

You are wonderful.

My friends at La Benevolencija in Sarajevo have agreed to take on the 70 persons from the waiting list.

They hope/expect to be able to raise the missing funds during the course of the year, perhaps still fluctuating exchange rates will help. We are drawing up a formal agreement to cover all essential points: coverage, finances, and reporting.

Personally I am so very grateful. Your prompt backing enables the JOINT to move ahead quickly and see that good things get done.

Sincerely yours,

Yechiel.





Dear Yechiel,

Thank you for your e-mail.

If the 70 on the waiting list in Sarajevo can be included, I will send my check to the Joint in New York. I am leaving on Thursday afternoon, January 18th, and returning on Friday, January 26th. I don't suppose that you can get agreement by Thursday, so the check will have to wait until my return.

When I was a boy of 15 I received my first reward for good work at school, specifically, the *Book of Genesis*, edited by Dr. J. H. Hertz, inscribed to me by a Rabbi in Brighton, "To Alfred, for excellent work in Hebrew, May 17, 1939". My work in Hebrew hasn't improved much, but I still use Hertz's commentaries and quote his to Verse 28 of Chapter 37 in Genesis:

28. *Midianites*. In the meantime, while the brethren were at the meal, some Midianite merchants, casually passing by and hearing human cries from the pit near the roadside, carry off Joseph and sell him to the caravan going to Egypt. The brothers did not thus actually sell Joseph. He was "stolen away", as he himself says in XL, 15 (Rashbam, Luzzatto).

You know how many Rabbis there are in Israel and how many different opinions they have. I understand that there is a computer program telling you to which Rabbi or Rabbis to go if you want which particular answer. This probably does not yet apply to commentaries in the Bible, but it may in time.

With many thanks for all your help and with fond regards I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

Yechiel Bar-Chaim wrote:

Dear Alfred,

Many thanks for your response. I can't thank you enough. Let me share with you the following.

Entrepreneurship Training:

The history of our involvement in Entrepreneurship Training Program is a checkered one. My original inspiration came from personal experience at Harvard, where I saw firsthand at the HSA (Harvard Student Agencies, Inc.) --- of which I became President in a previous incarnation --- just how exciting and liberating entrepreneurship can be.

What we did in Sarajevo led to some solid achievements, including training of refugees in preparation for their return. We were never able to overcome satisfactorily, however, a key local staffing problem, and in the absence of dynamic local leadership the market moved on. For the program to survive and become self-sufficient we needed to be able to find more dynamic local management and persuade the Soros organization to agree to a change. This we were unable to do.



Even though the initial center is closed, soon we do expect to launch the heretofore unrealized Mentoring aspect of the program --- training local experts as small business consultants and subsidizing their use by the recipients of small business loans from the La Benevolencija Loan Fund. Having learned our lesson, we have defined the tasks for this part of the program so that JDC experts can implement it according to their own best judgment and not be frustrated by the intricacies of co-management.

Even when we were experiencing these difficulties in Sarajevo, we tried again with Soros support to launch the program in Podgorica, Montenegro, but there my colleagues and I ran into even more serious problems in trying to make the local partnership work. So after two trial seminars, (that were very successful in themselves) we decided nonetheless not to continue.

Now we are indeed replicating the Entrepreneurship program in Belgrade, this time with the entire management and financial control essentially in JDC hands. We work with a local committee from the Belgrade Jewish Community that is much more open and accepting of our expertise than our previous partners. They have even formed a special business club --- something we could never get going in Sarajevo. In fact I should be sending you soon a new more detailed proposal concerning this effort.

In Macedonia we have interested other organizations in applying to Soros to do something similar (vocational orientation and job training) with Roma women. JDC experts from Israel would work for this project, but I am not planning for the JOINT to be the implementing organization.

## Home Care in Sarajevo

I immediately communicated your generous offer to the leadership of La Benevolencija in Sarajevo. They are of course delighted. To meet your request, I asked them to find a way to include immediately the 70 persons on the waiting list, trusting that we will come up with the rest of their ideal budget one way or the other. I await their response.

It came to me that this project in Sarajevo might be the best example of the kind of program that Sue Reed would like to film. So, after speaking to her by phone, I am sending her a copy of my original letter to you.

### The Orphanage in Dnepopetrovsk

As I said to Isabel when I called from Sarajevo, the JOINT and WJR are both taking very seriously the issues you raised concerning the budget of this orphanage. The persons directly in charge or our activities in that region have been instructed to verify the actual situation at the orphanage and produce information that can be counted on. I hope that JDC will have the results fairly soon.

I can only apologize to you that I served as an unwitting conduit for a



proposal that was badly flawed. I know that WJR is also red-faced over the matter and to the best of my knowledge they are also conducting their own inquiry.

An Endowment for a Chemistry Professorship in Brno (or for any other purpose)

The JDC person in charge of such matters has authorized me to say that JDC would be ready to manage an endowment that you would wish to set up and to guarantee that the endowment would yield annually an agreed-upon rate of interest. (More than the Harvard example you cite in your memoirs, I assure you).

If you are interested, please let me know the kind of arrangement you seek.

Joseph and His Brothers

I was just in Prague with a very distinguished Israeli rabbi, Rabbi Menachem HaCohen. He is a most unusual man, the scion of a most traditional Jerusalem rabbinical family, he became for 15 years a Knesset member for the Labor Party. The rabbi for the Kibbutzim and Moshavim, he has counted among his friends and mentors Hugo Bergman, Max Brod, David Ben-Gurion, and the Lubavitcher Rebbe. He has written commentaries on the Torah among other books.

When I tried to engage him on this question as to who sold Joseph into slavery in Egypt, he said it was the brothers of course, and despite his generally liberal and open approach didn't seem to think there was any question about it. So now, after reluctantly getting to the point of being ready to consider that the brothers were not quite so directly to blame, I don't know what to think.

Jewish Elderly in Moravia

FYI I am using some of the undesignated money you gave to equip Day Centers for the Elderly in Ostrava and Olomouc. Thank you again.

Best regards to you and Isabel (and Daniel)

Sincerely yours,

Yechiel

----Original Message----

From: Bader Fine Arts [mailto:baderfa@execpc.com]

Sent: mercredi 10 janvier 2001 23:19

To: Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chaim

Subject: Your e-mail of January 3rd

Dear Yechiel,



I am sorry that my reply to your long e-mail of January 3rd has been so delayed, but I have been trying very hard to catch up with all the work that accumulated while we were in England

Your e-mail is both disappointing and challenging.

It is disappointing because you wrote that the Entrepreneurship Training Center, which we helped finance, could not be sustained economically. I had understood earlier that it was a success and was actually being duplicated elsewhere.

I am very intrigued by the Home Care Program which helps so many people, 182 Jews among a total of 470. Even 3 Roma are included!

In the last paragraph of the budget it says that an additional 70 persons now on the waiting list could be included if only someone would donate DM 30,500 more and of that the Joint is willing to pay half.

Perhaps I am too demanding, but supposing that I sent you promptly \$50,000, could those 70 persons on the waiting list be included?

As soon as I have your and Michael Schneider's response, I will send you my check.

With all good wishes I remain

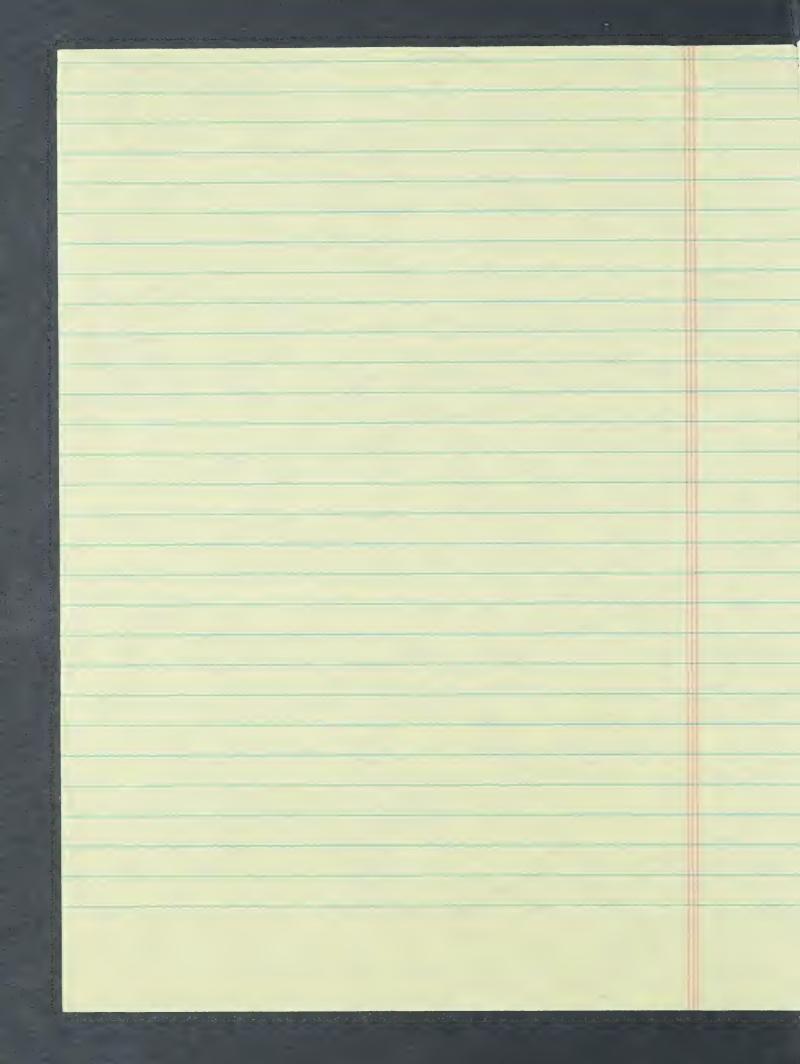
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Dear Mr Bader.

In front of La Benevolencija Yugoslavia we would like to express our gratitude for your second donation of 10.000

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We will send you the photos after realisation of our activity.

We hope that you will visit us sometime, and to make sure in person that we are trying our best to help as many people as possible in overcoming difficult conditions of life.

Thank you again and Happy Hanukah

Sincerely,

General secretar Nenad Ivanisevic President Mira Poljakovic



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December 31, 2001

Mrs. Cordelia Taylor, Administrator, CEO Family House Inc. Medical Assessment & Referral Clinic 3269 N. 11<sup>th</sup> Street Milwaukee, WI 53206

Dear Mrs. Taylor,

I have now had a chance to discuss your interesting, undated, 5-page description about your new 18 bed facility with my son, Daniel Bader.

It is clear to both of us that this is indeed a very worthwhile effort and I enclose my check for \$50,000 to help you in this.

As soon as I have heard from Professor Battle, I will be back to you to discuss your proposal to help mentoring students.

With all good wishes for a happy and healthy 2002 I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az Enc. – ck. \$50,000 C: Mr. Daniel Bader



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# Family House Inc.

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Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Dear Dr. and Mrs. Bader,

I hope that this correspondence finds you and your family in the best of health and making preparations for a joyous holiday season.

The last time we met you requested that I give some thought to what projects Family House, Inc. will undertake in the near future and what our needs relative to these are. Subsequent to our meeting the administration of Family House, Inc. revisited the projects temporarily halted in order to, in one instance, eliminate and/or contain drug trafficking to stabilize the area and in the other impact the overall community (health) quality of life. To assist us in the determination of our next priority project the Board and administration of Family House, Inc. looked into what the most pressing needs within the community are as voiced by it residents. The final selection criteria employed was based upon community need in combination with the agency's mission and service delivery experiences.

Family House, Inc. has determined that our next project priority will be the completion of



construction and operation of an eighteen (18) bed Class C. community based residential care facility (CBRF) on the properties located at 3291, 3293 and 3295 North Eleventh Street. The total cost of the project is estimated to be five hundred eight nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$589,700.00). To date we have raised two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,00.00) for the project. Family House, Inc is currently seeking the balance of funds needed for the project in the amount of three hundred eighty nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$389,700.00).

Various sources have been asked to contribute funds toward the construction of this facility and the overall increased resident bed capacity of Family House, Inc. The balance of funds needed for the completion of the project are currently being sought through a variety of avenues. To date foundations, loan entities, grantors, private citizens and the private sector are being asked to assist us in this endeavor through gifts of financial support.

The original cost projections for the building were done in late 1999. It was estimated then that the entire facility could be constructed for approximately three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00). At that time the building was designed to house a maximum capacity of only twelve (12) residents. Since that time a number of factors potentially impacting the costs of the facility have become financial realities. It is now estimated that the facility will cost approximately five hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$590,000.00). The primary factors affecting the increased cost are:



- increased maximum resident capacity from twelve (12) to eighteen (18)
- design changes that now incorporate attachment of the single story home located at 3291 North Eleventh Street on to the newly constructed building
- raising of the garage located at 3295 North Eleventh Street and incorporation of the land into the expanded construction design
- CBRF code changes and construction requirement revisions in the areas of fire protection, electrical, plumbing and water service(s) to the building due to the newly increased building capacity
- increased material costs due to changed code requirements and modification of resident capacity
- increased architectural costs due to modification of resident capacity

Updated architectural plans for the building to be constructed have already been drafted and approved by the City of Milwaukee. All needed variances have been granted. Our primary contractor is the same entity that has worked very successfully in the past with us in similar projects. The name of the contactor entity is Building Specialists.

The first phase of the project, clearing the land, was completed with the assistance of fifty-eight (58) UPS volunteers on November 10, 2001. Demolition of the brick and cinder block garage located at the rear of the 3295 lot took place on Thursday November 29, 2001.

The time frame for completion of the building is as indicated below:

Construction Phase

Projected Completion Date

Excavation and Foundation

December 25, 2001



Rough Carpentry	January 20, 2002
Rough Plumbing, Electrical, Heating and Fire Protection	February 15, 2002
Roofing, Siding and Windows	March 1, 2002
Drywall and Painting	March 15, 2002
Finish Heating, Plumbing, Electrical and Fire Protection	March 30, 2002
Floor Covering and Cabinetry	April 15, 2002

All monies received for the project will be applied exclusively to the construction of the new eighteen (18) bed facility. All direct administrative and some other costs associated will be provided by Family House, Inc. as an in-kind service to the project. Additionally Family House, Inc. has provided from its own resources the first fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) for the start up of project excavation and the laying of the building foundation.

### Upon completion the facility will:

- increase the area capacity for housing of the elderly economically disadvantaged
- create new employment opportunities and positions in nursing, maintenance, nursing assistance, food service, house keeping and clerical assistance
- strengthen the area tax base through the generation of local revenue
- further stabilize the neighborhood through the replacement of abandoned and blighted properties with newly constructed attended housing units.
- provide adequate space for community center activities on the lower level until construction of the building across the street is completed



It is the humble opinion of this writer that neighborhoods and people can and must be saved in order for good to defeat evil in this world. However, for the best outcomes to be achieved both must be saved from the inside out and not the reverse. By the award of these funds donors are able to prove their commitment to be a willing partner in the type of real and permanent neighborhood and individual economic and personal growth and development that cannot be damaged by drugs, bombs or terrorists threats of any type.

As of the date of this letter the excavation work and foundation have been completed. Family House, Inc. is requesting you consider assisting us in the construction this new facility. All dollars received are the only funds you will be asked for specific to this project. Because we do not wish the project to come to a halt due to lack of funding and the next draw for the project is to be on the twenty fifth (25th) of December are asking that you, if at all possible, notify us of your ability to assist us and in what amount as soon as is possible.

We thank-you in advance for your consideration of our request and assistance. Happy Hanukah.

Cordelia Taylor

Founder and CEO

cc File

Board of Directors Katherine Taylor



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A Chemist Helping Chemists

February 26, 2001

Mrs. Tzivia Bieler
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Dear Tzivia,

You may recall that for the last couple of years I sent \$30,000 each for the orphanages in Odessa and Dnepopetrovsk.

Enclosed please find my check for \$60,000 for the 2001 gift. I believe that both orphanages will appreciate transmittal of the funds as quickly as possible.

With many thanks for your help and with best regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
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**Date:** Tue, 15 Jan 2002 14:45:20 -0600

From: Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>
To: Robert Rosner <robert.rosner@netway.at>

Dear Bobby,

You will surely be interested in the long e-mail that I received from Yechiel Bar-Chaim on Friday.

When I was writing my autobiography I was virtually certain that Austria lost against England on December 7, 1934. But now I am told that it was in 1932. Surely in Vienna you will have no difficulty checking and then letting me know.

Also, I believe that the Austrian team had not been defeated for over 40 games, not just 14.

With many thanks for your help I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred

Subject:

7 December 1932- England vs. Austria - 4-3 to England

Date:

Fri, 11 Jan 2002 16:37:28 -0000

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"Yechiel Bar Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

To:

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## Subject: Todah; Hot Water; and Halachic Principles of Non-Sectarian Aid plus Rambam's Ladder of Charity

Date: Fri, 14 Dec 2001 10:57:31 -0000

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

To: "Alfred BADER \(E-mail\)" < baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

I really enjoyed our day together and also meeting David. Can't finish the Hallel on your generosity and even when you say no, I find it tonic. Todah Rabbah Rabbah.

One response received immediately from the Rabbanit in Belgrade to your renewed donation for the orphanages there tells it all.

The orphanage where Brane (Popovic the former President of the Jewish Community of Belgrade) gives English lessons is in need of boilers for the children's bathrooms. The children have no hot water in their showers or sinks. This means that they must wash themselves and their clothing in cold water. New boilers for their bathrooms would certainly make the children's lives more pleasant.

There is no question that Mr. Bader's first donation has been used in a manner that will improve the children's quality of life this winter and make their holiday season a little brighter.

I am sure that we will be able to use this second donation in an equally beneficial manner.

As promised, here are the translations I have available for the traditional texts about Jews' giving non-sectarian aid.

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> Here is Epstein's (Soncino edition) translation of the text in
> Gitin 61a
> "Our rabbis have taught, 'We support the poor of the heathen along with
the
> poor of Israel, visit the sick of the heathen along with the sick of
Israel,
> and bury the dead of the heathen along with the dead of Israel, in the
> interests of peace.' "
>
> This is translation of that passage in Rambam's
> Hilkhoth matanoth la'aniyim 7:7:
> "We feed and clothe the poor of the heathen along with the poor of Israel
> in the interests of peace."
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 $\,>\,$  I am still looking for the English translation of that passage in Talmud  $\,>\,$  Yerushalmi.

My friend Eliezer Papo from Sarajevo and now Jerusalem whom I consult about such matters also sent me a translation of the Rambam's Ladder of Tzedaka



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> Maimonides, Matanoth la-'aniyim 10:7-14:
> There are eight levels in tzedaka - one higher than the other.
> 1. The highest level -- there is no level above it -- is one who supports
> an Israelite who has become poor -- gives him a loan, goes into
partnership
> with him, or finds him employment -- in order to strengthen him so he does
> not become dependent or have to borrow. Concerning this it is written,
> "You should strengthen him, the stranger, citizen, or one who lives with
> you:" In other words, strengthen him so he does not fall and become
needy.
> 2. Lower than this is one who gives tzedaka to the poor in a way that he
> (the giver) does not know to whom he is giving and the poor person does
> not know who he took from. This is a mitzva for its own sake. For
instance,
> there was the Confidential Chamber in the Temple where the righteous would
> give secretly and the poor children of respectable families would secretly
> get supported from. Close to this is the tzedaka box. One should not put
> into a tzedaka box unless he knows that its administrator is trustworthy,
> wise, and knows how to act properly -- like Chananya son of Tradyon.
> 3. Lower than this is where the giver knows who he is giving to and the
> does not know who he is receiving from. For example, the great sages would
> go secretly and throw money at the doorways of the poor. This is proper
> a high level if the tzedaka collectors do not act properly.
> 4. Lower than this is where the poor knows who he is receiving from but
> giver does not. For example, the great sages would tie a bundle of money
> cloth and sling it behind them, and the poor would come and take so they
> would not be embarrassed.
> 5. Lower than this is where [the giver] puts [money] into the poor man's
> hand before he is asked.
> 6. Lower than this is where [the giver] gives a proper amount but after he
> is asked.
> 7. Lower than this is where he gives less than appropriate but with a
> pleasant countenance.
> 8. Lower than this is where one gives with sadness.
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There shouldn't be any problem with the donation to the Quakers and I am working on your proposal to create a Bader Abeyance Fund. My colleagues have been in Board Meetings all week. Hope to reach them today and get the ball moving.

Best regards and Shabbat Shalom,

Yech





Subject: Re: O.Paleta - data

Date: Thu, 26 Oct 2000 15:12:24 +0200

From: "Oldøich Paleta" < Oldrich.Paleta@vscht.cz> To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

CC: "Bader Alfred Dr." <baderfa@execpc.com>, "Bláhová Markéta Ing." <mblahova@csvts.cz>

Dear Dr. Bar-Chaim,

According to our today's talk, I send you the data you have requested also by e-mail Thank you much for all you do for the Czech Chemical Society. Best wishes. Sincerely yours,

Oldrich Paleta

Yechiel Bar-Chaim wrote:

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- 1. The Award shall be known as the Alfred Bader Award.
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- 9. The funds to endow this award have been provided by Alfred Bader. The administration of these funds shall be the resposibility of the Czech Chemical Society.
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## Articles of the winners of the Czech A. Bader Award as published in Chemické listy

#### 1994

Ivo Starý:

Dichotomy of organic reactions (Engl.)

Chem. Listy 90, 851 (1996)

#### 1995

Martin Smrčina:

no article submitted

#### 1996

Vladimír Havlíček:

Structure determination of cyclosporins by mass spectrometry (Czech) Chem. Listy 91, 2 (1997)

#### 1997

Pavel Lhoták:

Cation-pi-interactions: important factor in design of calix[4]arene-based receptors (Czech)

Chem. Listy 92, 512 (1998)

#### 1998

Michal Hoskovec:

in press (Czech)

#### 1999

Michal Hocek:

to be submitted in 2000 (Czech)

#### 2000

Vladimír Církva:

should be submitted in 2001 (Czech)



## LIST OF THE WINNERS OF THE CZECH A. BADER AWARD and their contemporary employment

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In my letter I forgot to mention that all of my efforts in the Balkans and in Odessa and Dnepropetrovk were brought to my attention by the World Jewish Relief in London. This may affect your bookkeeping somewhat, but surely not the amounts these needy organizations receive.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader



Subject: Aid for Chemists in Armenia

Date: Fri, 3 Mar 2000 12:29:11 +0100

From: "Yechiel Bar-Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

To: "Alfred BADER (E-mail)" <baderfa@execpc.com>

CC: "Steven SCHWAGER (E-mail)" <steve@jdc.org.il>,

"Tzivia BIELER (E-mail)" <Tzivia@jdcny.org>

Dear Alfred,

Let me assure you that the JOINT is ready to deliver the aid you wish to give to help chemists in Armenia.

Best

regards,

Yechiel

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## Visit by Daniel Bader to Odessa & Dnepropetrovsk 5 – 9 September 2000

Proposed Itinerary prepared by JDC (as at 9 August 2000)

### **Tuesday 5 September 2000**

09:00	Depart from Zurich to Odessa (private aircraft)
12:25	Arrive Odessa
	Check-in to Londonskaya Hotel
14:30-15:30	Lunch briefing with JDC representatives at Bravo restaurant
15:40-17:30	Tour of Jewish Odessa including visit to Holocaust Memorial
18:00-20:30	Visit to Children's Home for Girls, tour facility, see "Big Brother, Big Sister"
	activities, dinner with children

### Wednesday 6 September 2000

	Duralifact at last a
	Breakfast at hotel
09:20-10:10	Visit Chabad Day School
10:40-11:20	Visit Or Sameach Boys School (attended by kids from the childrens home)
11:50-12:40	Visit Or Sameach Elementary School (attended by kids from the childrens
	home)
13:00-13:30	Visit Gmilus Chesed Jewish Welfare Center
13:30-14:30	Lunch at Warm Home with clients
14:40-15:20	See Mazal Tov program for parents and newlyborn children
15:30-16:30	Freshen up at hotel, check-out
16:40-17:20	Visit Migdal Jewish Community Center
17:50-18:20	Visit Moria Jewish Library and Resource Center
	Depart for airport
19:55	Depart for Kiev by internal flight
21:30	Arrive in Kiev
	Overnight at Kievskaya Hotel

### Thursday 7 September 2000

00.00	Breakfast and hotel check-out
08:00	Depart for airport
09:45	Depart from Kiev by internal flight
10:45	Arrive in Dnepropetrovsk from Kiev
11:45	Meeting with JDC representatives and staff for local briefing at JDC office
12:30	Visit Hesed Menachem, witness services including Tikva program for children with special needs
14:00	Visit Jewish Day School – the largest in Europe
14:50	Visit Beth Hannah Jewish Women's Educational College
	Lunch at Bet Hannah with the faculty, at a communal dining room operated by Hesed Menachem
15:40	Meet students at Bet Hannah, visit Special Needs Resource and Rehabilitation Center
17:30	Visit a boarding home for Autistic children
18:30	Visit Boys' and Girls' Orphanages, participate in activities with children
19:30	Dinner
21:00	Check-in to Grand Hotel Ukraine



### Friday 8 September 2000

08:30	Breakfast
09:30	Visit Jewish kindergarten
10:30	Visit Jewish Community Center programs including Simcha Creative Arts
	Studio for children
12:30	Visit Golden Rose Synagogue and JCC facility for briefing about current
	cooperative projects between the synagogue, the JCC and the Tkuma
	Educational and Research Center
13:00	Lunch with Jewish community leaders
14:00	Participate in Tikva program
15:00	Attend kabbalat shabbat at Hesed Day Center
16:30	Meeting with Hillel students
	Free time
20:00	Kabbalat Shabbat at synagogue
21:00	Dinner with children and girls' orphanage

## Saturday 9 September 2000

10:00	Attend Shabbat services (optional)
12:30	Lunch with local rabbi and guests
Afternoon	Tour of Dnepropetrovsk
17:00	Depart Dnepropetrovsk for Tel Aviv (private aircraft)
19:40	Arrive Tel Aviv



Subject: FW: Visit to Ukraine

Date: Thu, 24 Aug 2000 10:06:46 -0500 From: Maria Castro <Maria@hbf.org>

To: "'BaderFa@execpc.com'" <BaderFa@execpc.com>

#### Alfred Bader:

I apologize for the delay in sending you the itinerary. You will find the attachment enclosed. Thank you, and apologize if the delay caused any inconvenience.

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#### Dr. Alfred Bader

924 East Juneau, Suite 622 Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202 Phone: 414/277-0730 Fax: 414/277-0709 E-mail: baderfa@execpc.com

A Chemist Helping Chemists

October 17, 2000

Mrs. Tzivia Bieler
The American Jewish
Joint Distribution Committee, Inc.
711 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10017-4014

Dear Tzivia,

As discussed with Yechiel Bar-Chaim today, I would like to give \$10,000 to the Joint for the medical relief dispensary in Belgrade. My check is enclosed.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az Enc. – ck. \$10,000

C: Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chair Ms. Fleur Hassan by  $\epsilon$ 

Mr. Daniel Bader



Dear Denny,

After we talked in my office earlier this year I wrote to the Joint to inquire whether they could transmit my gift to B'Yachad and they replied in writing that they could.

Hence, do not worry; they are sometimes slow, but always reliable, transmitting funds without deductions.

With best regards as always I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

Wolff wrote:

Dear Alfred,

Thank you for your donation to B'Yachad. I just called a friend of ours named Asher Ostrin who works at the Joint, and he said he'd check out exactly how to have the money transferred to B'Yachad here.

Asher mentioned that Daniel will be going on a Joint-sponsored trip to the Former Soviet Union. I'm sure it will be a wonderful experience.

Francie's father is feeling much better. When I wrote, I didn't realize that he hadn't mentioned his leg to you. As I re-read what I wrote, I see that reading it (with no previous knowledge), one could get the impression that it is much more serious than -- Thank God -- it is. I'm sorry if I startled you.

Thanks again,

#### Denny

---- Original Message -----

From: "Alfred Bader" <br/>
From: "Wolff" <wolffjrs@netvision.net.il>
Sent: Wednesday, August 23, 2000 6:31 PM<br/>
Subject: Re: Fw: B'Yachad Ed. Activities

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B'Yachad - For a Democratic Jewish Society in Israel Amuta (Israeli non-profit) registration number: 580342301 Beit HaYatsranim, Suite 306 P.O.Box 53413 91533 Jerusalem, Israel Tel: 972-2-672-7580 Fax: 972-2-672-7581

Thanks for your help, Denny



Below please find the information we usually provide to donors who want to send tax-deductible contributions:

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> programs can be made via any one of three I.R.S. recognized channels:
> 1)
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       (IRS identification number 13-3848582)
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>
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## Dr. Alfred Bader

924 East Juneau, Suite 622 Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202 Phone: 414/277-0730 Fax: 414/277-0709 E-mail: baderfa@execpc.com

A Chemist Helping Chemists

August 23, 2000

Mrs. Tzivia Bieler
The American Jewish
Joint Distribution Committee, Inc.
711 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10017-4014

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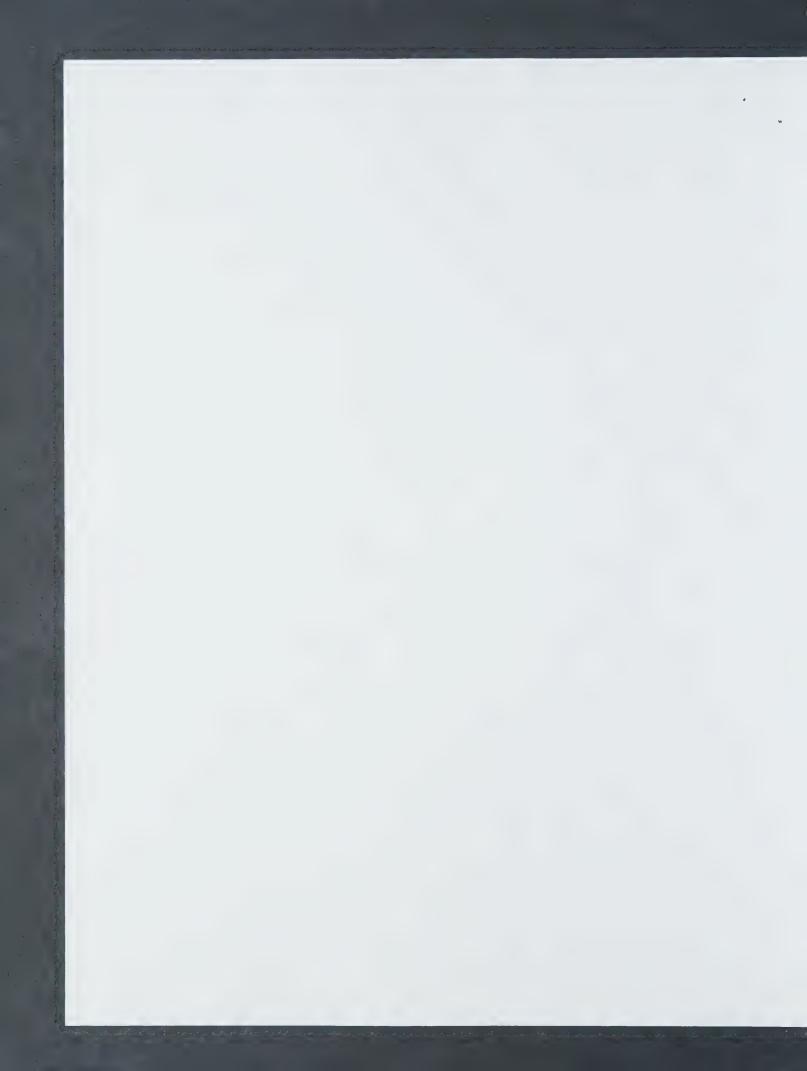
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the enclosed e-mail which I just received from Denny Wolf will be self-explanatory and of course I know from your previous letter that you will have no difficulty sending the \$10,000 to B'Yachad.

With best wishes as always I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az enc.



Subject: Fw: B'Yachad Ed. Activities

Date: Wed, 23 Aug 2000 10:56:09 +0200

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To: "Bader Alfred" <baderfa@execpc.com>

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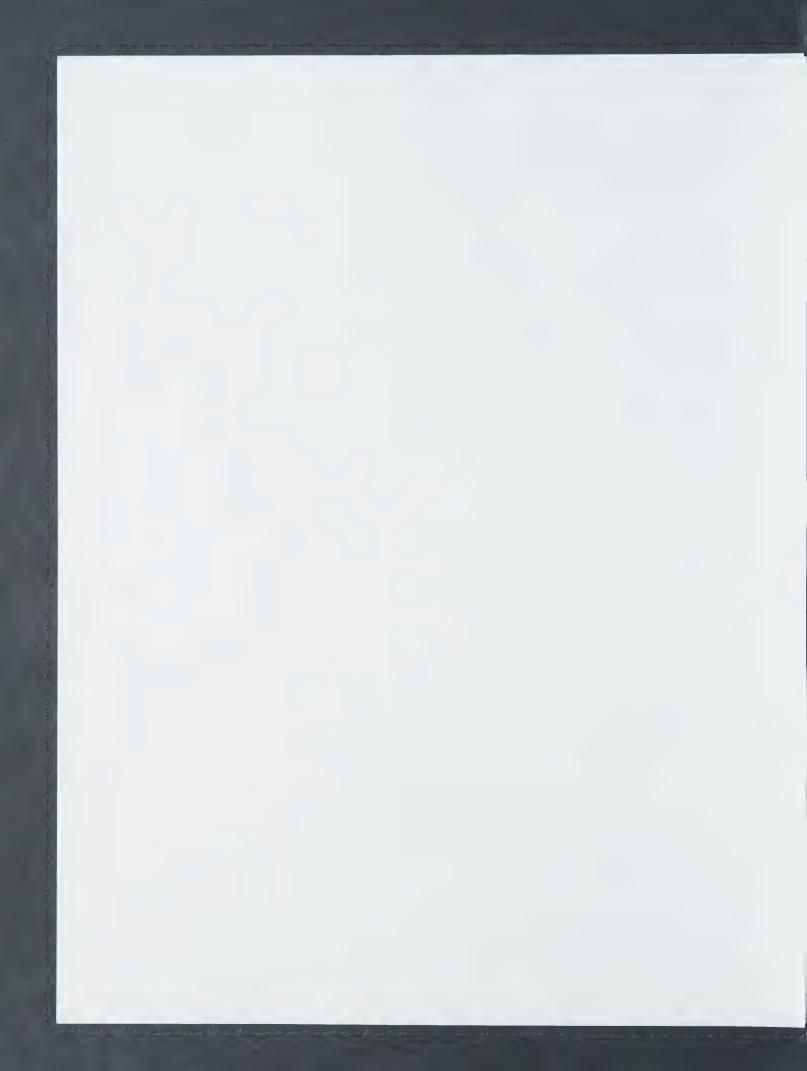
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From: Marketa Blahova <mblahova@csvts.cz>

Subject: Dr.Alfred Bader

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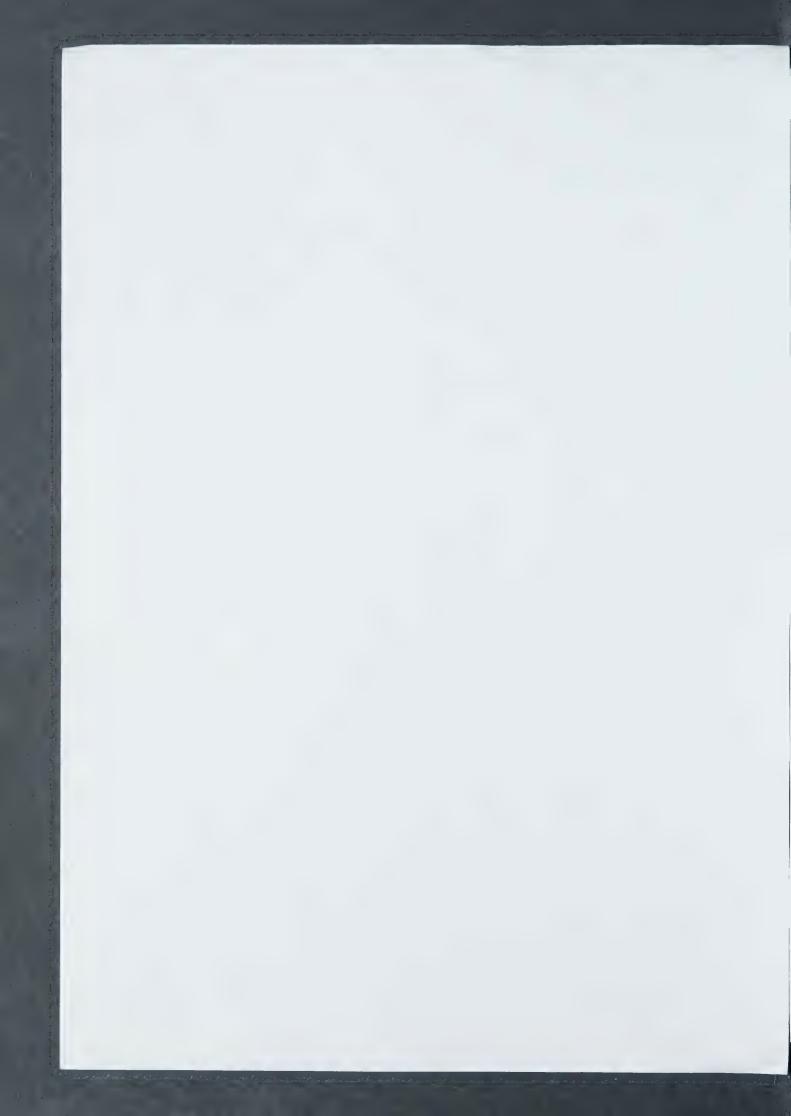
X-Attachments:

To Jechiel Bar-Chaim

Am just visiting the Czech Chemical society. When will you be able to transmit the 10.000 USD for the next 3 years awards of the Bader prize in Organic Chemistry?

Best wishes

Alfred Bader



## Subject:

Date: Mon, 5 Jun 2000 16:14:02 +0100 From: Fleur Hassan <fh@wjr.org.uk>

To: Alfred Bader <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Dr Bader,

I hope you are well. We have not been in communication for a while and I was wondering how you are doing? Have you any plans to be in England at all this summer?

If you do I shall be delighted to see you again.

I went to Sofia last month and I had a very interesting time with the community there. It was very special as I managed to speak to the elder generation in Ladino. I have never been happier for being a spanish speaker.

Please keep in touch and I hope to see you soon. We are receiving a visit from Mr Bar Chaim next week and I am very much look forward to meeting with  $\mbox{him.}$ 

Best wishes

Fleur Hassan



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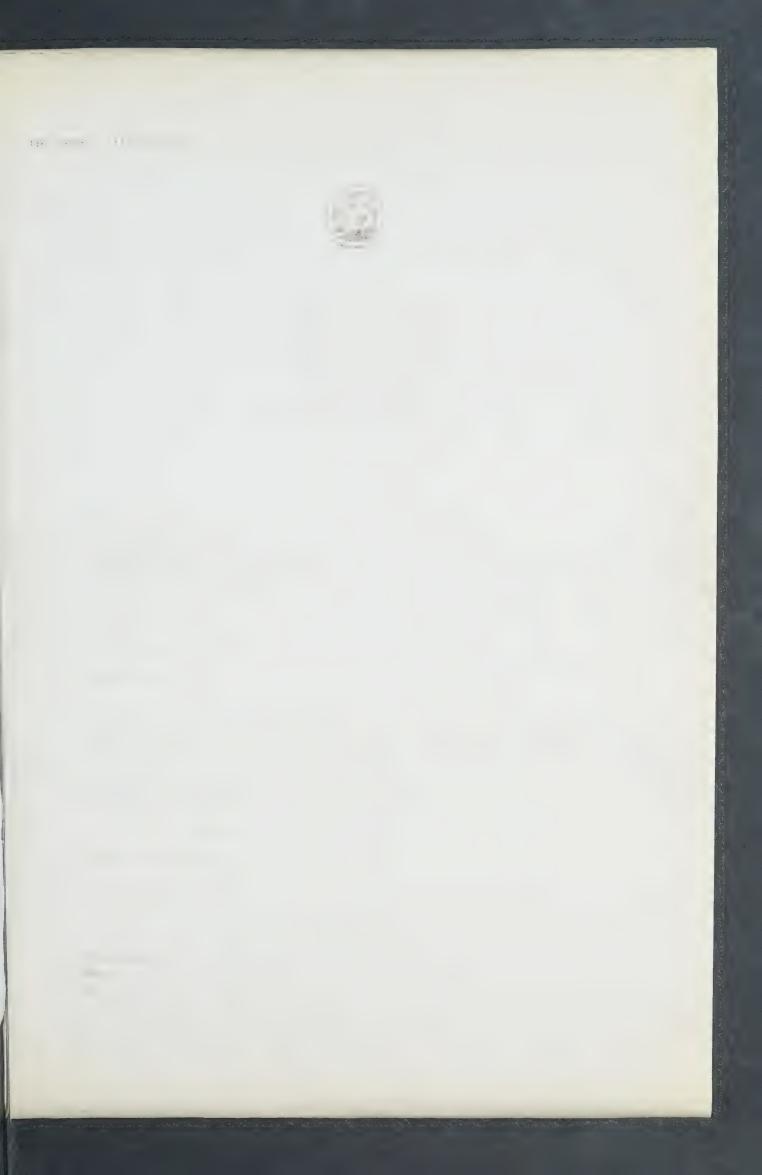


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Dear Yechiel,

We have not been in touch for a little while and I hope that you are well.

Next time you are in Vienna, do try to visit Chajes Schule; it is really a fine school and I want to thank you for transmitting the \$10,000 to them.

There are some able young chemists at the Masaryk University in Brno. May I send the Joint \$10,000 to be transmitted to them?

With many thanks and best regards I remain

Yours sincerely, Afred Bader





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August 21, 2000

Mrs. Tzivia Bieler The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, Inc. 711 Third Avenue New York, NY 10017-4014

Dear Tzivia,

I am sorry that quite a bit of traveling has delayed my responding to your letters of August 1<sup>st</sup> and also finalizing on my decision regarding your comments of May 25<sup>th</sup>.

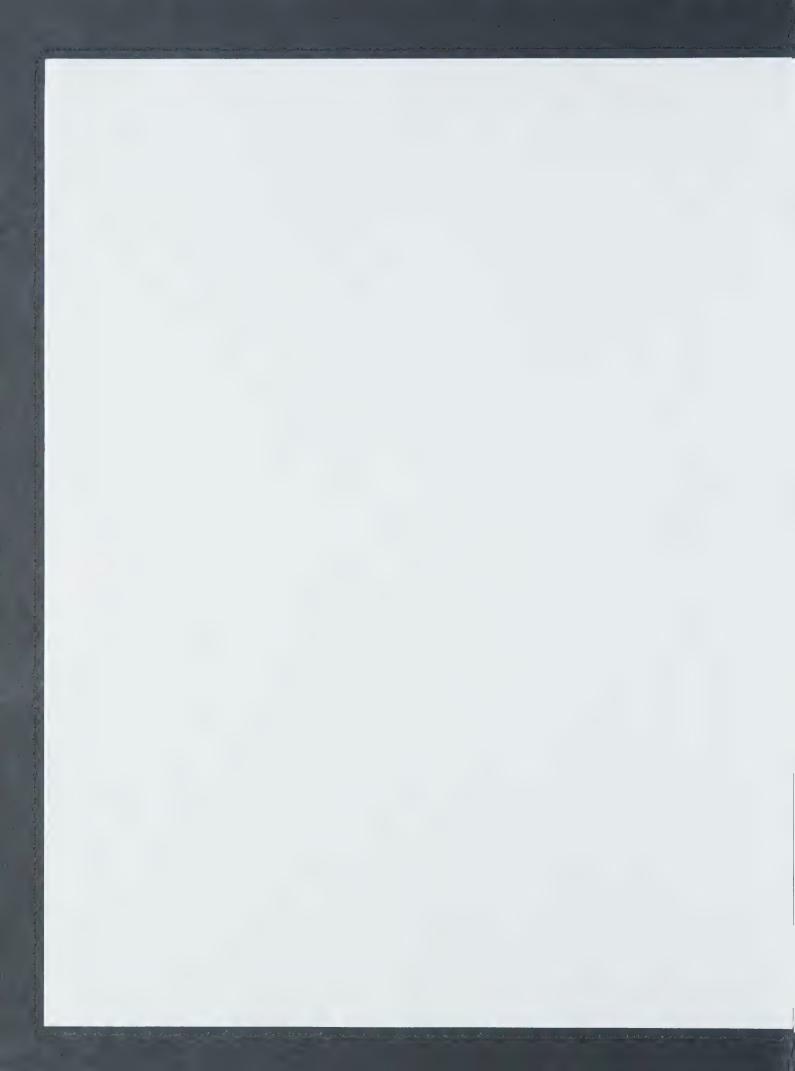
To turn first to your letter of August 1<sup>st</sup>, by all means use the \$10,000 that I donated for Hed-Pal-Adol for the project COPE.

I was glad to learn that you can help B'Yachad and I would like to give \$10,000 to that organization.

I would also like to give \$10,000 to Hamoked, the Center for the Defense of the Individual, brief description enclosed.

I also note that the Beth Shalom in England is continuing to do very good work and I would like to send them \$1800.

Thus, I enclose my check for \$21,800; \$10,000 for B'Yachad, \$10,000 for Hamoked and \$1800 for Beth shalom.





Mrs. Tzivia Bieler August 21, 2000 Page Two

I was happy to note from your letter of May 25<sup>th</sup> that the gifts to the two orphanages in the Ukraine are being handled; I had a curious letter from Ohr Somayach just the other day inquiring about the gift to Odessa.

With many thanks for your help and best personal regards I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader
AB/az
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HaMoked: Center for the Defence of the Individual, Founded by Dr. Lotte Salzberger is a human rights organization founded in 1988, against the background of the intifada, by Jewish and Palestinian public figures and jurists, together with lecturers and students.

HaMoked is the sole Israeli organization providing assistance to individual Palestinians whose rights were violated under the Israeli occupation. HaMoked represents the complainants before the various authorities and in court, including the Israeli High Court of Justice. Several of HaMoked's successes have resulted in a change in the reality of life in the Occupied Territories.

HaMoked's activities are dictated by the needs of the population. HaMoked assists those who lost their residency in Jerusalem ("the quiet deportation") and with requests for family unification; in the tracing of detainees and facilitation of family visits in prison; in obtaining exit permits between the Gaza Strip, Jerusalem, and the West Bank, and permits to leave for abroad. HaMoked acts against torture and represents administrative detainees; files complaints against security forces and settler violence, and demands compensation for the victims.

HaMoked has handled more than 14,000 complaints by residents of the Occupied Territories.

B'Tselem - The Israeli Information Center for Human Rights in the Occupied Territories was established in 1989 by a diverse group of academics, physicians, attorneys, journalists, and Members of Knesset. It endeavors to educate the general public and policymakers about human rights violations in the Occupied Territories and combat the Israeli public's denial and repression of the violations. The signing of the Declaration of Principles, in 1993, and the subsequent interim agreements has not eliminated the need to ensure the protection of human rights in the Occupied Territories.

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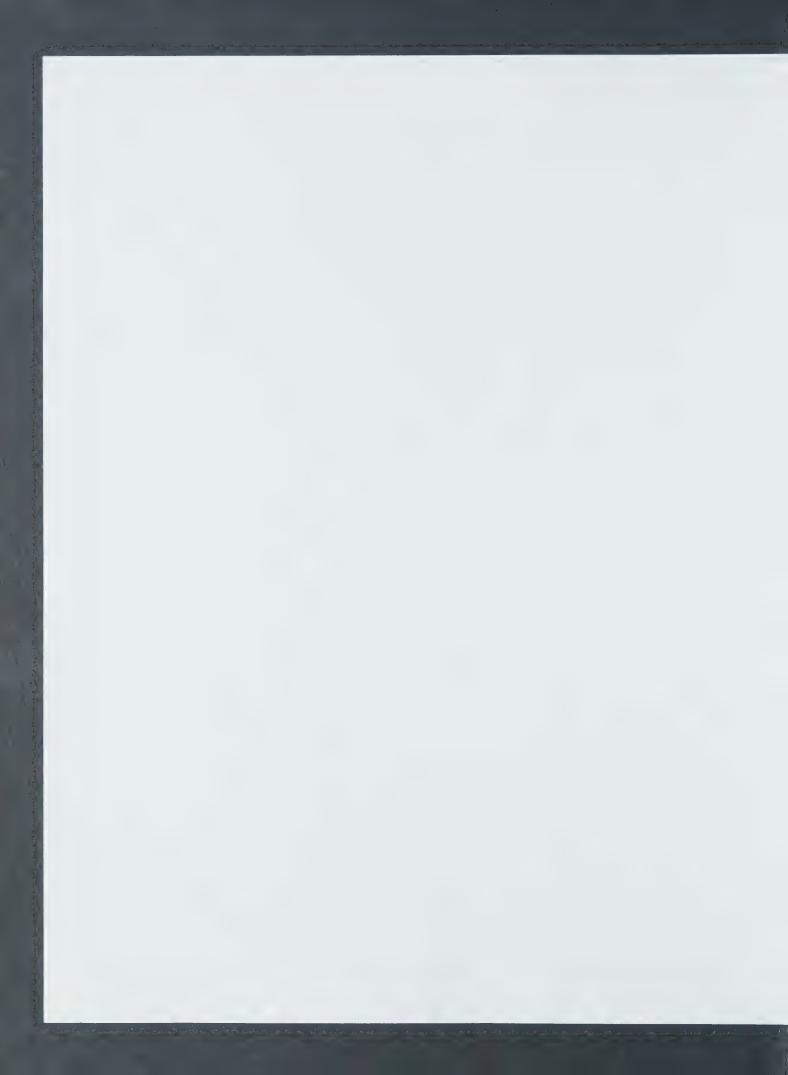
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With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader



Subject: RE: Our travel plans

**Date:** Wed, 17 May 2000 18:23:28 +0200

From: "Yechiel Bar-Chaim" <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

To: <baderfa@execpc.com>

17 May 2000

Dear Alfred,

Congratulations on your Honorary Doctorate! I am a great admirer of TGM so I think your receiving a doctorate from a university named for him must be considered a double-honor.

Kol' Hakavod,

Yechiel Bar-Chaim

PS: Am afraid that in spite of all your traveling, our paths will not cross each other any time soon.

----Original Message----

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Sent: vendredi 12 mai 2000 16:38

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Subject: Re: Prague visit details

**Date:** Wed, 17 May 2000 12:47:24 -0500 **From:** Alfred Bader <a href="mailto:baderfa@execpc.com">baderfa@execpc.com</a>

Organization: Alfred Bader Fine Arts

To: radls@post.cz

Dear Stan,

As you know, we plan to be in Prague from about noon of June 14th until the morning of June 18th.

There are no plans for talks, just for meeting with good friends. So far, every evening is free. As you know we will be staying at Naprstkova street No. 10. The telephone number there is 02-22-22 11 44.

Dr. Nic told me about his move to a computer company and we hope that he will do very well there. He is an excellent chemist and a very fine person.

With best wishes from house to house I remain

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> \*\*\* http://POST.CZ

Yours sincerely, Alfred

radls@post.cz wrote:

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> Dear Alfred,
> Thank you for your mail. We are looking forward to meeting you, please let me know
your preliminary program of your Prague stay (lectures, etc.).
> Stan
> PS.: We have just returned from a one week holiday and just before it I was told
that Dr. Nic is leaving the University to start working with a computer company. Do
you know about it?
> > Dear Stan,
>> Just a note to confirm that we plan to be in Prague from late Wednesday
> > morning, June 14th, until Sunday morning, June 18th. We are staying
> > close to our old apartment, namely at the Naprstkova street No. 10,
> > where the telephone number is 02-22 22 11 44.
> > Naturally we hope to see you.
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> > With best regards I remain
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> > Yours sincerely,
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Dear Ms. Kyte,

Please do not mail material to me in the US because I will hardly be here during the next five weeks. We will arrive in Bexhill on May 31st and I plan to meet with Fleur Hassan either at the end of June or in July. Why not just give the material to Fleur to give to me?

Best wishes, also for a happy Passover.

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

Sara Kyte wrote:

Dear Dr Bader

Thank you for your letter which I received today.

I have just had a lovely chat with Fleur Hassan. I am also a keen supporter of the work of World Jewish Relief and indeed know Fleur and the staff very well - Vivienne Lewis is a very dear friend of mine and we were colleagues for many years.

Fleur gave me some idea of the projects you may wish to support and i will be mailing a portfolio of some of our projects to you for your consideration

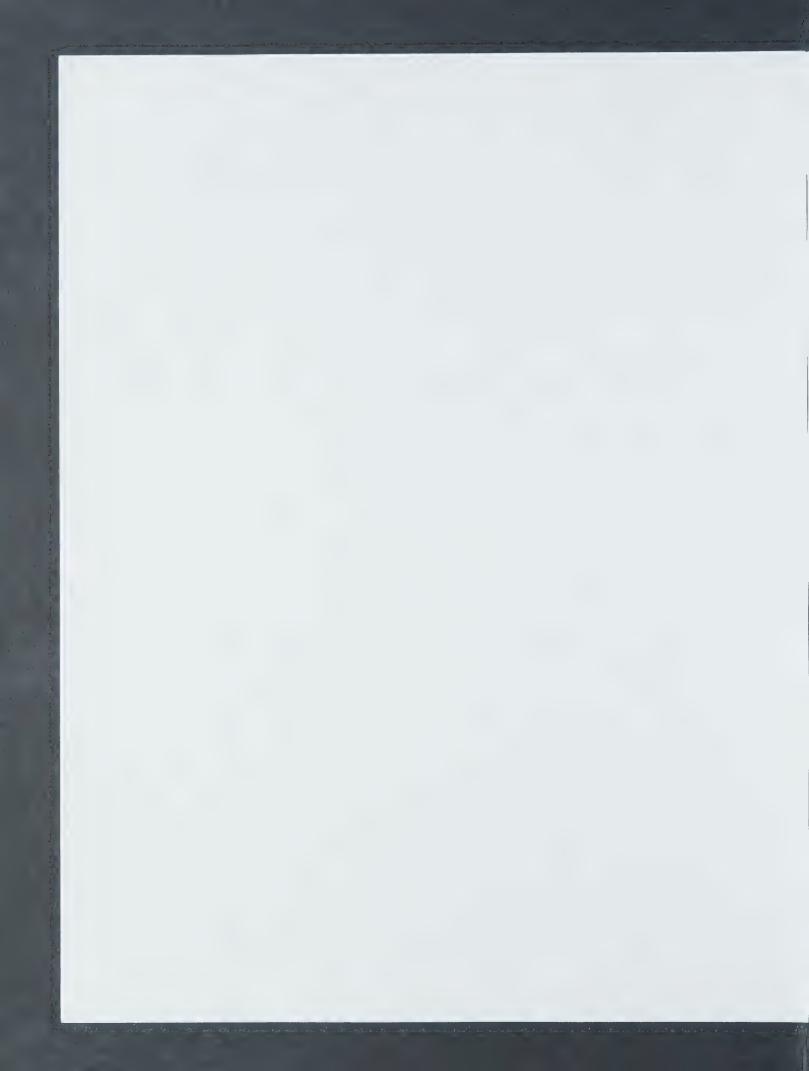
As Fleur talked about you so warmly, I do hope I too will have the opportunity to meet with you when you are next in the UK. My office is walking distance from World Jewish Relief's new premises so perhaps you could meet with both of us in one day -lunch with me, breakfast or dinner with Fleur and Vivienne!

Thank you again for your swift response. I wish you and your family a very happy Pesach.

Kind regards

Sara Kyte

Sara Kyte Director of Special Campaigns





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April 19, 2000

Mrs. Tzivia Bieler The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, Inc. 711 Third Avenue New York, NY 10017-4014

Dear Tzivia.

On February  $9^{th}$  I sent you my check for \$10,000 as per the explanatory letter enclosed.

Did you receive that?

I am concerned because the check did not clear through the bank. A subsequent check sent to you a month later, on March  $8^{th}$ , for \$36,000 for Bulgarian elderly did clear through the bank.

I hope also that you received my check for \$80,000 of April 12<sup>th</sup> but that of course has not yet had a chance to clear. I look forward to hearing from you.

I hope that you are having a very enjoyable Passover.

With best wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az enc.





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Dear Tzivia,

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I am sure that you will remember to address the last check to Basle, with the complete address.

Could you please discuss with Michael Schneider whether the organization B'Yachad described on the enclosed could be funded through the Joint?

With many thanks for your help and with all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az enc. – (2) \$80,000 ck. article

C: Mrs. Fleur Hassan by e-mail Mr. John Goldsmith by mail Mr. Daniel Bader



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**Date:** Tue, 21 1... r 2000 | 1741 | 13 +0100

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Subject: Re: letter-appreciation

**Date:** Thu, 02 Mar 2000 15:55:19 -0600 **From:** Alfred Bader <a href="mailto:salarera@execpc.com">baderfa@execpc.com</a>

Organization: Alfred Bader Fine Arts

To: Danagulyan Gevorg <gdanag@ysine.am>

BCC: "Alan R. Katritzky" <katritzky@chem.ufl.edu>, Yechiel Bar-Chaim <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

Dear Professor Danagulyan,

Thank you so much for your e-mail of today.

After my discussion with Prof. Katritzky about how best to help Armenian chemists, I carefully considered his suggestion that I should send chemical journals to your embassy in Washington and they would then send them to you.

Thinking about this, I realized the difficulties: the books are very heavy and your embassy might have great difficulties sending hundreds of pounds of books from Washington to Armenia.

Would it not be far better if I sent some money to help Armenian chemists at your University?

What will be important to me is that the money will really help the academics working at the University and will not be taken by administrators or politicians to cover overhead. Would it, for instance be possible, if I sent, to begin with, say \$10,000 to have \$1,000 be given to ten academics with instructions to use the money to help their students?

The next question is how best to send the money to you. I have worked for some time with the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee which helps a great many people around the world, and not just Jews, often on a non-sectarian basis. Just to give you some recent examples, within the last few months I sent \$25,000 to help Romas (gypsies) in the Czech Republic; some \$36,000 to help needy elderly Bulgarians on a completely non-sectarian basis; a bit earlier I sent a much larger sum to start an entrepreneurial school in Sarajevo.

I have asked the Joint whether they have any efforts in Armenia, and if the answer will be yes, that would be a good way. If the answer is no, then you might think of some Armenian-American Foundation which would receive the money from me and pass it on to your Chemistry Department without taking a percentage for the Foundation.

The reason that I would like to give it either to the Joint or to a charitable Foundation such as an Armenian-American Foundation is that any such gifts are tax-deductible to me, which means in effect that you get 2/3 from me and 1/3 from the US government!

There is absolutely no need for anyone to thank me in any form or way; all I want to do is to be certain that the money will ultimately help students in Chemistry.

Now you will of course ask yourself why would an American non-Armenian chemist want to help Armenians? There are two answers to that: one is that there is a Commandment in the Bible, in Leviticus 19 that you should not stand idly by the blood of your neighbor. But the entire world stood by idly during the first World War when a third of the Armenians were killed. Nobody helped. The second



• is that there appears to be pretty good genetic evidence that many Armenians are descended from the Lost Ten Tribes of Israel.

As soon as I have heard from the Joint I will let you know. In the meantime you might like to inquire whether there are any Armenian-American Foundations who could pass my gifts on to your Chemistry Department.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

Danagulyan Gevorg wrote:

Dear Dr. Bader:

One of these days Prof. Katritzky informed me of your recent meeting with him and the keen interest that you had exhibited towards our country. He also briefly informed us of your readiness to help us in particular, and chemistry of Armenia in general. Your attitude towards our problems did really touch me as well as those with whom I shared this news.

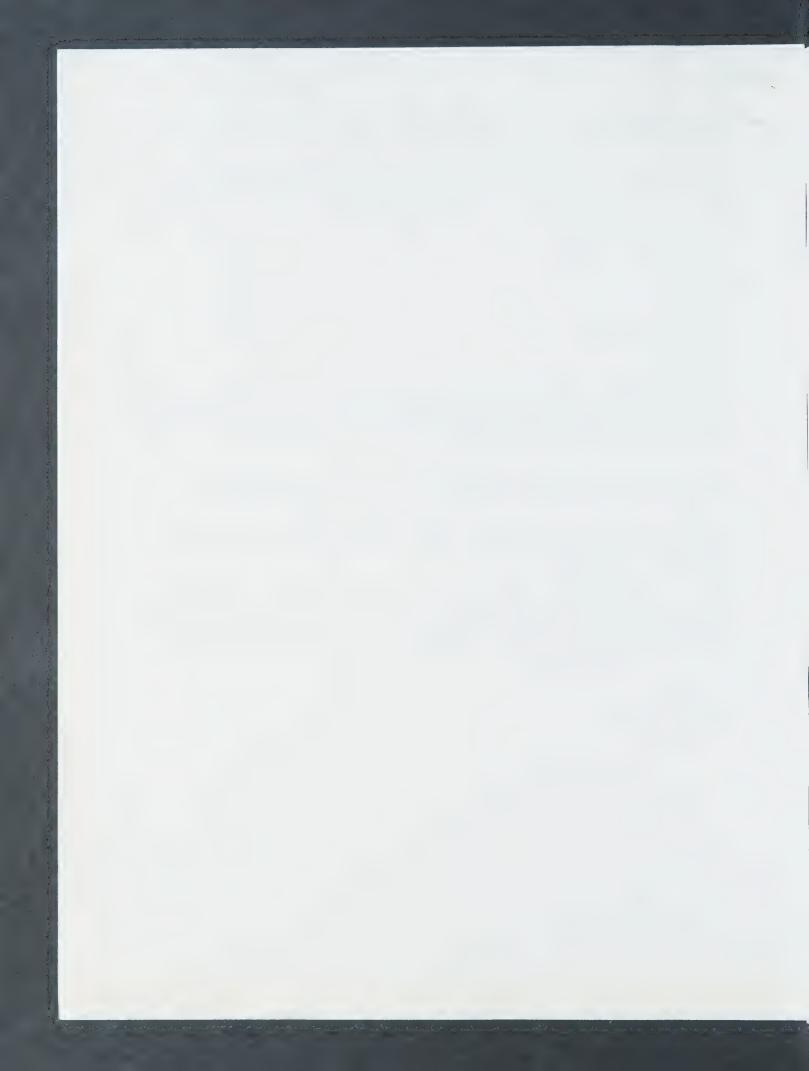
In a day or two I will find out the possibility of journals transportation via Consulate or any other way. In particular, I think that it will be easier to arrange this via a charitable organization.

I would also like to clear up the possibility of getting from you electronic versions of some journals as well as some chemical programs for PC. Since in this case many problems connected with their transportation will be settled easier.

Next week the President of Armenian Academy of Sciences Academician Fadey Sarkisyan will be informed of your initiative and I believe that from our part we will be able to respond constructively to your proposal. I'll inform you of the president's coordinates for your direct contacts with him. And meanwhile I hope that we can, in direct correspondence with you, discuss possibilities and details of our cooperation and your support.

Yours sincerely,

Gevorg Danagulyan



Subject: Your fax of yesterday

**Date:** Wed, 01 Mar 2000 15:25:22 -0600

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**Organization:** Alfred Bader Fine Arts

To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

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FAX # 2265

29 February 2000

Dr. Alfred Bader Astor Hotel - Suite 622 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202 Fax (414) 277 0709

Dear Alfred,

Just returned from Prague where I met our various partners except for Milena Bartlova who was travelling. She is to inform me as to how to transfer the bulk of the grant for the Bader Art History Fellowship.

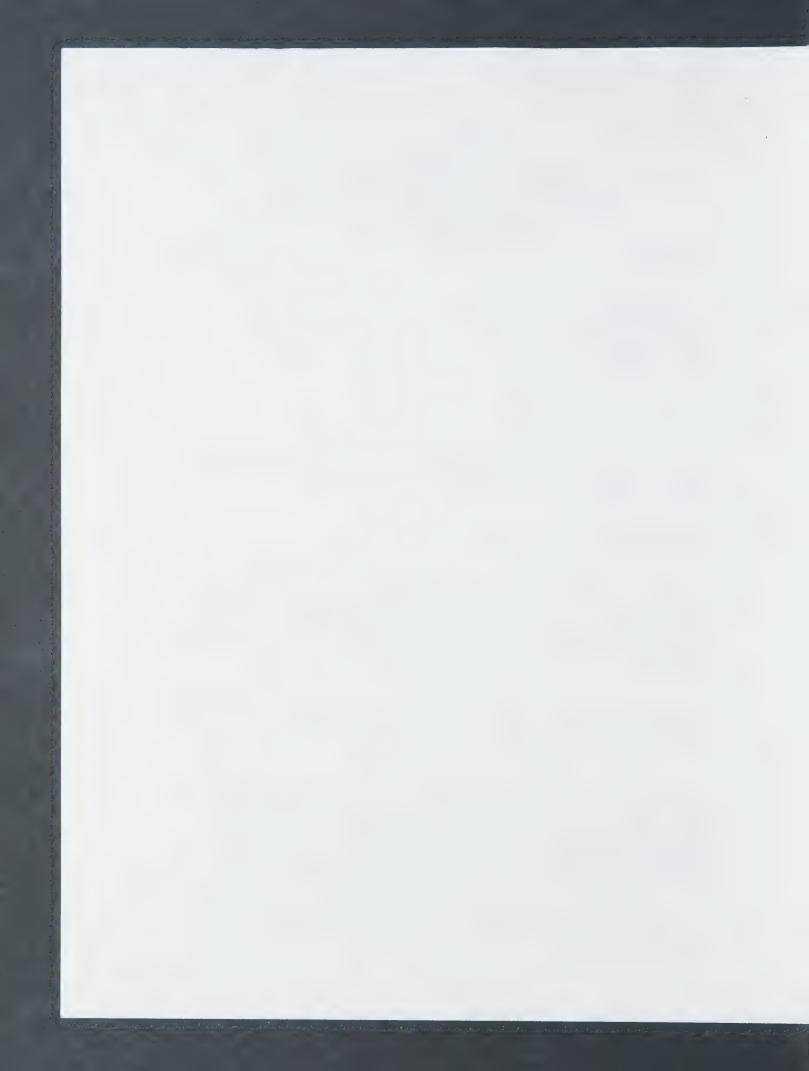
### THE BADER CHEMISTRY PRIZE

Dr. Paleta seems to be more "with the program" (as we used to say in the American Army) than before. The Bader Prize Competition for the year 2000 has been announced in the Bulletin of the Czech Chemical Society, and a press release for the public media (as required by Czech law) is ready, he told me. Financial affairs, such as the bill for last year sent to the Foundation for a Civil Society, are being handled by the Secretary of the Czech Chemistry Society and not by Dr. Paleta.

The Bader Award Selection Committee has been reconstituted, he said, so that it now includes 10-11 synthetic chemists as opposed to persons from any and all areas of organic chemistry. Presumably this renders the Committee better qualified to chose a chemist who meets the eligibility criteria.

I tried to review with Dr. Paleta to what extent the actual administration of the Prize meets the conditions set down (attached), in particular the requirement for an English-language article to be published based on the Prize Winner's speech at the award ceremony. From what I could gather, an article by the winner is published in Czech in "Chemicke Listy" within the year following the award, perhaps with a summary in English. Unclear if the article is always based on the award speech. I asked Dr. Paleta to inform me specifically how this condition has been met until now.

Dr. Paleta will also send a list of the past Bader Prize winners and let us know what they are doing now.



### Dr. NIC

This last point took on special importance when I met later with Dr. Nic. A Czech venture capitalist intrigued by Internet software developed (as an avocation until now) by Dr. Nic has set up a company to make the most of his IT talents. Dr. Nic told me he is now or soon will be directing a team of 50 computer specialists. Now it is chemistry that has become something of an avocation for him; he retains his chemistry research group as a sideline.

### NADACE VIA - ROMANI AID

I was most pleased with my meeting with Tana Hlavata and her colleague Julia Szanton of Nadace Via. First, they have come to accept and endorse the very suggestions I had tried to get across earlier: to concentrate on fewer organizations and try to build them up for the long haul. Second, they responded well to the comments I received from a Jewish-Romani activist whom I have known for some years. They would welcome his suggestions as to who should be a member of the Peer Committee that recommends the grant recipients. They also invited me to meet with the Peer Committee the next time I come to Prague. Alfred, I would like to see you continue with this group in the future as I can see the potential of having a wider impact on the way they approach grant giving.

Nadace Via will be sending a letter setting out just how they plan to implement the grant this year, including how any changes have or have not been coordinated by them with Mr. Kaneb.

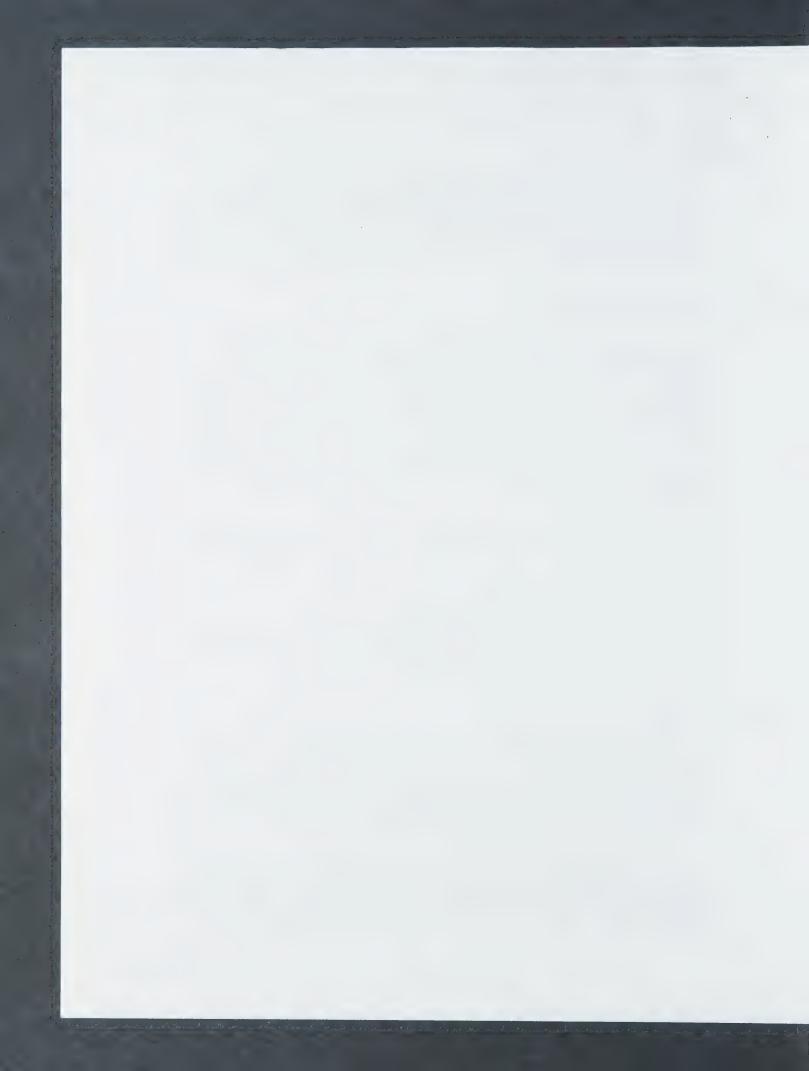
### YOUR CORRESPONDENCE WITH Mr. KANEB

In the mail this morning I have received three letters from you. The first is a copy of your further letter to Mr. Kaneb concerning the Romani population. I would like to thank you for the kind words about me you sent to him.

### Dr. SCHMIDT in GRAZ

The second letter concerns Dr. Schmidt in Graz. I am not in a position here to evaluate the merits of the organization's work, and you will have seen my earlier comments concerning their structure and balance sheet. Perhaps the way to overcome your entirely justifiable concern that any grant might be distributed as a payment for services to the various family members involved in the charity would be to tie the grant to a specific project with a detailed implementation budget.

Then you could give the money to cover the expenses of a particular activity and in return receive a report of concrete actions and results. Should you wish to transfer funds to this organization I feel sure that the JOINT would be happy to oblige you. We do have an office in Vienna that I work with closely and that could assist in such an endeavor.



29 FÉV '00 19:27 A J D C PARIS

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### Dr. NIC Redux

The third missive is your correspondence with Dr. Nic, which puts us all on the same wavelength. I do hope he finds the time to develop the proposal to encourage the study of chemistry among Czech high school students.

You will perhaps be interested in the attached article which appeared in today's edition of the International Herald Tribune.

Yours sincerely,

Yechiel Bar-Chaim

Attached: "Jewish Leaders Remember One Who Helped All" Conditions for the Bader Chemistry Prize

CC: Tzivia Bieler AJJDC-NY



### The Alfred Bader Award (Established 1994)

- 1. The Award shall be known as the Alfred Bader Award.
- 2. The Award will be presented as a mark of distinction and recognition to a scientist with the Czech citizenship for excellence in research in organic and bioorganic chemistry.
- 3. The scientist shall not have reached the age of 35 years by the application / nomination deadline of the year in which the nomination becomes effective.
- 4. The award shall be presented annually unless the Award Committee considers that no suitable candidate has been nominated or applied.
- 5. The Award Committee shall be nominated by the Czech Chemical Society.
- 6. The Award shall be presented at the suitable convention of the Czech Chemical Society. The recipient will be required to present an award address at the meeting.
- 7. A paper based on the award address should be submitted in English to a journal of the Czech Chemical Society.
- 8. The Award shall consist of a prize of CZK 100 000.- and a scroll. The recipient will also receive travell expenses to attend the convention (within the Czech Republic only).
- The funds to endow this award have been provided by Alfred Bader. The administration of these funds shall be the resposibility of the Czech Chemical Society.
- 10. Applications for the Award shall be submitted in writing through the Secretariat of the Czech Chemical Society. Entries should be sumitted by the published deadline and shall consist of description of the contributions of the nominee, biographical sketch and papers reprints. References, and supporting documents are welcomed.



# PAGE TWO

INTERNATIONAL HERALD TRIBUNE, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2000

# solved Mystery in Prague/The Death of a Humanitarian

# wish Leaders Remember One Who Helped All

RAGUE - A fisherman found Charles Jordan's Vitava River, four days after Mr. Jordan had loated corpse bumping against a weir on Prague's repreded out of his hotel room on a hot August might

rrdan had devoted his life to helping Jews, and later Bith century. As a senior official of the American and Distribution Committee, one of the world's nontarian aid organizations, he cut a dashing and itseure, using his tough negotiating skills and a ans, Vietnamese and other refugees, to flee the fascism, communism and the conflicts that conthe cloak-und-dayger to save scores of thousands

groups had a hand in his death, but three reports suggested that shadnwy Middle Eastern avestigations after the collapse of the Communist ailed to furn up a shred of evidence as to how Mr. ed, or why his body ended up floating in the

cek, local Jewish leaders gainered here to honor an inaugurating an old-age home named for him. r they took a few minutes to recall a life that has e still unable to weave together the story of his

a and states. As a student there in 1933, the rising azism sent thin fleeing with his young bride, to Prague, where they spent a year as refugees inspire the organization for which be worked.

n Philadelphia in 1908 to German Jewish im-Mr. Jordan returned to Germany as a child with ceived a visa to move on to the United States. Shai after the Japanese surronder, Mr. Jordan the entigration of 15,000 East European Jeses who Rich, now chairman of the committee's Eastern of refugees from Nazi-occupied Europe, and ed the war, lugely with aid from the committee, in a Hong Kew ghetto. Moving back to Europe, he State the clandestine Jewish emigration, or Control Europe to the new state of Israel. se he persuaded the government not to turn away by the freedom of many Jews left behind

Mr. Rich's Buddpest apartment was the final Hungarian station on an underground railroad, organized by Mr. Jordan to send young Zionists through safe houses in Communist Czechoslovakia and on to Alibed-occupied Austria.

Jordan was expelled from Hungary and had carned the growing ire of the region's Corrumnist regimes, who considered hin little more than a spy. "I suid, 'Thank you, Charles Jordan,'" on finally ar-riving in Vienna, Mr. Rich recalled fast week. When the Commings dismantled the escape route Mr.

The joint distribution committee, with its ties to the United States and Israel, "was quite logically considered to be

Churles Jordan 'sometimes skated close to the edge' in his efforts to help Jews and other refugees. em imperialists and Zionist spies in their attempts to infiltrate the new Statinist regimes," Mr. Rich one of the main tools of the West-

negotiated the secret emigration to Israel of Jews from North Africa and the Middle East, closing obscure deals with governments of acutral condities to cover the Lews 4 cell destination. In 1965, he negotiated the enagention of offence of OMO Bulgarian Lews to Israel, and in 1966, he won the release of Romand's Jewish population from the Communist dictator Nicolae Ceausesco.

By the time he began what would be his fast tour of During the 1960s, Mr. Jordan

Eastern Europe, Mr. Jordan was no briend of the local Communist regimes. Israet had beaten its Arab neighbors in the Six-Day War of 1967, Czechoslovakia had shut Israel's embassy and local Arabs were demonstrating against Israel Mr. Jordan's nephrw, Paul Kaplan, was a 20-year old in the streets of Prague.

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Detrous Mr. Jordan appeared on a driven Romanon.

"He became agrated and booked through the backwhat's going on," he asked me. For the life of me., I never caught on. Fo this day if remains a mystery what he was taking about. Mr. Kaplan ulso recalls that his uncle, a possionate stamp

Europe section, was an 18-year old survivor of the Budapest | collector, left their Bucharest forel une night to meet a Gherio and an active young Zionist when Mr. Jordan came (ellow collector, Some observers suggested than the could have used valuable stamps as a way to clanderinely Mr. Rich's Budapest apartiment was the final Hungarian | transfer moncy for Jews caught belind the Iron Curtain. Shalmi Barmore, a historian, said the joint distribution committee often had to make dubious arrangements with Mr. Kaplin said that Romann's chief rabbi, Moses Rosen, had warned Mr. Jordan that he was being followed by Middle Easiem terrorists, and pleaded with Mr. Jordan of what would be considered dubious people, and a colleague said Mr. Jordan "somenot to visit Prague, where he would no longer be side. diplomatically correct in his efforts to help focal Jews. amesskated close to the odge,"

But Mr. Jordan went to Prague anyway, Mr. Kaptan went on to Hungay, and by the time he arrived in Prague, his uncle was mussing. Four days later, the hody

The Czech police ruled the death a suicide. They agreed to an independent autopsy, but when a Swiss, pathelogist- arrived,

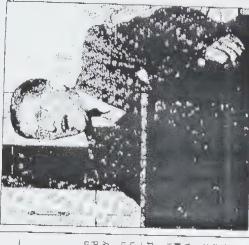
found that the body had afready been examine and was unable to determine how or where Mr. Jordan died.
The Swiss pathologist died mysteriously a few months later. He was found frozen a few meters from his car in the

N THE POST-COMMUNIST ERA, investigators reopened the case three times, but many files have disappeared since 1967, and they still have no answers. The case is closed, unresolved," said Ian Srb, a police spokesman.

Just what Mr. Jordan was doing in Pragne in 1967 is still not known. He said he was on a private trip with his wife. Some reports suggested that Mr. Jordan died in a stamp smuggling deal gone awry. Others, that he was mis taken for someone else.

The most convincing account came from Joset Frolik, a Czechoslovak spy who defected to the United States.

Mr. Frolik stild Czechoslovak secret agents watched as Arab terrorats bundled Mr. Jordan into an Egyptian Embassy car, took him to the embassy and torrured and killed him, before wrapping his body in a carpet and dumping it in the Vitava. Mr. Frotik said that Mr. Jordan was delivered to



Mr. Jordan, speaking in Paris in 1949, eventually earned the ire of Communist regimes in Europe.

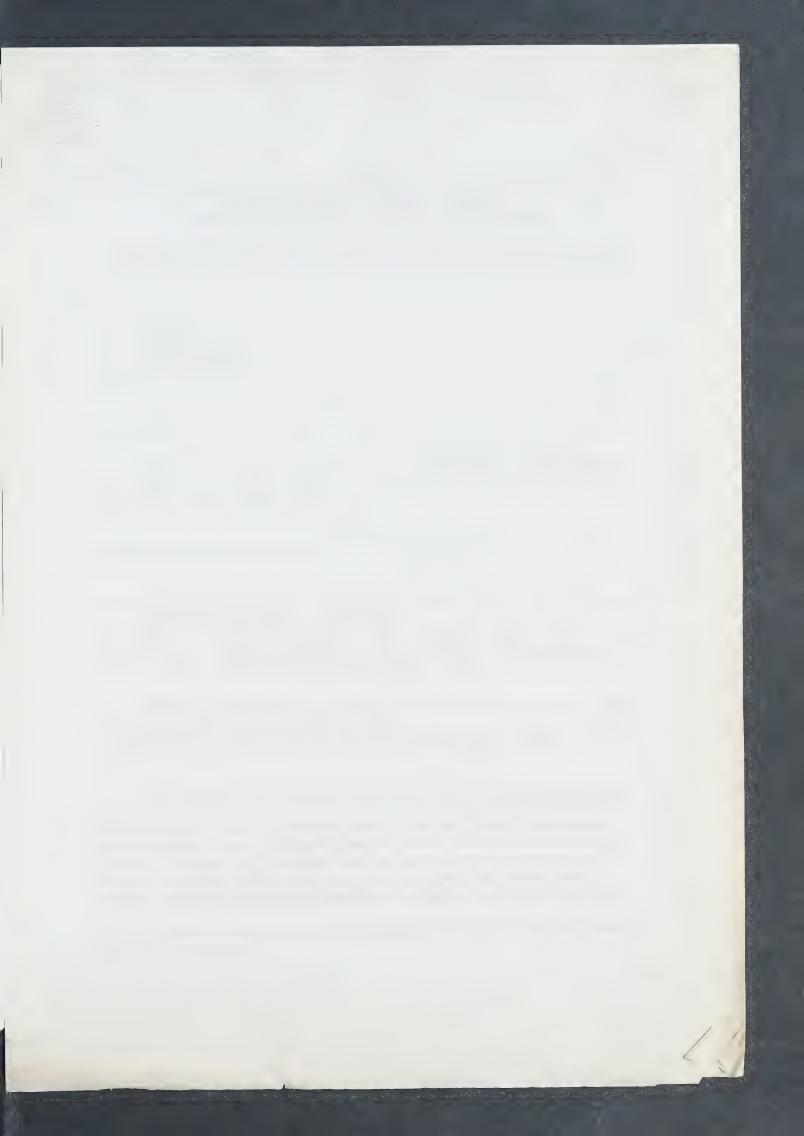
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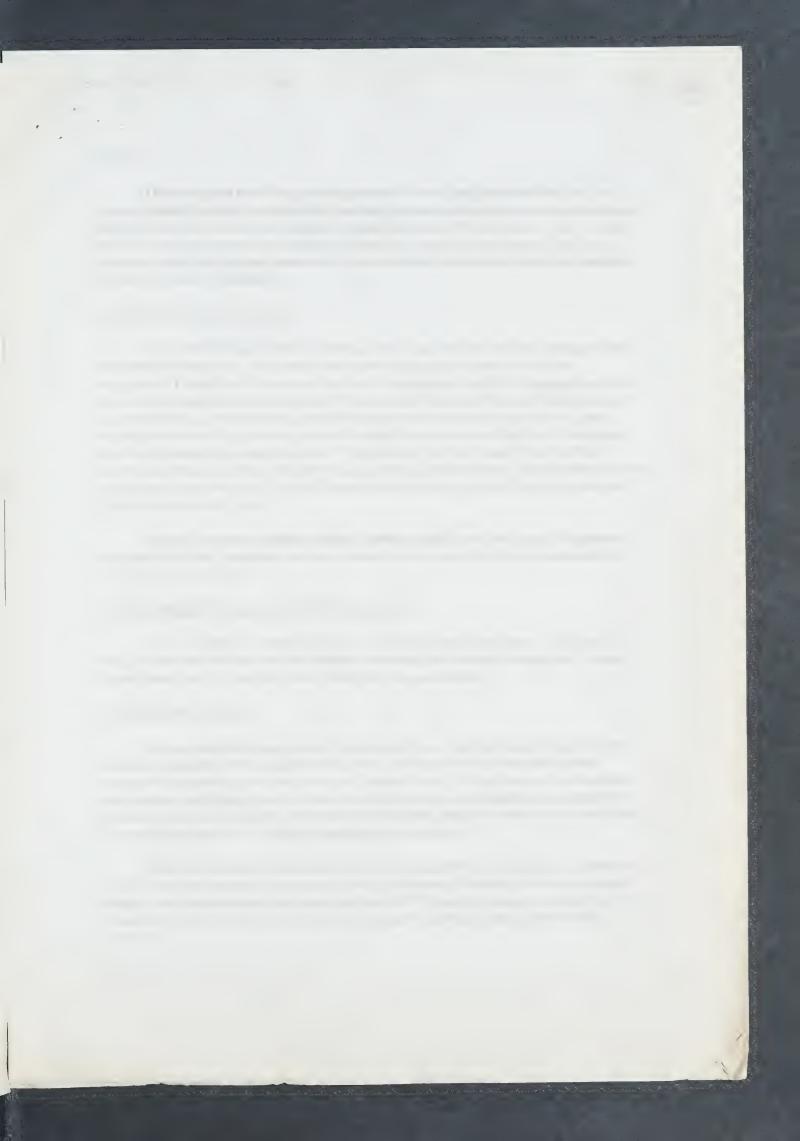
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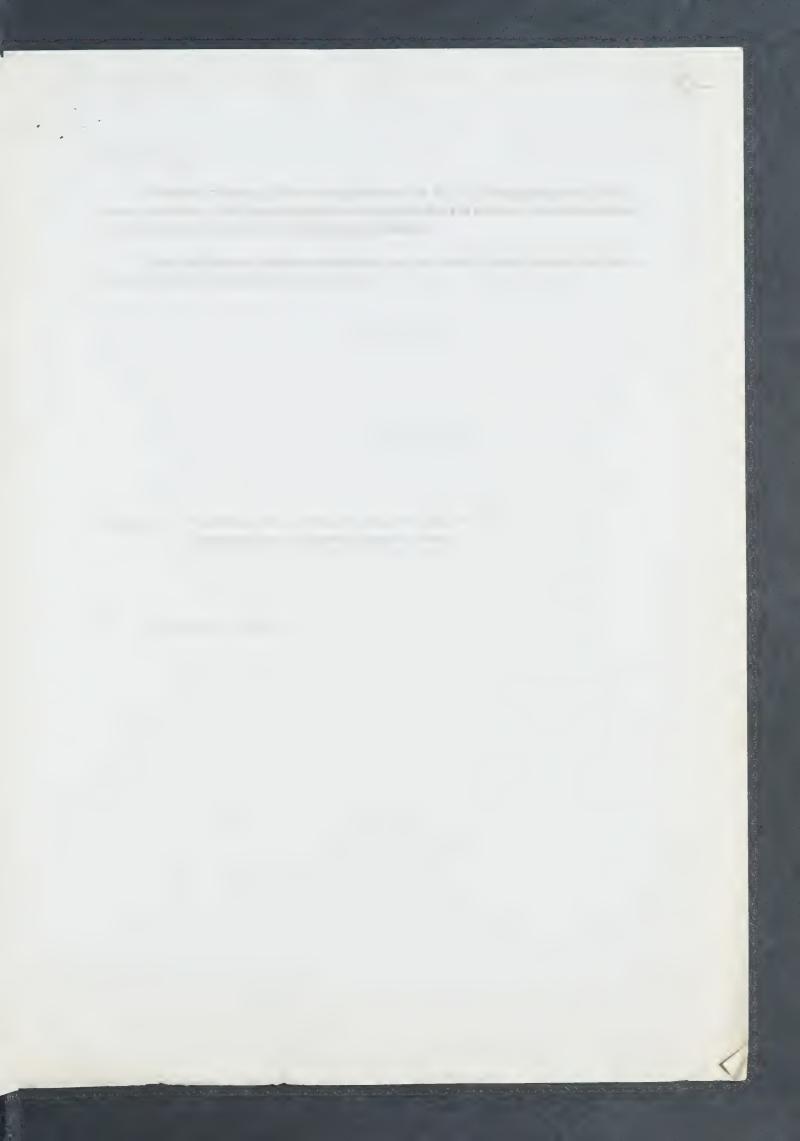




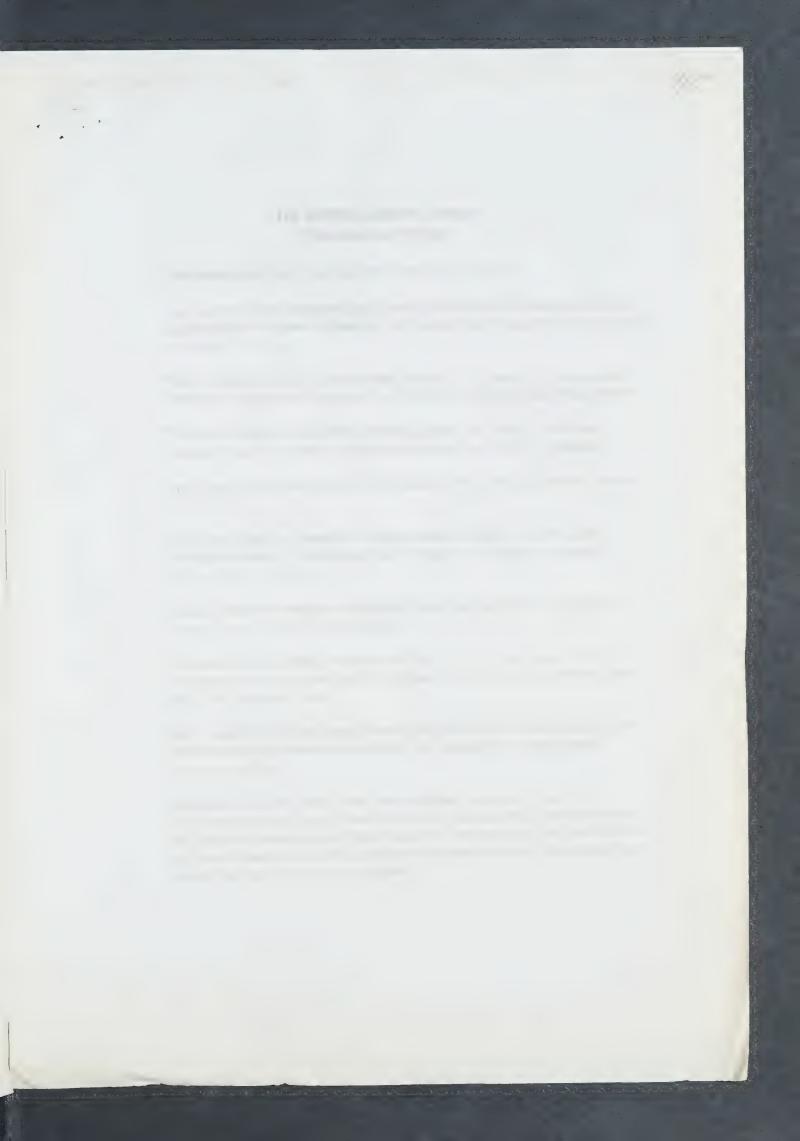




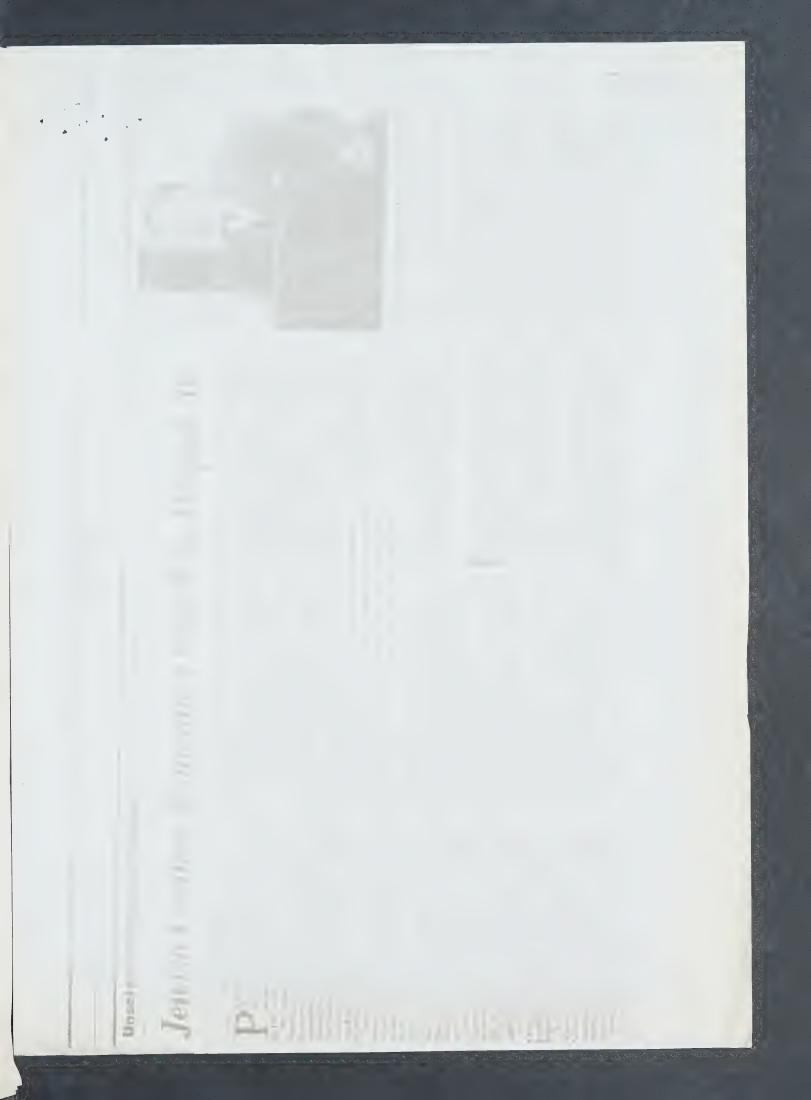


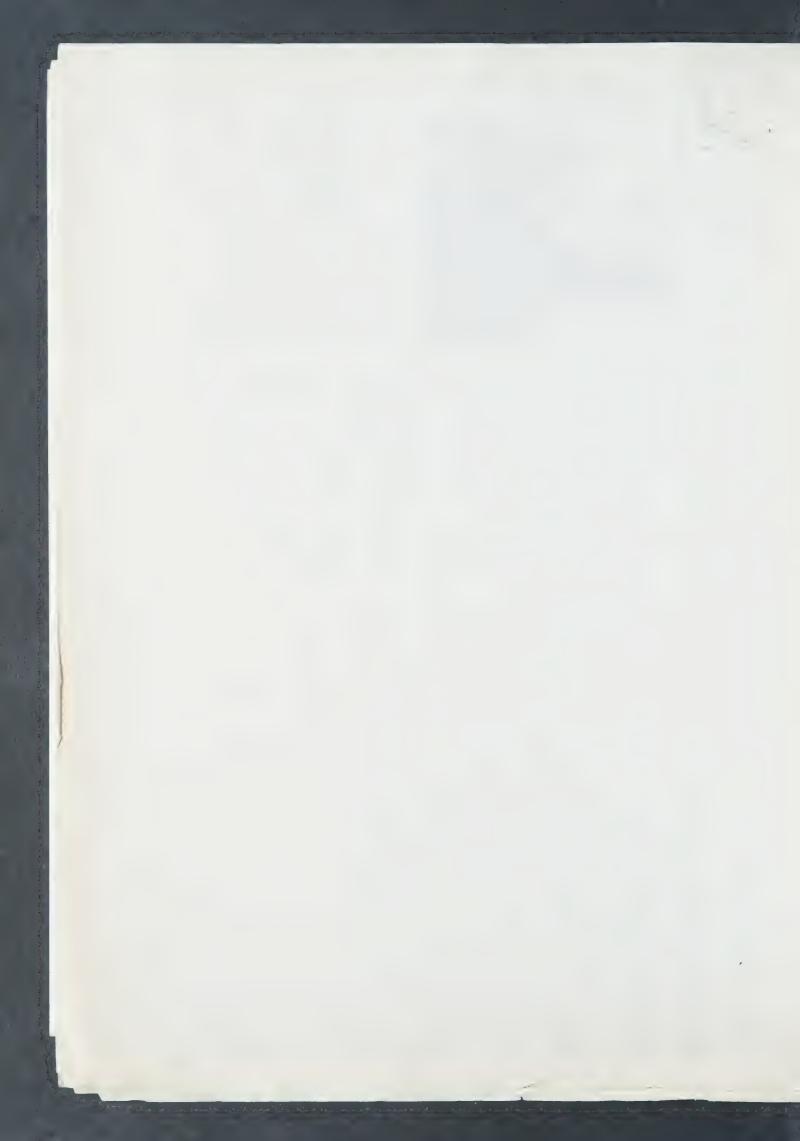












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From: "Yechiel Bar-Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

**To:** <baderfa@execpc.com>

23 February

Dear Alfred,

Thanks for your message. Will be more than pleased if you would share the information with  ${\tt Mr.}$  Al Kaneb.

Sincerely yours,

Yechiel Bar-Chaim (by phone from Prague)

----Original Message----

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Sent: mardi 22 février 2000 17:45

To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim Subject: Your report

Dear Yechiel,

Thank you so much for your 8 page e-mail and fax with your truly moving report

about people in need in the Balkans.

I presume that you will not mind my sharing pp. 2-8 with Mr. Al Kaneb, the Lebanese American entrepreneur near Boston who has also given \$25,000 a year to help Romas in the Czech Republic.

Unless I hear from you to the contrary, I will mail that to Mr. Kaneb tomorrow.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader



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FAX # 2195

**21 February 2000** 

Dr. Alfred Bader Astor Hotel - Suite 622 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202 Fax (414) 277 0709

Dear Alfred,

I have reviewed the material concerning the charity in Austria.

What I understand is that the honoraria in question were never paid, but that the only reason they were not was because there were insufficient funds to do so. Therefore you are correct to imagine that a donation would simply go into the family's pocket.

No matter how worthy the cause, one is indeed obliged to question whether this organization conforms to reasonable standards of transparency and accountability. Several family members are involved, covering different aspects of the organization's work. Presumably one checks the other. How is an outsider to know by any objective standard whether the "open" charges are just or not?

Therefore my recommendation would be to search for a different charity, more capable of meeting professional ethical standards.

Am scheduling for next Friday meetings with the different persons managing your projects. If you have any special instructions or guidance, I would be happy to receive them beforehand, by fax or email.

I send you my best regards,

Sincerely Yours,

**Yechiel Bar-Chaim** 

Cc: Michael Schneider Arnon Mantver Tzivia Bieler





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A Chemist Helping Chemists

February 18, 2000

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# ALFRED BADER FINE ARTS

DR. ALFRED BADER

ESTABLISHED 1961

February 9, 2000

Mrs. Tzivia Bieler
The American Jewish
Joint Distribution Committee, Inc.
711 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10017-4014

Dear Mrs. Bieler,

As you know from Yechiel Bar-Chaim's fax #2120 of February 8th, sent to you and me, he can help with the funding of the Bader Award for young Czech chemists.

Hence, enclosed please find my check for \$10,000, which will pay for the awards in the years 2000, 2001 and 2002.

Thank you also for your detailed letter of February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

I will send you further checks after our return from a lecture tour to northern Florida.

Have you learned from Bulgaria whether all of the money was spent to help old Bulgarians on a non-sectarian basis?

It certainly is easier to write to you now that we know you.

With all good wishes as always I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az enc. - \$10,000 ck.

C: Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chaim

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# A Chemist Helping Chemists

**February 4, 2000** 

TO:

Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chaim

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FAX #:

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Dear Yechiel,

Attached is a two page update on our various initiatives sent to me by the Foundation for a Civil Society on September 23, 1997.

You will see the Bader Award for a Young Czech Chemist was secured through 1999.

May I send a check for \$10,000 to the Joint in New York for you to send Czech Crowns 330,000, to secure funding for this award through the year 2002?

Do you have someone with you who knows German and is somewhat familiar with charitable organizations in Austria? If so, I would like to send you some very curious correspondence with an organization in Graz.

I hope you won't say that I burden you with giving all sorts of funds in the Czech Republic, in Israel, in the Ukraine and elsewhere and now I want to burden you with Austria. And, as you know, the Austrians have other problems too!

With all good wishes I remain

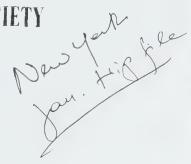
Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader

AB/az att.



# BADER INITIATIVES UPDATE SEPTEMBER 23, 1997



# I. Alfred Bader Award for Young Czech Chemists

- FCS forwarded 110,000 Kc (c. \$3,212) to the Czech Chemical Society who will present Dr. Vladimir Havlicek
  with the third annual 1997 Alfred Bader Award for Young Czech Chemists. The award ceremon if be held
  at the Liblice Chateau in October. Zdenka Krejcova or another FCS representative will present the award at the
  ceremony.
- Applicants are currently being considered for the 1998 Chemistry Award.

Funding: Secured through 1999



# H. Bader Chemistry Fellowship Program

- · An advertising campaign is underway for next year's fellowships
- Miran Chytil, a current Bader Fellow at Harvard, will be traveling to the Czech Republic October 7-28 to speak
  at various universities and institutes around the country to promote the Bader Fellowship Program
- On 9/18/97, the Foundation's Executive Committee approved Dr. Bader's proposal to provide additional grants
  to Bader Fellows. These grants would be intended for Bader Fellows who are returning to the Czech Republic
  to accept positions at academic or research institutions. The Prague office is currently researching the logistics
  and legalities of extending the Bader grants in this way. Should this be possible, the first of these grants will be
  awarded to Miloslav Nic at the Institute of Chemical Technology (VSCHT) in Prague

<u>Funding:</u> Grants to Bader Fellows are not currently provided through FCS; the extension grants would most likely be facilitated by FCS although the details must still be worked out

## III. Sur for Research in Art History - Milena Bartlova

• to report

## IV. Bader Awards for the Research of Baroque Painting

An advertising campaign is currently underway for the 1998 competition.

Funding: Secured through 1999



## V. Jewish Initiatives

- Through the generosity of Dr. and Mrs. Bader, The Jewish Society Olomouc opened a Jewish library in July.
   1997 with books by Jewish authors, books about Judaism, videos and tape recordings of Jewish music.
- The Jewish Society Brno has used a Bader grant to continue "Jewish Family" in 1997. Jewish Family is a
  winter camp for the Jewish youth of Brno, which was founded last year with a previous Bader grant

Funding: New funds must be secured in accordance with the continuance/expansion of this initiative

# VI. Romani Initiatives

- The Rajko Djuric Foundation has continued to directly assist the Roma population in the Czech Republic through such projects as providing tutors for children after school and facilitating a day trip from Chanov to Prague. Another major project by the Djuric Foundation is the "Social Legal Academy," a program to train Roma students to become social workers and civil servants. The Djuric Foundation also donated \$1000, on behalf of Dr. Bader, to assist victims of the floods which devastated the country this summer. This was particularly beneficial as some Roma families were actually denied assistance from flood relief organizations
- Bader has proposed a future grant of \$10,000 for the Rajko Djuric Foundation to continue its "Social Legal Academy" in 1998 pending the Academy's 1997 success

Funding: Secured through 1997

# VII. General Support:

Funding: Secured through 1997

## VIII. Other:

• The Prague Office is currently researching the possibility of funding a chair in Organic Chemistry at a Czech university or institute









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Subject: Your fax of today

Date: Fri, 07 Jan 2000 16:04:39 -0600

From: Alfred Bader <baderfa@execpc.com>

Organization: Alfred Bader Fine Arts

To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

Dear Mr. Bar-Chaim,

I like everything about your Fax #2008 of today except your beginning. If you must address me as Dr. Bader I will have to address you as Bar-Chaim, but I think of you as Yechiel.

I would like to continue the organic award in the Czech Republic but have to check my records whether I made the last payment for three years either two years or three years ago. If I made it three years ago, then I should send you the equivalent of 3x 100,000 Czech crowns to pay for the next three years.

A \$10,000 gift to Chemistry in Brno was a one time gift which I made to help a young professor there.

I am quite certain that the Joint has forwarded the  $2x\$  \$10,000 for the two Palestinian organizations. The only gift that has not yet been accounted for is the \$10,000 gift I sent for the Israel Free Loan organization. That just fell between chairs and I presume that the Joint in New York has now sent a check. Isabel and I look forward to being in New York the last week of this month and then hope to be able to meet with Michael Schneider and Cynthia Beeler. We will check up on that.

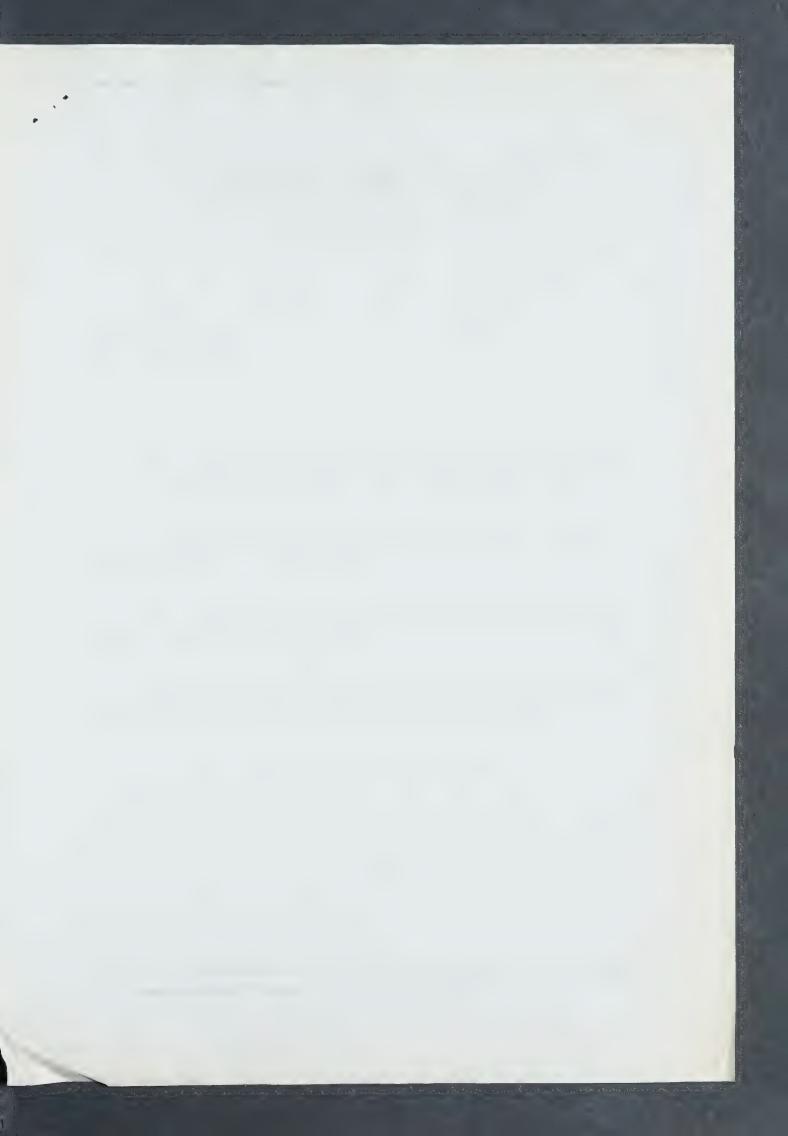
I have not yet heard about Bulgaria, specifically about a gift this year, but will surely receive an answer during our meeting in New York.

Back in 1976 I was a guest curator of an exhibition of Dutch biblical paintings and by Air Mail I am sending you the introduction, in response to your P.S.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader







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December 20, 1999

Dr. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau Suite 622 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Alfred,

Since you and I first met and began corresponding a number of years ago, I have always been honored by your interest in JDC's work, by your trust in us as we facilitated the distribution of your donations, and by our occasional discussions regarding both history and current events.

Whenever one of your letters arrived in my office, my assistant, Tzivia Bieler, whom you have spoken to on a number of occasions, was always quick to expedite your requests and to be certain that I responded to your letters as swiftly as possible. Unfortunately, Tzivia's husband had been quite ill over the past 3 months and, as a result of her occasional absences during his hospitalizations, your file was misdirected and your last group of letters not answered. Sadly, Tzivia's husband passed away three weeks ago at the young age of 54.

Tzivia returned to the office almost 2 weeks ago. She has worked diligently to put things back in order as she has done for me so efficiently for over 7 years. She, of course, feels deeply responsible for these errors and hopes that you will not hold any ill will towards JDC. She wanted to write to you directly, but I assured her that I would explain the situation to you.

We have now determined exactly what must be done to rectify the situation. The information is as follows:

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- 1) We have located your October 13th letter and the \$16,000 check which you have designated to finance the Czech Art History scholarships. Our check will be forwarded to Yechiel Bar-Chaim immediately to be given to Dr. Milena Bartlova. I'm sure Dr. Batlova will be happy to receive your kind assistance.
- 2) I want to reassure you that your October 4th letter and enclosed check of \$20,000 for the orphanage in Dnepopetrovsk was indeed received. These funds have now been transferred. I see from Fleur Hassan's September 23rd letter to you that the orphanage was in a serious financial situation and I have no doubt that your gift was deeply appreciated.
- 3) On September 7th, you sent an \$11,800 check, designating \$10,000 for the Israel Free Loan Association and \$1,800 for Beth Shalom, a small museum in Nottinghamshire, depicting the events of the Holocaust. Once again, we neglected to thank you for these wonderful gifts. Beth Shalom received your donation. A check is now also being mailed to IFLA.
- 4) The check to the Ann Frank Fond has finally reached its destination. An incomplete address prevented the check from arriving earlier.
- 5) Enclosed you will find my June 17th acknowledgement of your June 9th letter and your \$16,200 donation to Sue Read's Kindertransport documentary.
- 5) Enclosed you will find a copy of my May 5th acknowledgment to your April 30th letter in which you enclosed a \$20,000 check for our non-sectarian work with Palestinians.
- 6) Enclosed also is my February 22nd letter and Tzivia's March 18th letter regarding your \$20,000 gift for Cuba.



# DR. ALFRED BADER Page 3

December 20, 1999

7) Also enclosed is a copy of my January 13th letter to you acknowledging your \$36,000 gift for non-sectarian work in Bulgaria and your \$30,000 donation towards the orphanage in Odessa.

I apologize once again for this unfortunate chain of events. Please view it as an aberration to our usual system and, with that in mind, I hope you and I will continue our warm and open relationship.

Please let me know if you have any other questions.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Michael Schneider

MS:tb Enclosure

cc: Lin

Linda Levi Yechiel Bar-Chaim

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Fleur Hassan

P.S. The IRS requires us to acknowledge your contribution in writing and to state that we provided no goods or services in consideration for your gift. Please keep this letter with your tax records. Your charitable deduction may be disallowed if you are unable to provide this acknowledgment to the IRS upon request.



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June 17, 1999

Dr. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau Suite 622 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Alfred,

Many thanks for your most recent June 9th letter.

As you have requested, we have forwarded your \$16,200 donation to the World Jewish Relief, which you have designated for Sue Read's Kindertransport documentary.

I know that you spoke briefly to both Steve Schwager and Marcia Presky regarding JDC's non-sectarian programs in Cuba. I was sorry that I missed the opportunity to speak to you directly. Perhaps we will be in touch when you return from your trip to Prague.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

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cc: Vivienne Lewis -- WJR Vivian Green

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May 5, 1999

Dr. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau Suite 622 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Alfred,

Thank you for your letter dated April 30, 1999 and for your \$20,000 check for our non-sectarian work with Palestinians. It will be very useful for the continuation of the two projects that you have designated and, as always, I very much appreciate your partnership in our programs.

I have just returned from Albania and I thought you would be interested in reading the enclosed May 3rd JDC Update on the Situation in Yugoslavia.

As soon as my desk clears somewhat, I will carefully read the other correspondence you sent regarding Edgar Bronfman and will write to you again.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Michael

Michael Schneider

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CC:

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March 18, 1999

Dr. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau, Suite 622 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Dr. Bader,

Enclosed please find the updated material that you wanted to see on JDC's non-sectarian programs. You will note that there is a separate piece on our Professional Medical Education Project in Cuba. I hope that this will provide you with the information you needed.

For your own information, I have sent a memo to our Accounting Department and our International Development Program Director advising them to correct all records regarding your most recent \$20,000 donation.

I hope that you and your wife are well and are looking forward, as we New Yorkers are, to the arrival of Spring. I was, of course, happy to see Daniel during our March meetings.

As always, with best regards,

Sincerely,

Tzivia Bieler

/tb Enclosure

bcc: Michael Schneider Will Recant Marcia Presky

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Neil Malmud

FROM: Tzivia Bieler

CC: Vivian Green

Will Recant

RE: \$20,000 donation for Dr. Alfred Bader

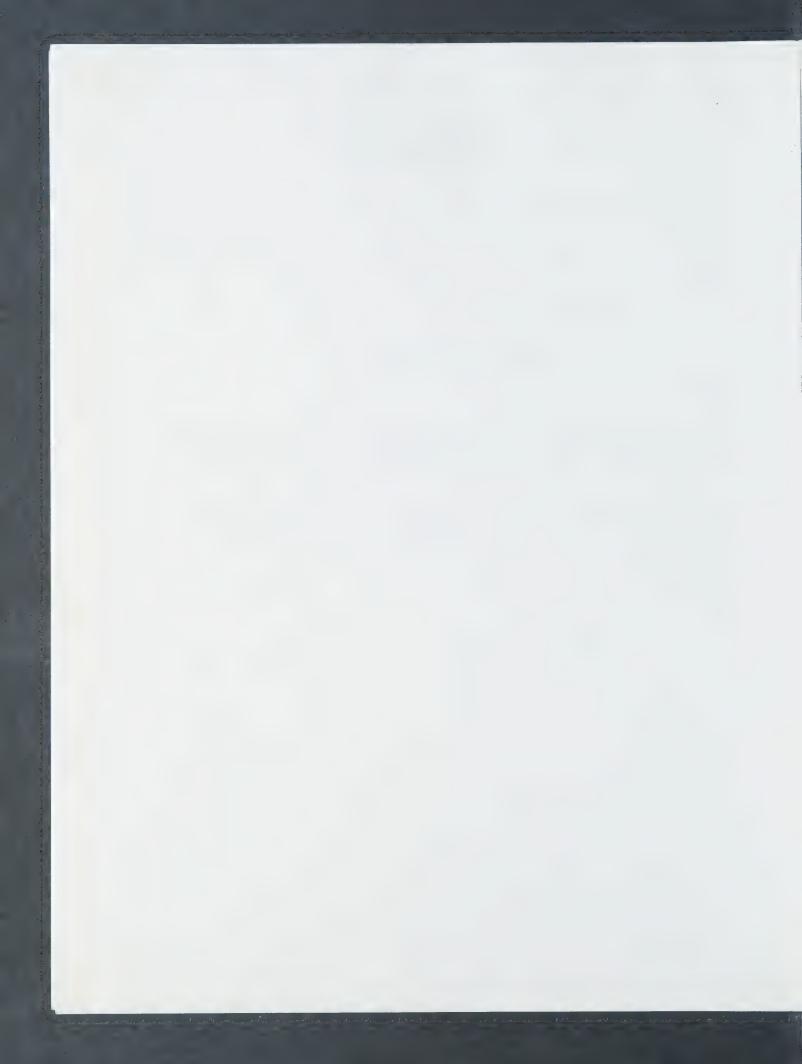
DATE: March 1, 1999

We recently received a \$20,000 donation from Dr. Alfred Bader which he had marked as money for "Caribbean." I assumed that meant our non-sectarian relief for victims of Hurricane Mitch.

We have now spoken to Bader -- this money was actually for our non-sectarian work in Cuba. Please correct our records accordingly.

Many thanks.

/tb



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February 22, 1999

Dr. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau, Suite 622 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Alfred,

Thank you so much for your letter of February 8th and your check for \$20,000 for aid to the Caribbean. When you say Caribbean, do you mean aid for the victims of Hurricane Mitch or do you mean our non-sectarian work in Cuba as we discussed?

It was a pleasure being with both you and Isabel and having a chance to talk about some non-business matters.

I have sent a letter to Yechiel Bar-Chaim, our Country Director for the Czech Republic and the Former Yugoslavia, and asked him how he might incorporate funding and monitoring of the grant to the Foundation for a Civil Society. You will hear from me quite shortly.

As far as the Jewish community is concerned, they are relatively better off than most other East European communities due to the return of some valuable communal properties confiscated by the Nazis and the Communists.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Michael

Michael Schneider

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January 13, 1999

Dr. Alfred Bader 2961 North Shepard Avenue Milwaukee, WI 53211

Dear Alfred,

Please excuse the delay in responding to your letter of December 31, 1998 which arrived on January 4th, no doubt because of the "Season's Greetings" rush.

I would be very happy to spend some time with you in the last week of January. The best days for me are either Tuesday, January 26th, or Thursday, January 28th. I suggest that you and your wife could come to our offices for a briefing by staff, and perhaps we could have dinner together the same evening. Please have your office call my assistant, Tzivia Bieler, who will be happy to make whatever arrangements are necessary. Her direct telephone number is 212-885-0812.

I have, in fact, been in touch with the World Jewish Relief (WJR) leadership, particularly Ashley Mitchell, and I am trying to give him some advice. I think Warren feels he is ready for another challenge and Eli feels he will not be considered for the top job. World Jewish Relief is currently searching for a new Director. We are trying to be helpful in their search.

At present, WJR is focusing a large part of its budget on hunger relief in the Former Soviet Union, channeled via JDC. It also sponsors economic development and community organization in Bulgaria. Designated gifts are channeled separately by WJR to whichever agency is most suited to execute the project.

Thank you so much for the two checks. As you requested, \$36,000 will be designated towards non-sectarian work in Bulgaria and \$30,000 towards the orphanage in Odessa. As always, I am grateful to you for your gifts and for your interest in our work. Incidentally, you are correct about Bulgaria during the war. It was the Bulgarians in Macedonia who were compliant with the Nazis.

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LETTER TO: DR. ALFRED BADER

January 13, 1999

Meanwhile, we carry on here with whatever life and history bring us. We are now providing relief for 175,000 elderly Jews in the Former Soviet Union. We are watching the political situation as well and are preparing contingencies in case things worsen and we are expelled. This is a plan, not a prediction.

We are providing relief in Ethiopia for several thousand so-called Felas Mora -- Jews who converted to Christianity several generations ago. They now want to go to Israel, have sold their meager land and possessions and have transformed themselves from a relatively self-sufficient agrarian community to a population of urban slum-dwellers. Eventually, if Israel rejects them, a way will have to be found to get them back on the land again.

We are also in the process of negotiating how much should be used from Swiss Banks on services to the aged poor survivors around the world. This sum could be substantial and will provide us with much needed financial relief. But there is a long way to the end of this affair -- lawyers getting into the act, etc.

We can, of course, discuss more when we meet; I look forward to seeing you at the end of the month.

Sincerely,

Michael

Michael Schneider

MS:tb

P.S. The IRS requires us to acknowledge your contribution in writing and to state that we provided no goods or services in consideration for your gift. Please keep this letter with your tax records. Your charitable deduction may be disallowed if you are unable to provide this acknowledgment to the IRS upon request.

bcc: Daniel Bader Steve Schwager Vivian Green Merri Ukraincik Scott Richman





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Near Dr. Bai-Chaim:

Thank you for your fax # 420. I look

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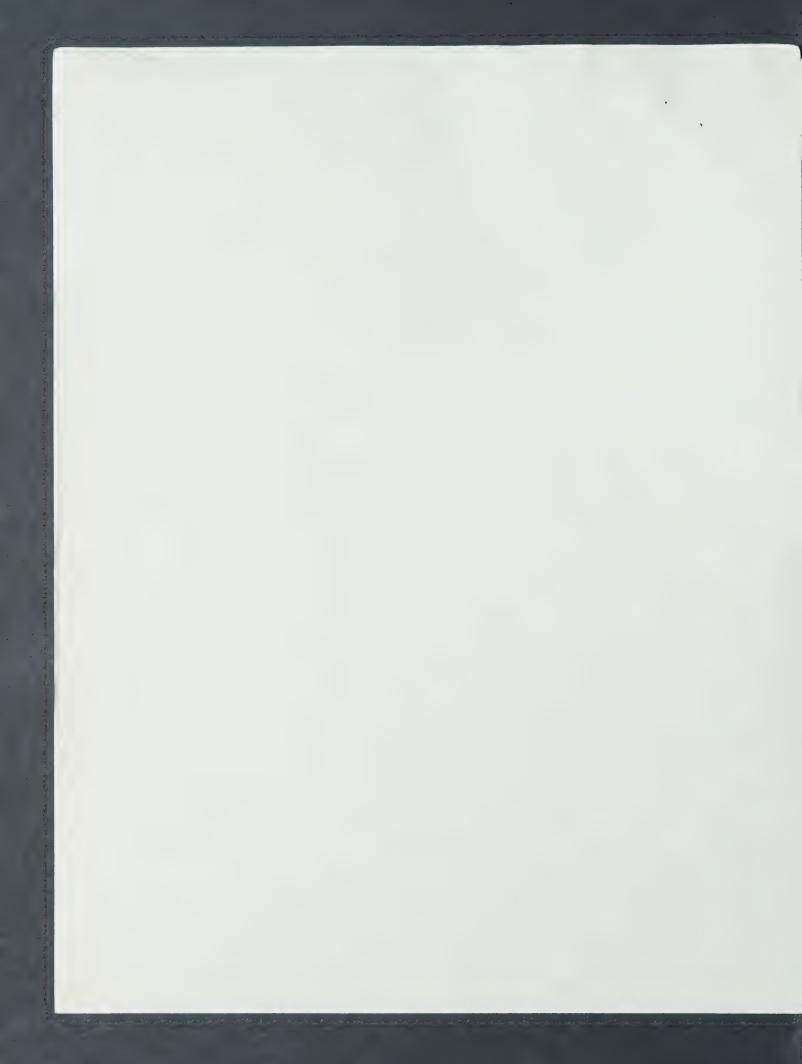
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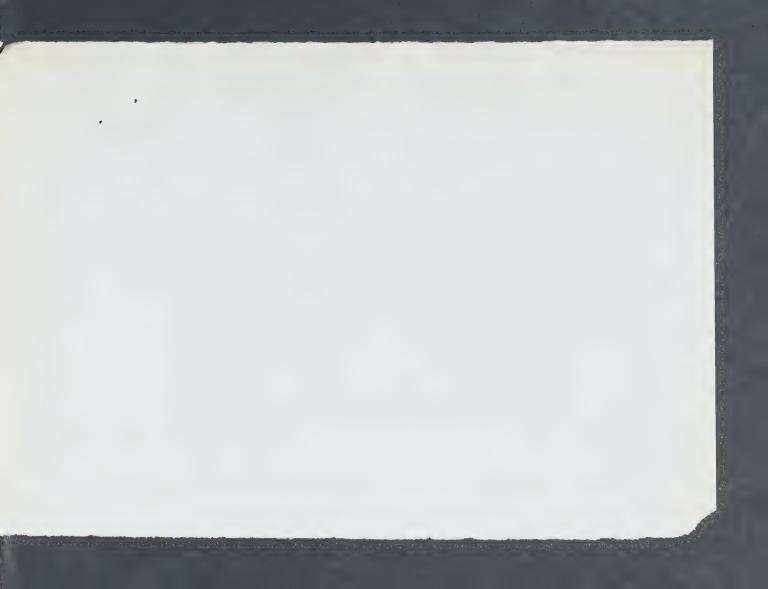
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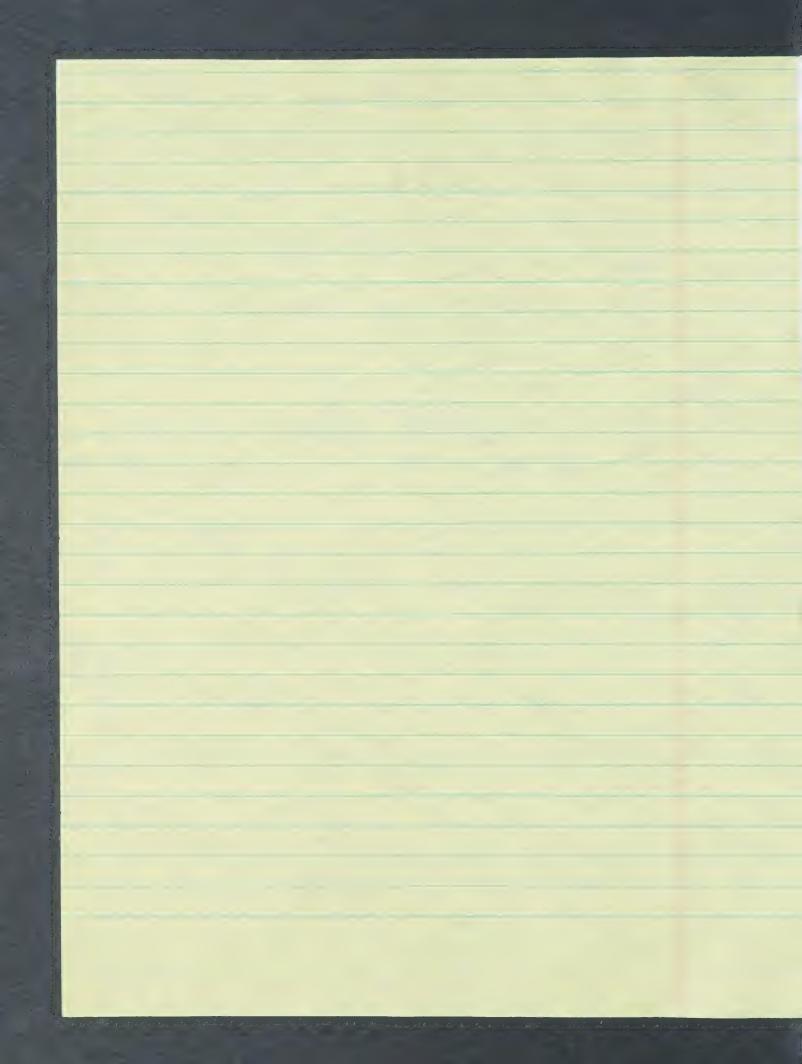






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25<sup>th</sup> October 1999

Dr. A Bader Astor Hotel Suite 622, 924 East Juneau Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin USA 53202

Dear Dr. Bader,

I am sorry I have not written sooner but I was away in Gibraltar visiting my family.

I am writing to you with my sincere gratitude for your kind donation, not only on behalf of World Jewish Relief but also on behalf of the children in the Dnepopetrovsk orphanages. I will make sure to keep you updated on their progress.

I understand you will be in England for some time in the coming months. I look forward to seeing you in London when you have time to visit us. I have taken the liberty of sending you an invitation to our Annual Dinner, to your English address. It would be a pleasure to see you and your wife there.

Best wishes

Yours sincerely

Fleur Hassan Campaign Director



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A Chemist Helping Chemists September 17, 1999

Ms. Fleur Hassan Campaign Director World Jewish Relief Drayton House 30 Gordon Street London WC1H 0AN ENGLAND

Dear Ms. Hassan.

I am sorry that a lecture tour has delayed my responding to your thoughtful letter of September 6th.

Thank you particularly for sending me that book which has some very interesting parts but, by and large, is really quite discouraging. I wish I had asked you to send it to our English address. Postage to there is much lower and I have much more time during our three months in England than I do here.

I read your material on the Children's Homes in Dnepropetrovsk with great interest. How does the need of that orphanage compare with the needs of the one in Odessa? I have been helping the latter for some years and would of course like to help both, but need to know how their needs compare.

We plan to be back in England during the second half of November and then until December 20<sup>th</sup>. During that time I will come to London a good many times.

I just noted that you have included us as Patrons of the WJR. However, my wife's name is Dr. Isabel Bader.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader

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6<sup>th</sup> September 1999

Dr. A Bader Astor Hotel Suite 622 924 East Juneau Avenue Milwaukee Wisconsin USA 53202

Dear Dr. Bader.

It was a pleasure to meet you last Thursday, if only for a short time. I hope your trip back home was comfortable.

As promised I am sending you the book you were interested in on the Kindertransport. I am in the process of reading your autobiography, which is proving quite fascinating, and I thank you for suggesting we trade books.

It was interesting hearing your views on the causes that we support. I am pleased to be able to learn which projects attract you. In this way, I can keep you informed should something of particular relevance come up.

The cause I believe appealed to you most during our discussion, was the Children's Homes in Dnepropetrovsk. Please find attached further details on these Homes. As you will see from their expenditure budget, they run a tight ship, which is accountable to their donors for every last penny. I have also taken the liberty of enclosing information on the Tikvah Club, which is a day care centre for handicapped children in Ukraine.

I look forward to seeing you again in November when you are next in London. I would be grateful if you could confirm when you are available. If there is any practical help you need regarding the scholarship project you are putting together please do not hesitate to contact me.

I take this opportunity of wishing you and your family all the best for the new year.

Warm regards

Yours sincerely

Fleur Hassan Campaign Director



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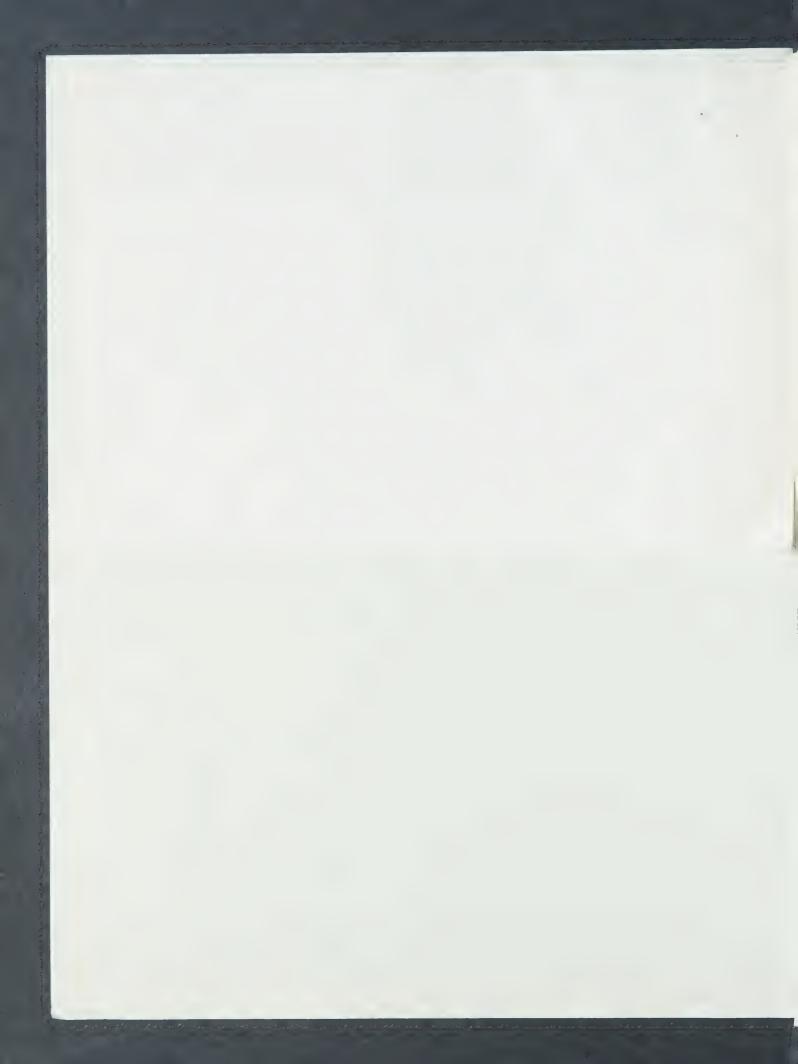
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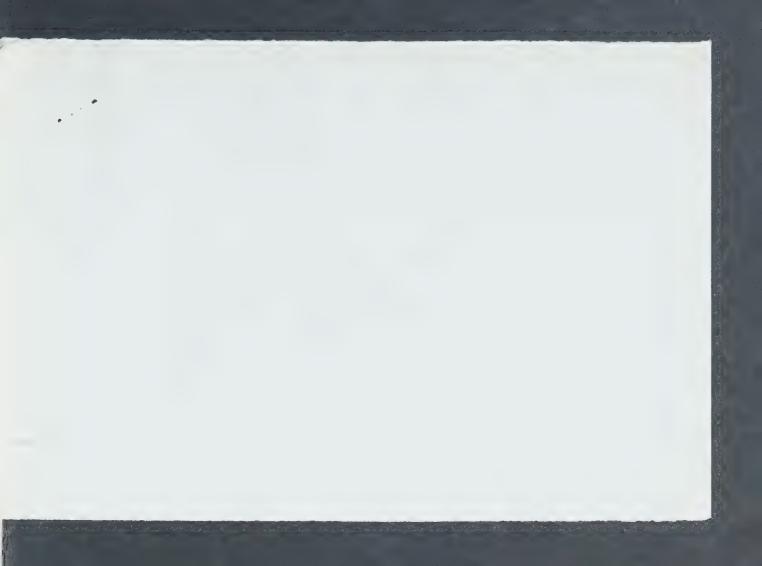
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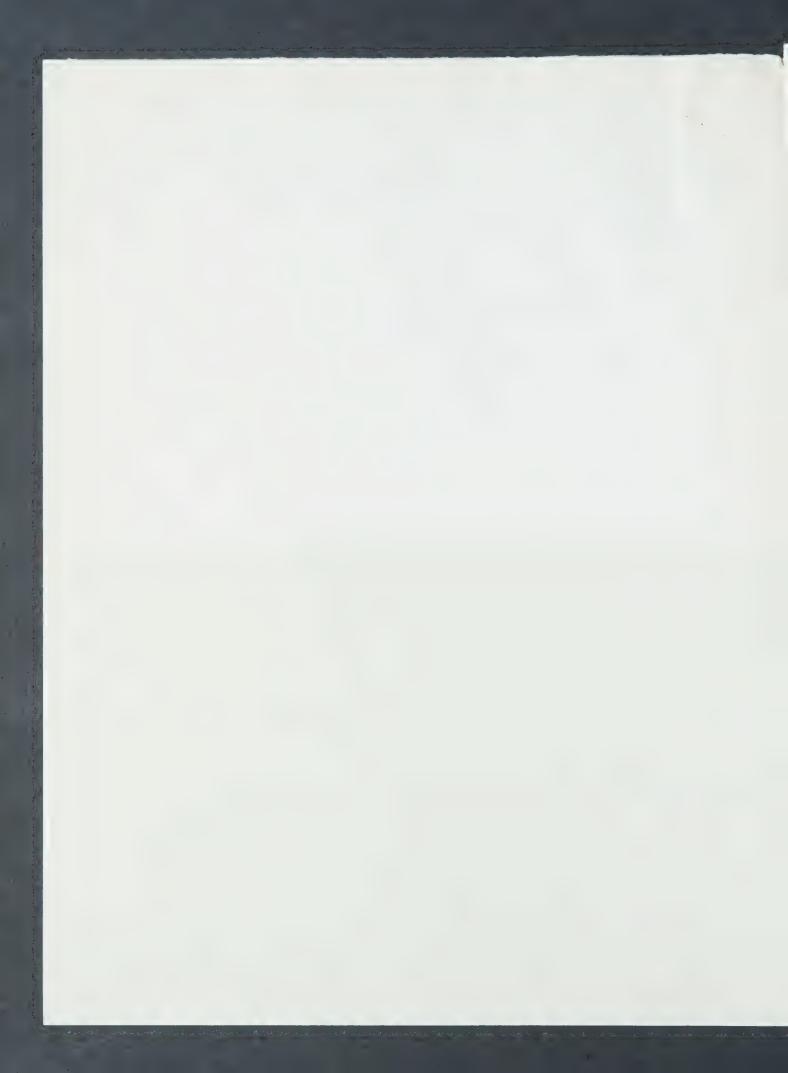
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Subject: Czech Republic

**Date:** Mon, 18 Oct 1999 10:28:12 -0500

From: Alfred Bader <baderfa@execpc.com>

Organization: Alfred Bader Fine Arts

To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

Dear Mr. Bar-Chaim,

I promised to tell you a little bit more about our efforts in the Czech Republic.

As I understand it, the Art History scholarships are now in place and we can depend on Dr. Bartlova to do a very good job. She is an able art historian, I have given her personally a number of travel grants and she is the daughter of that very great first Czech Ambassador to Washington, the late Rita Klimova.

Every three years I would like to give the Czech Chemical Society the funds needed for three successive 100,000 Crown awards. Professor Paleta is very much of a politician and I do not think that he is very reliable.

When next you are in Prague you might like to chat with the first Bader Fellow to return to the Czech Republic to an academic position at the Technical University, the same institute where Professor Paleta teaches. Do chat with this first Bader Fellow, Ph.D. from Imperial College in London, Dr. Nic.

In order to help Bader Fellows find positions in the Czech Republic we have pledged \$30,000 per Fellow returning to a Czech academic position. Dr. Nic was the first Fellow to receive this, and the \$30,000 is in place. The understanding is that the Universities take 10%, that is, \$1,000 per year, and the returning Fellows get \$9,000 a year, to be used to help their students.

You will enjoy talking to Dr. Nic, whom I trust completely.

I am an organic chemist and hence want the Bader Award, 100,000 Czech Crowns per year, to go to an organic chemist. I do not buy the argument that the Czech Republic is a small country and so finds it difficult to give this award annually. To me this is nonsense and it is completely politically inspired. An even worse case of such politics is the story about Sheffield University on p.260 of my autobiography.

Regarding the help to the Czech Romas, I do want to continue my help through the Nadace Via for one more year simply because I promised it.

I did not realize that the Nadace Via takes 12% on top of the 20% demanded by the Foundation for a Civil Society.

Probably during our visit in London you will be able to suggest alternate and probably better ways of helping Romas in the Czech Republic. Please keep in mind that I would like to help Romas in the Czech Republic and, at this point, not in other countries. Of course you will ask why, and the answer is that I feel a special kinship with the Czech people and am embarrassed that many of them have treated the Romas so badly.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader



Subject: RE: Art History scholarships

Date: Wed, 13 Oct 1999 16:23:54 +0200

From: "Yechiel Bar-Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

To: <baderfa@execpc.com>

13 October 1999

Dear Dr. Bader,

Thank you for your email of 11 October.

The JOINT is indeed ready to accept from you a donation of \$ 16,000 to finance three Art History scholarships for undergraduates in the Czech Republic (including \$1,000 for the local project costs of Ms. Bartlova).

Perhaps the easiest way to transfer the funds would be if you would send a check, made out to AJJDC, to Michael Schneider with a brief note stating your intent, and a copy to me.

The story of my trip to London is simple: On November 25 and 26, I have several other meetings and a fund-raising speaking engagement that I arranged for a time when I knew that I could see you as well. Looking forward to the opportunity.

Sincerely yours,

Yechiel Bar-Chaim

----Original Message---From: Alfred Bader [mailto:baderfagexepps.com]

Sent: lundi 11 octobre 1999 22:39

To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim Cc: Milena Bartlova

Subject: Art History scholarships

Dear Mr. Bar-Chaim,

I am sorry that a lecture tour to the South has delayed my responding to your e-mail of October 8.

I have just had a long telephone conversation with Dr. Milena Bartlova in Prague to resolve our misunderstanding about art historical scholarships.

My understanding during our meeting with Dr. Bartlova in Prague last June was that we would fund three undergraduate scholarships of \$5,000 each.

Then, if sometime in the future there was a really able Czech student in Art History who could benefit from a \$15,000 one year fellowship, we would give that \$15,000 in addition to the 3 x \$5,000 for undergraduates.

However, it appears now that there is no such student for the graduate fellowship, but Dr. Bartlova believes that there will be three



undergraduates who could benefit greatly from the \$5,000 scholarships.

We agreed that Dr. Bartlova would work with the Czech Association of Art Historians which is quite a small group, to advertise the availability of the \$5,000 scholarships. Dr. Bartlova told me that an additional \$1,000 would cover the cost of advertisements for these scholarships and other out of pocket expenses.

Thus, we would like to ask the Joint to accept from me \$16,000 for the three undergraduate scholarships and expenses.

Then, Dr. Bartlova will share with the Czech Association of Art Historians the fact that if in the future there will be graduate students who could really benefit from the annual \$15,000 fellowship, we will be informed and will consider giving the funds for that.

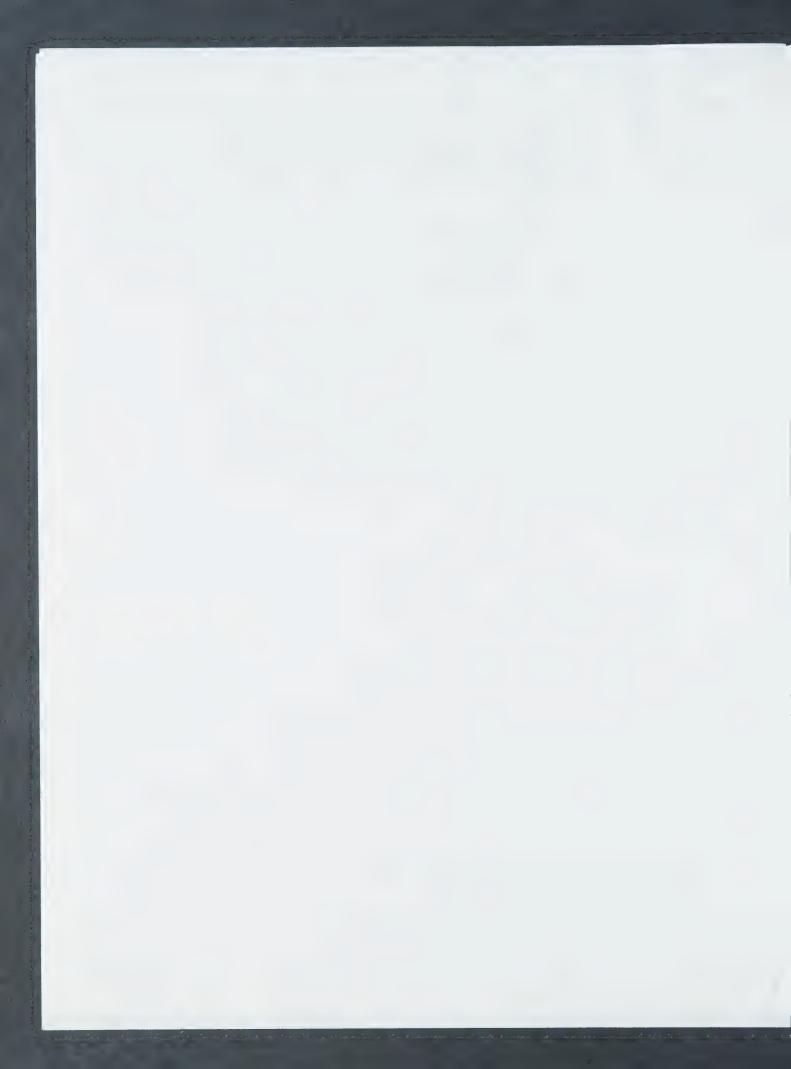
We must remember that there are not very many art historians in the Czech Republic and quite a few of those are not really interested in Baroque, that is 17th century, art.

Please let me know whether the Joint could help by giving the \$16,000 for the undergraduate scholarships.

To turn now to your fax of October 4th, of course I would be happy to meet you in London on November 25 or 26. However, surely it would not make sense for you to come to London just to talk to me. If you will come to London anyway, on other business, then let us meet at Drayton House. Otherwise, please allow me to telephone you in Paris while we are in England. We will be there from November 14 to December 20.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader





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A Chemist Helping Chemists
November 1, 1999

Professor Oldřich Paleta Department of Organic Chemistry Prague Institute of Chemical Technology Technická 5 166 28 Prague 6 CZECH REPUBLIC

Dear Professor Paleta,

Thank you so much for your letter of October 18th.

I was of course very saddened by the death notice of Professor Herout, who helped Aldrich with interesting compounds over very many years.

I am happy to note that Dr. Hocek has won this year's Bader Award. There is certainly no question that he is an able organic chemist and the one paper of his which I have read on the synthesis of purines shows his ability.

I do not think there is any great harm in the fact that at the moment only two chemists applied for this year's award.

Please remember that I am an organic chemist and I very much want to help organic chemists. I understand of course that the Czech Republic is a small country, but I do believe that the number of really able organic chemists will increase gradually. As you know, we have established fellowships at four Universities, specifically for Czech chemists to get their Ph.D.'s at Columbia, the University of Pennsylvania, Harvard and Imperial College. You know that the first Bader Fellow, Dr. Nic, has returned to Prague to teach at your



Professor Oldřich Paleta November 1, 1999 Page Two

University. You also know that we are encouraging Czech Universities to support Bader Fellows by giving them three annual grants of \$10,000 per Fellow. Surely that will increase the number of organic chemists, as will many other factors. Naturally, we will be really happy when the first Bader Fellows win the Bader Awards.

If, at the end of the day, however, the Czech Chemical Society should decide that it cannot give the Award to organic chemists, then we should just stop it. In the future you could ask either Isabel or me (if we are still alive) to reinstate the Award when the time is right.

As you know, the Foundation for a Civil Society is essentially ceasing its efforts. But we have found that the American Joint Distribution Committee is willing to help us and would pass on the 300,000 Czech Crowns required every three years. Of course it is the Czech Chemical Society and not the Joint that must make the selection.

I plan to meet Mr. Bar-Chaim in London on November 25<sup>th</sup> or 26<sup>th</sup> and hope that by then our gift can be finalized.

With all good wishes, also to Dr. Nic, I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az

Cc: Mr. Y. Bar-Chaim by e-mail





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Oct. 18, 1999.

Dear Dr. Bader:

I have the pleasure to inform you that the "Alfred Bader Award" for year 1999 received Dipl.Ing. Michal Hocek CSc. (age 30) from the Institute of Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry, Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague 6, present editor-in-chief of The Collection of the Czechosl. Chem. Commun. I enclose a list of his original papers. He was selected as the better among two applicants by majority (5:3) of the members of the "Bader Commission". This is in fact the same situation as in the last year: optically they were three aplicants, but one was a PhD student not able to compete really with the other two applicants.

The Award will be given to Dr. Hocek at the conference "Advances in Organic, Bioorganic and Pharmaceutical Chemistry" which is held on Nov. 15-17, 1999, Chateau Liblice. The winner will give a lecture at the Conference about the work that was awarded.

It seems to me that the potential candidates select themselves and apply only in situation when the receiving of the Award is most probable. We are a small country and the potential candidates know one another and also know the results of the rivals as they meet at national conferences. In addition, the potential competition is decreased, as great parts of research topics at organic chemistry departments in Pardubice and Masaryk University in Brno cannot compete: in Pardubice, a great part of the Department is involved in a modern study of substitution effects and in Brno, a great group is studying

Department is involved in a modern study of substitution effects and in Brno, a great group is studying NMR effects on synthesized model compounds.

The commission for the Award would like to suggest you to include these topics into ones that are allowed to compete for the Prize.

I was contacted by Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chaim (The American Joint Distribution Committee, Paris) who visited Prague in early September.

I enclose a copy of the death notice of Prof. Herout and a copy of article on CChS Alfred Bader Award 1998 (I am not sure whether I already had sent it to you).

With all best wishes to you and your wife Isabel,

Sincerely yours,

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# Klub nositelů "Ceny Alfreda Badera" se v roce 1998 rozšířil o dalšího člena

V pátém ročníku soutěže mladých chemiků o tuto prestižní cenu České společnosti chemické za tvůrčí přínos v organické a bioorganické chemii ji komise\* udělila Ing. Michalu Hoskovcovi, CSc. (35 let) z Ústavu organické chemie a biochemie AV ČR v Praze. Předložený soubor prací se týkal chemie feromonů. Slavnostní předání Ceny,

randské studium absolvoval (1987–1992) na nynějším pracovišti (školitel Dr. B. Koutek) a obhájil disertační práci s názvem "Syntéza a strukturně aktivitní studie sexuálních feromonů nesytek". Od r. 1992 je vědeckým pracovníkem ve výše zmíněném Ústavu. Kromě organické chemie projevoval již od počátku gymnaziálních studií vyhraněný zájem o entomologii, nejprve v rámci kroužků entomologie pod vedením našeho význačného entomologa a ekologa RNDr.



spojené s dotací 100 000 Kč (před zdaněním), z rukou předsedy České společnosti chemické prof. MUDr. RNDr. Vilíma Šimánka, DrSc., EurChem, CChem, FRSC, za přítomnosti zástupkyně nadace The Foundation for a Civil Society, slečny Lenky Studničkové, se tradičně uskutečnilo na 33. konferenci "Pokroky v organické, bioorganické a farmaceutické chemii, Liblice 98" (16.–18.11.). Zde se nový laureát představil odborné veřejnosti přednáškou s názvem "Chemická komunikace hmyzu pohledem organického chemika".

Nový nositel Ceny získal diplom inženýra chemie na Ústavu organické chemie VŠCHT v Praze (1987). DoktoJaromíra Strejčka, CSc., později jako člen České entomologické společnosti AV ČR. Spojení jeho profesionálního zájmu o chemii s entomologií jako "hobby"disciplinou mělo mimořádně pozitivní vliv na kvalitu a efektivitu jeho práce v interdisciplinárním výzkumu cíleném na studium možností ovlivňování vývoje a chování hmyzu. Od obhájení disertační práce se na Oddělení přírodních látek ÚOCHB intenzivné věnoval syntéze semiochemikálií, látek používaných hmyzem k intraa interdruhové chemické komunikaci, a studiu molekulárních mechanismů přenosu chemického signálu. Zapojil se do řady výzkumných projektů oddělení, směřujících



k integrované ochraně rostlin před hmyzími škůdci. Zde je třeba vyzdvihnout jeho podíl na řešení grantu "Biorational pesticides based on pheromone analogues", který Oddělení přírodních látek získalo na léta 1991–1995 od U.S. Agency for International Development. Pro jeho další vědecký růst měla velký význam i několikaměsíční stáž v USA (US Department of Agriculture, Gainesville, Florida), kterou v rámci tohoto grantu absolvoval. Celkový souhm odborných výsledků Ing. Michala Hoskovce, CSc. představuje osmnáct původních sdělení v mezinárodních časopisech. Nositel Ceny je ženatý, má dvě dcery (1993, 1998) a rád (a výborně) vaří.

Dr. Alfred Bader, světově známý chemik, milionář, self-made man, zakladatel firmy Aldrich, filantrop, sběratel vlámských mistrů, podporoval již od šedesátých let české chemiky ekonomicky, jak bylo možno. Důvodem může být m.j. i to, že se považuje dílem za Čecha. Jeho filantropická aktivita přerostla po roce 1989 v několik významných forem. Dr. Bader ustanovil finanční jistiny (vždy ve výši cca milion dolarů), z jejichž úroků jsou hrazena "navždy" stipendia českým studentům chemie na významných světových univerzitách, jako je Harvardova univerzita, Imperial College of London, University of Pennsylvania, Columbia University. Podrobnosti o stipendiích je možno vyžádat v sekretariátu České společnosti chemické. Dr. Bader poskytuje stipendia i studentům vlámského malířství a judaistiky. Vrcholem angažovanosti pro českou chemii bylo zřízení Ceny Alfreda Badera v roce 1994, která je spojena s udělením finanční prémie ve výši 100 tisíc korun mladému českému organickému chemikovi (do 35 let). Finanční prostředky pro cenu poskytuje Dr. Bader prostřednictvím zmíněné Nadace pro občanskou společnost a uděluje jí Česká společnost chemická na základě rozhodnutí dvanáctičlenné komise pod předsednictvím prof. Oldřicha Palety z VŠCHT Praha. Přihlásit do konkursu se může každoročně kterýkoliv český chemik splňující požadavky statutu ceny. Informace podá také sekretariát ČSCH.

Zájemce, kteří zvažují svou přihlášku do soutěže o Cenu, bude zajímat, že s výjimkou prvního, se ostatní laureáti zúčastnili soutěže vícekrát. Vlastně se stalo pravidlem, že nositel se již o Cenu ucházel v některém z předchozích ročníků, protože Cena se může udělit jen jedna. Autoři nejlepších kolekcí původních sdělení, kteří Cenu neobdrželi, získávají privilegium permanentní přihlášky (do věku 35 let); pak postačuje, aby v roce, kdy se hodlají opět soutěže zúčastnit, poslali pouze doplněk předchozího souboru, případně jej aktualizovali.

byla stanovena na 15. červen 1999 (datum poštovního razítka). Hlavní částí přihlášky jsou separáty publikovaných prací a k nim zpracovaný autorův komentář k dosaženým výsledkům v rozsahu 4-6 stran; přiložený životopis by měl zachytit odborný vývoj, mj. téma diplomové a doktorské (kandidátské) disertace, získaná ocenění, stáže a jejich tematické zaměření, získané granty apod. Řada publikací vzniká týmovou činností a v takových případech je potřebné vyjádřit podíl uchazeče na publikovaných výsledcích (návod na stručné vyjádření autorského podílu zašle přihlášeným sekretariát Společnosti). Uchazeči o Cenu se přihlašují na sekretariátě Společnosti zpravidla sami, zároveň však statut Ceny dovoluje, aby návrh podali kolegové, instituce a rovněž vědecké rady a senáty.

Přehled nositelů "Ceny Alfreda Badera":

1994 – RNDr. Ivo Starý, CSc. (33 let), Ústav organické chemie a biochemie AV ČR, Praha.

1995 – RNDr. Martin Smrčina, CSc. (34 let), Katedra organické chemie, Přírodovědecká fakulta, Univerzita Karlova, Praha.

1996 – Dr. Ing. Vladimír Havlíček (29 let), Mikrobiologický ústav AV ČR, Praha.

1997 – Ing. Pavel Lhoták, CSc. (35 let), Ústav organické chemie, Vysoká škola chemicko-technologická, Praha.

1998 – Ing. Michal Hoskovec, CSc. (35 let), Ústav organické chemie a biochemie AV ČR, Praha.

") Komise pro "Cenu Alfreda Badera": dr. P. Čárský, prof. O. Červinka, dr. P. Drašar (tajemník), doc. V. Hanuš, prof. M. Kratochvíl, prof. O. Paleta (předseda), doc. J. Plešek, prof. O. Pytela, prof. V. Šimánek, prof. T. Trnka, dr. J. Závada

Oldřich Paleta, Bohumír Koutek

# V pořadí 160. Hanušova medaile udělena doc. Daniele Walterové

Doc. RNDr. Daniela Walterová, CSc. se narodila v roce 1943 v Olomouci. Po ukončení studia na Střední průmyslové škole chemické v Přerově v roce 1962, nastoupila jako laborantka na Chemický ústav Lékařské fakulty Univerzity Palackého v Olomouci. V letech 1963–1968 vystudovala při zaměstnání Přírodovědeckou fakultu Masarykovy univerzity v Brně, obor biochemie. Po ukončení univerzitních studií byla zařazena na místo vědecké pracovnice a v roce 1972 začíná svou kariéru vysokoškolské učitelky jako odborná asistentka. V roce 1973 po složení rigorózní zkoušky a obhájení rigorózní práce na Katedře biochemie PřF



### Ing. Michal Hocek, CSc.

narozen 11. 12. 1969 v Benešově, ženatý.

Odborný životopis:

1988-1993 studium na VŠCHT v Praze, specializace organická chemie (školitelé Dr. S. Böhm a Prof. J. Kuthan; diplomová práce: "Syntéza a studium fotochromních přeměn 2,4,4,6-tetraaryl-1,4-dihydropyridinů", Praha 1993).

1993-1996 vědecká aspirantura, ÚOCHB AV ČR (školitel Dr. A. Holý; disertační práce: "Acyklické analogy nukleotidů odvozené od 2- a 6-(aminoalkyl)purinových derivátů", Praha 1996).

od 1994 vědecký pracovník ÚOCHB

1997 roční postdoktorská stáž na Department of Chemistry, Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgie (Prof. L. Ghosez; syntéza nových potenciálních inhibitorů NK receptorů pro firmu UCB) současný stav- vědecký pracovník ÚOCHB

Členství v odborných společnostech:

Česká společnost chemická, Slovenská chemická spoločnosť.

Členství v redakčních radách:

1997-1998 časopis Collect. Czech. Chem. Commun. - redaktor od 1998 časopis Collect. Czech. Chem. Commun. - šéfredaktor

Oblasti vědeckého zájmu:

Chemie nukleosidů, nukleotidů a purinů, aplikace organokovů a cross-coupling reakcí v organické syntéze.

Udělený grant: GAČR 203/98/P027

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A Chemist Helping Chemists

August 11, 1999

Mr. Michael Schneider Executive Vice-President The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, Inc. 711 Third Avenue New York, NY 10017-4014

Dear Michael,

Naturally the first thing I did when I arrived in Prague in June is to inquire at the Jewish Community Center whether Yechiel Bar-Chaim was in Prague. Unfortunately, he was not there but in Paris. But then when I visited Vivienne Lewis in London she gave me a photograph of herself with Mr. Bar-Chaim, copy enclosed. I very much look forward to meeting him.

While in Prague I did meet the head of the Jewish community, Mr. Tomas Kraus. He is a pleasant man but he refused to give us an accounting on the funds coming into the Jewish community in Prague. Of course, realistically, I had no business to ask for it, but it would have been interesting to see how the millions of dollars coming in from tourists are spent. Certainly little is given to smaller communities outside Prague. Incidentally, Mr. Kraus told Isabel and me that he had some disagreements with the Joint, for the very same reason!

Isabel and I will be in England the last week of this month and then again in November and December. I much hope to have an opportunity to talk to Mr. Bar-Chaim about the Joint helping with the distribution of our gifts, which up until now were given through the Foundation for a Civil Society.

Vivienne Lewis and Jonathan Joseph in London urged us to contribute to helping in the Ukraine, but I don't think this is really for us. I would much rather give to help very focused efforts, like the orphanage in Odessa.





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Of course I have also carefully considered helping your efforts in Kosovo; thank you for the video.

Really the Kosovars have been treated horribly by the Serbs, but now they are retaliating, and surely a great deal of help will come to them from NATO. What discourages me most about the Kosovars is how badly they are now treating the gypsies.

I hope you will understand.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely,

Alfred Bader AB/az Enc. C: Daniel Bader





# The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee

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8 March 2001

Dr. Alfred Bader 924 East Juneau Ave. – Suite 622 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202 -- USA

Dear Alfred,

Last week, I visited, as promised, the Zvi Perez Chajes Schule in Vienna. Magister Jutta Bauer presented the School to me and showed what had been done with your donation.

The school has 320 pupils aged 3-18. About 95% of them receive some kind of scholarship from the Kultusgemeinde. All Jewish children are admitted. Those in need automatically receive a full or partial scholarship.

In general support for the School is provided as follows:

* Austrian Government	t 10%
* Kultusgemeinde	50%
* Pupil tuition fees	40%

Your donation was apparently the first ever received from abroad.

Ninety students stay after school for extra-curriculum activities. Your donation was used to prepare and equip a special room for this program.

Next year, 30 new pupils are expected to enroll in this school which is already filled to the brim, so a new classroom will have to be prepared.



Please, find attached a letter from Magister Bauer setting out how the Chajes School would use any new donation. Since the Kultusgemeinde regularly picks up the bill for scholarships, it is indeed for the new investments that the School has to scramble for funds.

Meanwhile, I am bout to leave for Macedonia for the national ceremonies there to commemorate the March 1943 round up and deportation to Treblinka of nearly the entire Jewish population at the hands of the Bulgarian Fascist occupiers. Will also be looking into health and education programs for the Romas while I am there.

Hope you and Isabel are well.

Purim Sameach!

Yechiel Bar-Chaim

Lichel

PS: Enclosed, please find photos I took of the pupils at the Chajes School.

PPS: Await from the Czech Republic confirmation of NADACE VIA's readiness to pursue revised program for Roma adults there.

CC: Tzivia Bieler - AJJDC-NY





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Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chaim The American JOINT Distribution Committee

5, avenue Matignon 75008 Paris

Vienna, 2001-03-02

Dear Mr. Bar-Chaim,

I would like to thank you again so much for your visit and your interest in our school. I do hope that you could get a sufficient overview concerning our activities.

It is a great pleasure for us to send you according to our agreement a short list with our needs for the coming school-term.

Priority has the establishment of an additional first class (primary school). We will get approximately 30 more children. That will make necessary an enlarged afternooncare and an additional equipment for the garden (toys etc.).

Our grammar school will need new software for the pupils computers.

For further information, please feel free to contact me any time.

I hope these information's will be helpful.

With best regards

Jutta Bauer



Yechiel Bar-Chaim
Family Literacy in Jerusalem
Feb 19, 2017, 10:48:41 AM
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Daniel Bader

<abunoyo@gmail.com>

Dear Alfred and Isabel.

Here is a photo of a grassroots family literacy program in Eastern Jerusalem that is sponsored by the Isabel and Alfred Bader Fund of Bader Philanthropies, Inc.

Tomorrow I'm due to take the train to Vienna to study the situation of Austrian Roma and also examine how unaccompanied children and youth who have reached Austria as refugees are treated. The Czechs seem to think that the Austrians do everything better than they do. We shall see to what extent that is true.

What I find most interesting --- and empowering --- is to observe how your carefully targeted philanthropy answers a particularly compelling need. A need, moreover, that appears to exist within a certain vacuum. Generally what prevails here is a giveaway, charitable approach based on pity for the beneficiaries. What we bring instead is a tough-minded, American sense of purpose and a drive to encourage self-reliance.

Warmest regards from Prague which has suddenly experienced several days of sunshine after weeks of snow and ice,

Yechiel



Dear Yechiel.

Today is my last working day before leaving for the American Chemical Society meeting in Boston and I simply cannot take the time to tell you about the chemical difference between sky blue and royal blue.

Answering your query about Prague is easier: I am convinced that there will be a lot of money coming into Prague anyway and, of course, as you know, the Jewish community there is not poor. I think it is more important to help truly needy people in the Balkans, just as you are helping.

With fond regards,. Alfred

### Yechiel Bar Chaim wrote:

Dear Alfred,

These days I like purple. Past favorites are I suppose its components: deep burgundy (for some reason called Bordeaux here) or dark blue.

Please see attached for other matters of interest.

Shabbat Shalom,

Yechiel



Dear Alfred,

I am now again in Paris following gruelling, one-after-the-other JDC budget discussions for the eight countries that keep me alert.

Here is a country-by-country round robin concerning your donations:

- 1. YUGOSLAVIA: Delighted to have a green light from you on all the proposed projects for Yugoslavia. Will proceed accordingly.
- 2. MACEDONIA: My colleagues and I are making an allout effort to begin and complete the school renovation by 10 September when the pupils return to school. One new twist: we will buy the paint and the teachers, parents and community supporters will paint the school. In another change in plans I should be in Skopje at the end of the month to see the progress.
- 3. CZECH REPUBLIC: Not to worry but for now the Czech Chemists can't get to the money for the Olympiad, since their headquarters (together with their records) as you know are next to the Charles Bridge.

In fact I may have to put off my visit to Belgrade to rush to Prague instead. Am trying to convince my JDC colleagues to join a fundraising coalition for Czech Relief that is now being organized by our friends at Nadace Via and People in Need.

There would be several lines for donors to choose between: relief for people; repair and restoration of historic monuments; and even a sub-line for synagogues and Jewish cemeteries.

(Although the river flooding did spare the Old Town, the water backed up and did fill to the depth of two meters the Alteneuschul, the Pinkas Synagogue (where the names of the Czech Jewish Nazi victims are engraved) and the underground kitchen of the Jewish Town Hall).

Would you be interested in hearing more about one or more aspects of this campaign?



Alfred, I have two more questions. Which do you prefer sky blue or royal blue and chemically how do you define the difference?

Shabbat Shalom to you and Isabel

Yechiel



Subject: Deep Purple

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

Date: Fri, 16 Aug 2002 14:21:35 +0100

To: "'Alfred Bader Fine Arts'" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

These days I like purple. Past favorites are I suppose its components: deep burgundy (for some reason called Bordeaux here) or dark blue.

Please see attached for other matters of interest.

Shabbat Shalom,

Yechiel



Dear Yechiel,

Thank you for your e-mail of yesterday.

My favorite color is blue, but in answer to your questions, it is green in every case.

All the best, Alfred

# Yechiel Bar Chaim wrote:

Dear Alfred,

Please see attached letter.

Warm regards,

Yechiel



Dear Alfred,

Let me share with you the latest update before I run off for JDC budget discussions.

(In prospect: a further 5% budget cut coming on top of successive 5% reductions annually over the past 5-7 years). Principal victim of the cuts: precisely the kind of educational and cultural initiatives which are so close to my heart and, which I see are so vital to sustaining/developing vibrant Jewish communities in the places I work).

# Czech Republic

Miloslav Nic learned that any student prizewinners at the Chemistry Olympiad can apply for a tax-exemption if they have no other substantial sources of income. No matter how poorly paid, the chemistry teachers would still cross the tax-exemption threshold and cannot so apply. Miloslav sent the information to Prof. Sejbal.

# Yugoslavia

I am due to go to Yugoslavia just before Rosh Hashanah and am now busy asking local partners to make certain preparations for possible humanitarian aid that would be financed from the discretionary funds.

So that I will be sure to respect your wishes, I would be grateful if you would signal me (before I get up to full speed) green, amber or red light on the following possibilities. In most cases I am proposing a further round of exactly the kind of help you have supported recently through your earmarked gifts.

(Knowing your affection for brevity, I have spared you the details. Please be assured, however, I will be more than ready to provide them should you so desire).

Direct humanitarian aid to refugee children under the age of 12 --- up to \$40,000

Direct humanitarian aid to orphans and orphanages (including homes for children who cannot live with their troubled families)



Food and/or hot meals for homebound needy Holocaust survivors and an equivalent number of non-Jewish poor

--- up to \$10,000 for 100 persons for 4 months

A day center for autistic and other severely handicapped children who have no school or treatment center to attend and whose parents have no place to turn for respite or guidance. The center is to be established by an extraordinarily dedicated former ballet dance (non-Jewish), who now devotes her talents to these children. This effort is supported by the American wife of the rabbi and by the former President of the Belgrade Jewish Community who themselves do non-sectarian volunteer work with troubled children and orphans.

--- up to \$15,000

Non-sectarian humanitarian aid programs initiated by La Benevolencija in Subotica, such as their free medical clinic for the elderly and the modest school-feeding program for refugee and other impoverished children.

---- up to \$10,000

There you have it for now. My best regards to you and Isabel

Shalom,

Yechiel



• Subject: Green, Amber, or Red?

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

**Date:** Mon, 12 Aug 2002 10:20:52 +0100

To: "Alfred BADER \(E-mail\)" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

Please see attached letter.

Warm regards,

Techiel





Dear Yechiel.

In response to your 3 page e-mail of today, my answers are very simple:

- 1. By all means use \$20,000 of my funds to help bring the Macedonian school into some kind of order.
- 2. I am always happy to speak and look forward to giving a talk at that very friendly synagogue in Prague when next we visit.

With fond regards, Alfred

## Yechiel Bar Chaim wrote:

Dear Alfred:

My best wishes to you and Isabel.

Please see attached letter

Warmest regards,

Yechiel

P.S. For your next Shabbat appearance at Beit Simcha, I suggest a talk on Parashat Hashavuah and/or on the Haftorah portion for that week.



Dear Alfred.

Here is today's harvest:

# Czech Republic

I have sent the agreement back to the Czech Chemists along with your comments.

In addition I can confirm that your donations to the Czech Chemistry Olympiad and Masaryk University for the Loschmidt Professorship have been sent and the recipients notified that the grants are on their way..

Dr. Nic is still checking if there is a way for the Olympiad prizes to be given tax-free. He writes that he depends on his mother-in-law for information and has no response as yet. I wonder what that means.

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Multiple sclerosis treatment has begun for Gordana Abinun in Sarajevo thanks to your help.

## Macedonia

Following my trip a fortnight ago to Skopje (together with a volunteer educational consultant I recruited who travelled at his own expense --- he's my son's former principal), I am trying to get everyone engaged around what needs to be done to help the Kosovar Roma refugee children study.

Of the 420 children at the "Resettlement Camp" who could be studying in grades 1 to 8, fully one-third are not in school at all. My primary focus is on these children, and I am trying one more time to negotiate with IRC, UNHCR, and Unicef to see what can be done.

Moreover I can attest firsthand that the 26th of July School which these children are supposed to attend (it is walking distance from the camp) is in frightful physical state --- badly leaking roof; expanses of windows broken; pitted and ruined floors in classroom after classroom; toilet facilities that no longer function; electricity in disarray....

The schoolchildren also suffer from the absence of basic educational materials and labs. The school itself has more than 2,000 pupils ---poor Albanians and Roma for the most part --- "studying" in 28 classrooms in three shifts. 90% of the children live on welfare.



At the same time that the focus of our attention has to be the children themselves, some physical investment in the school is a necessity in my opinion if the children are to be encouraged to enroll and persevere in their studies.

Therefore a very experienced colleague of mine (Who has been restoring to proper use dozens of schools in Kosovo) and I have been devoting our time and energy to investigating what kind of money it would take to create conditions of minimal decency for the children to study. The barebones cost for everything we would like to do is \$125,000 (Original architect's estimate \$431,000). But I do not have that kind of money.

We approached the Macedonian Education Ministry to see if they would join us. But elections are in another month and under such unstable conditions the Ministry is just not capable of responding even if they had the means (which is doubtful).

My take on the work that would constitute a <u>minimum-minimum</u> costs \$60,000. No frills; not even re-painting the outside walls to give the repairs some sense of a public presence.

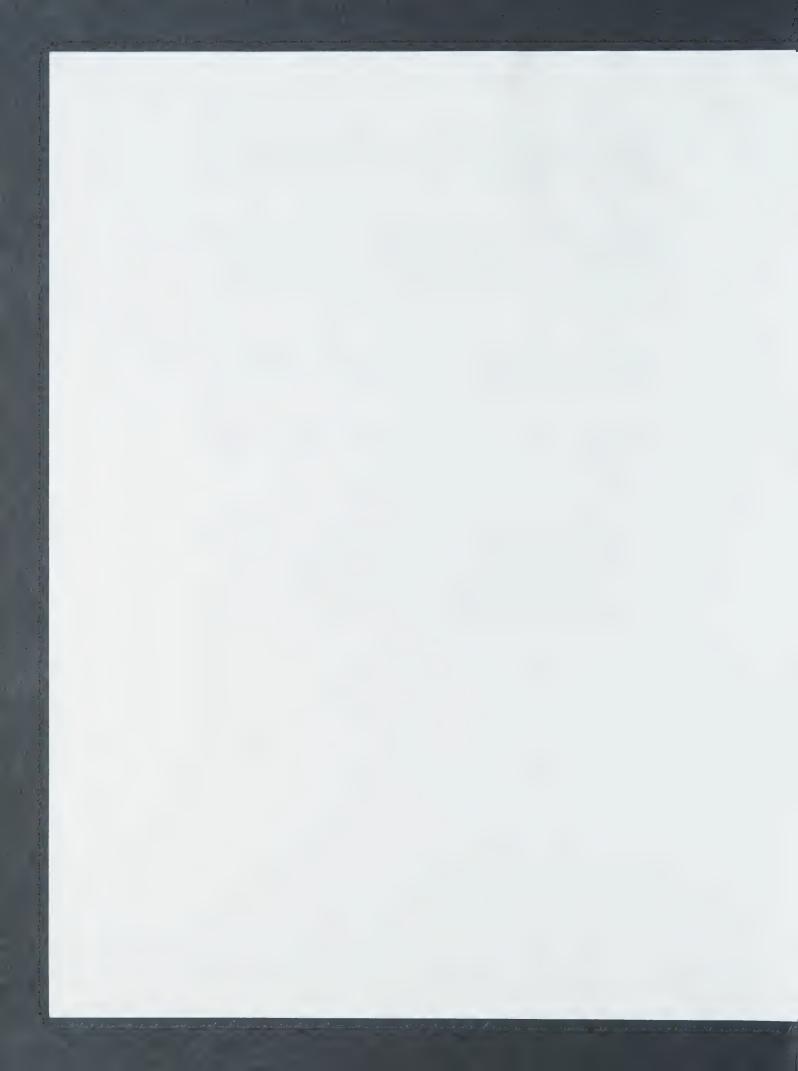
Alfred, my question to you is the following:

I have reached the conclusion that this investment is essential. Would you agree to the following proposition? Out of the \$70,000 you originally allotted for Roma Women and Children in Macedonia (or alternatively out of the discretionary funds you have put at my disposal) I would like to invest \$20,000 in this project? The remaining \$40,000 I would take from what is left of some special funds put at my disposition following the war in Kosovo for use outside of Kosovo.

Yours sincerely,

Eagerly awaiting your response, I remain.

Yechiel



Subject: Today's Harvest

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

**Date:** Tue, 6 Aug 2002 14:27:29 +0100

To: "Alfred BADER \(E-mail\)" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred:

My best wishes to you and Isabel.

Please see attached letter

Warmest regards,

Yechiel

P.S. For your next Shabbat appearance at Beit Simcha, I suggest a talk on Parashat Hashavuah and/or on the Haftorah portion for that week.



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Dear Yechiel.

Thank you for your long e-mail of today, regarding the Czech chemists, who are indeed conscientious.

All seems fine except that we would like it clearly understood that Isabel and I would like to continue this while we are alive and our Foundation will continue this thereafter. Also, we would like to look at the details of how the prizes were awarded and to whom shortly after the awards have been made and then possibly suggest changes here or there, of course with the approval of the Czech chemists.

With all best wishes, Alfred Bader

#### Yechiel Bar Chaim wrote:

Dear Alfred,

How conscientious our Czech chemists are!

Please see below the proposed accord for your agreement. I straightened out a little of the English and recommend it to you.

Shabbat

Shalom,

Yechiel

----Original Message----

From: Jan Sejbal [mailto:sejbal@natur.cuni.cz]

Sent: 01 August 2002 13:32

To: Yechiel Bar Chaim

Subject: Dr. Bader's Support for the Czech Chemistry Olympiad

Sir, thank you for your reply

you will find enclosed manuscript (first version) of our agreement of the support. It is not in law-language, I suppose that there is no need for it.

Please, send me your comments or change directly the WinWord document.

After that I will send to you and to dr. Bader

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- signed commitment of Technical University about National course of Olympiad January 2003
- Czech booklet about Chemistry Olympiad with English Comments about history
- English booklet about International Chemistry Olympiad
- English information about results
- Plans of the Committee for next years and known covering of activities
- List of support from Ministry of Education in the past.



Thank you very much, Sincerely yours

Jan Sejbal



Subject: FW: Dr. Bader's Support for the Czech Chemistry Olympiad

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" < yechiel@jdcparis.org>

Date: Fri, 2 Aug 2002 10:11:27 +0100

To: "Alfred BADER \(E-mail\)" < baderfa@execpc.com>

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Thank you very much, Sincerely yours

Jan Sejbal



## DR. BADER'S SUPPORT OF THE CZECH CHEMISTRY OLYMPIAD

The Committee for the National Chemistry Olympiad in Czech Republic acknowledges with pleasure Dr. Bader's support for the best competitors in the National Chemistry Olympiad. As a result of consultations between the committee and the sponsor, the following agreement was reached:

The entire donation of \$5000 will be spent for prizes for competitors and their teachers according to the following scheme:

\$ 4000 will be used for prizes for 5 competitors and their secondary school teachers. Prizes will be equal, each of 10 persons will obtain prize of value \$400.

Five selected competitors will be:

- 3 best students in the category A (grammar schools),
- 1 best student in the category E (technical schools),
- 1 student from any category (best in B,C,D, second in E or fourth in A) selected by the Committee Students and teachers will be allowed to choose:
- a) whatever books they would like (tax-free)
- b) equivalent of \$400 in Czech crowns after tax deduction of 10 20 \% according to current law

\$ 1000 will be used for prizes for all competitors in all categories, mainly books. These prizes will be bought in advance, without possibility of choice by students.

Because the Czech Committee for the National Chemistry Olympiad has no own separate bank account, all transactions will be done at the hand of The Czech Chemistry Society:

## Ceska spolecnost chemicka, Novotneho lavka 5 Praha 1, CZ 116 08

Account for this support will be:

beneficiary accountment: 001118-0141873243

beneficiary bank code: 0800

bank: Ceska sporitelna, a.s. Vaclavske namesti 16, Praha 1, CZ 110 00

swift code: GIBA CZ PX

The secretary of the society, Dr. Marketa Blahova, will do all the accounting. The donation will be held in the separate account for the Chemistry Olympiad. The Society will invoice no charge for accounting. The Chemistry Olympiad year starts in September at the same time as the school year, and so this month is also the best term for the transfer of money to the account of The Society.

The sponsor will be informed about all competitions and prizes, plans for the future and results. Support is considered to continue for following school years unless otherwise decided by the sponsor.

August, xxth 2002

Assoc.Prof. Jan Sejbal, PhD. Vice chairman in charge of the National Committee for Chemistry Olympiad

Prof. Šimánek, PhD. Chairman of the Czech Chemical Society

Department of Organic Chemistry,

Ceska spolecnost chemicka,



Charles University, Praha 2, Albertov 6 CZ 128 40, Czech Republic

Novotneho lavka 5 Praha 1 CZ 116 08



Dear Yechiel.

FILE COPY

Thank you for your e-mail of today.

I am glad that the Czech Olympiad gift has been put to bed.

Martina Soskova is indeed a very able art historian, very likeable, and I would suggest that you be guided by Milena about sending the second \$5,000. My gut reaction of course is likely to be the same as yours: she should get the travel funds when she can actually travel.

I have written to Professor Potacek today extending our Loschmidt professorship agreement simply by extending the time to September 1, 2003. I am e-mailing you a copy of my letter to him but I am also mailing you a copy of a three page handwritten letter that I sent him from England.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

# YEOD 3113

Subject: A Few Headlines

From: "Yechiel Bar Chaim" <yechiel@jdcparis.org>

Date: Tue, 30 Jul 2002 17:29:17 +0100

To: "Alfred BADER \(E-mail\)" < baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred.

Hope you and Isabel had a safe trip back to the States.

Here are a few headlines I would like to share with you:

The Czech Chemistry Olympiad partners have accepted the conditions as we discussed. I will now be sending the funds.

The admirable Martina Soskova seems to be rather tied down to her work in Prague with no immediate plans I am afraid to say to go away on the special fellowship you so generously gave her. At the same time she is inquiring about our sending her the second \$5,000 by the end of the year. Please can you fill me in? Was there any specific proposal or length of time to be spent abroad (and if so where?) or some other condition attached to her Fellowship? Meanwhile I have asked Milena to sit down with Martina and go over her planned program and send it to me so that we can see if the implementation matches your intentions/expectations.

My friend and colleague Shauli Dritter risked his life (at my request it would seem) to visit the vocational training program for Roma adults that you are supporting in East Jerusalem. He came back highly satisfied with the courses and I was equally delighted he returned safely.

I just came back from a trip to Macedonia, accompanied by a volunteer educational consultant who is prepared to help me. We obtained some reliable data: one-third of the young Roma refugee children in the "resettlement camp" in Sutu Orizeri do not attend school. The biggest problem is at the transition point between 4th and 5th grade. I am trying now to refine the program with input from the International Rescue Committee, UNHCR, UNICEF, and Dobra Volja, the local Jewish non-sectarian humanitarian aid organization we established in Skopje.

Paris is extremely hot. Spent the weekend with my wife and son in Normandy (Bayeux and Omaha Beach) where every reference to the sacrifice of young soldiers years ago so that others might be free stirs me tremendously. Sign in a local restaurant, "Welcome to our Liberators" draws in crowds of college students from Iowa and Arizona and day-trippers from England as well. What to do with the juxtaposition of wartime loss and victory with peacetime larks?

Best regards,

Yechiel

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Subject: Your e-mail of January 3rd

Date: Wed, 10 Jan 2001 16:19:16 -0600

From: Bader Fine Arts <baderfa@execpc.com>

To: "Mr. Yechiel Bar-Chaim" <ybc@jdcparis.org>

Dear Yechiel,

I am sorry that my reply to your long e-mail of January 3rd has been so delayed, but I have been trying very hard to catch up with all the work that accumulated while we were in England

Your e-mail is both disappointing and challenging.

It is disappointing because you wrote that the Entrepreneurship Training Center, which we helped finance, could not be sustained economically. I had understood earlier that it was a success and was actually being duplicated elsewhere.

I am very intrigued by the Home Care Program which helps so many people, 182 Jews among a total of 470. Even 3 Roma are included!

In the last paragraph of the budget it says that an additional 70 persons now on the waiting list could be included if only someone would donate DM 30,500 more and of that the Joint is willing to pay half.

Perhaps I am too demanding, but supposing that I sent you promptly \$50,000, could those 70 persons on the waiting list be included?

As soon as I have your and Michael Schneider's response, I will send you my check.

With all good wishes I remain

Yours sincerely, Alfred Bader

C: Mr. Michael Schneider Mr. Daniel Bader



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Subject: Home Care for Elderly in Distress in Sarajevo

Date: Wed, 3 Jan 2001 15:34:36 +0100

From: "Yechiel Bar-Chaim" <ybc@jdcparis.org>

To: "Alfred Bader (E-mail)" <baderfa@execpc.com>

Dear Alfred,

I have recently returned from a trip to Mostar and Sarajevo where unfortunately relations between the different ethnic and religious groups are nearly as complicated and as conflicted as they have ever been.

For a long time the Jews of Bosnia were the exception. They seemed to provide the glue between the mutually hostile Bosnian Serbs, Croats, and Muslims. When JDC underwrote the activities of La Benevolvenicja, the Jewish Cultural and Humanitarian Aid Society of Sarajevo, during the Bosnian War, sending in food and clothing to be distributed to civilians of all backgrounds, each and every one of the warring forces allowed our trucks to pass through to beseiged Sarajevo. Help from the Jews to non-combattants on all sides was allowed even when the war became a three-sided one (i.e. the Bosnian Muslims and the Bosnian Croats were also at war with each other).

Today as well in bitterly divided Mostar --- the Moslems live in East Mostar while the Bosnian Croats inhabit the West of the city--- we Jews have become the symbol (catalyst?) of the possibility however slight of their coming together. A year ago we dedicated in the Jewish Cemetery of Mostar a special memorial --- initiated by Zorin Mandlbaum, the President of the 40 strong Mostar Jewish Community, --- listing the names of those Jews from the region who had died during the Holocaust. To that ceremony came both the mayors of East and West Mostar. It was the first time both had come to the same public occasion voluntarily. Now that the Municipality has been united, the main picture on display in the Mayor's Conference room shows the four clerics who attended the ceremony--- the rabbi JDC brought from Israel, the local imam, the leading Catholic priest, and the Serbian Orthodox pope (priest) as well.

Since the Dayton Accords ended the Bosnian War almost exactly five years ago, La Benevolencija has continued its program of Non-Sectarian Aid. There have been two major elements.

The one you know about was our Entrepreneurship Development Program that began when you gave your donation and JDC matched it. Then the Soros Open Society Fund also came on board. The Entrepreneurship Training Center, after instructing hundreds of potential and actual entrepreneurs, proved not to be sustainable economically. It was obliged to close after four years of operations. But the La Benevolencija Loan Fund, established as a program complement to the Training Center using the same rationale and instructed by the same Israeli experts sent by JDC, has survived and is flourishing. It now has nearly DM 1,000,000 in capital and outstanding loans. 640 loans have been granted, of which 220 are active. Only 4-5% of the loans have gone bad and even these were insured. The Fund has three employees and is now able to support itself. There is a four month waiting list of potential borrowers.

The second program of Non-Sectarian Aid carried out by La Benevolencija has been its Home Care Program providing medical care and essential home services to 470 sick, frail, and lonely elderly persons of all nationalities. (Please see the proposal attached below), For the past eight years this program has been able to attract financial support from a wide variety of sources. Last year, I was gratified to learn, the La Benevolencija Loan Fund, was even able to donate DM 30,000 from its proceeds to help support the program. (Now the new laws for non-profit micro-credit organizations that have just gone into effect will not allow that in the future). Mostly JDC held itself in reserve for the day that we knew would



come when the other funders could or would no longer underwrite this vital program

What I learned last week, however, is that that day has come. The entire La Benevolencija Home Care Program is now threatened for lack of funding. In response to my immediate appeal, JDC has agreed to finance half of what is missing out of our Bosnian Mailbox Fund, if I can find a donor for the second half. So I am turning to you, as my first --- and certainly best --- partner for non-sectarian aid in post-war Sarajevo, to ask if you will donate the missing DM 100,000.

I should perhaps point out that the violence in the Middle East and the recent election results in Bosnia (in which the ethnically based nationalist parties gained strength) are putting new strains on the possibility for inter-ethnic harmony in Bosnia and elsewhere. For La Benevolenicja to be obliged to fold its non-sectarian aid program for the elderly of most distress would be a black omen for what lies ahead.

Not only JDC looks on La Benevolencija as a shining example of what Jews, --- because we can care for our own, --- can also do for others. Their office walls in Sarajevo are adorned with certificates of recognition from around the world, including the Pope John XXIII Peace Prize given by the current Pope during his visit a few years ago. This community of survivors from World War II has shown itself to be a saving remnant indeed.

Our friends at La Benevolencija are modern-day Jews who still know how to fulfill Hillel's well-known and well-balanced injunctions: "If I am not for myself, who will be for me? and If I am only for myself, what am I? and If not now when?

I am troubled to find this estimable program of proven value up against the wall financially. I hope that together we can assure its continuation in the coming year.

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Attached Below: The La Benevolencija Home Care Project

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# LA BENEVOLENCIJA, SARAJEVO

## NON-SECTARIAN HOME CARE PROJECT

#### PROGRAM REPORT

La Benevolencija is cultural and humanitarian organisation within Jewish Community in Sarajevo. It has a respectable tradition in taking care of old, sick and lone people in Sarajevo.

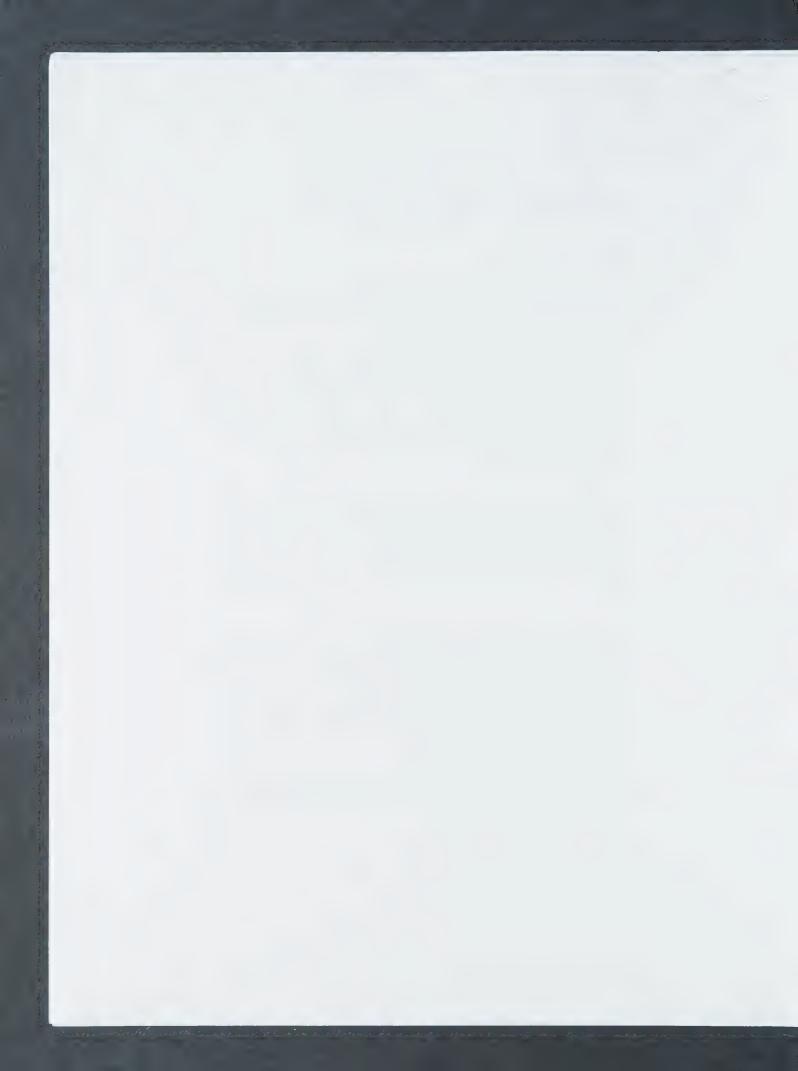
Since the war in Bosnia and Herzegovina ended, the interest of international organizations to help us is decreasing more and more.

With sympathy I have to say that at the end of 2000 (1999 was the Year of Old People in the World), on the intersection of new Millennium, we are left without any financial aid, which was taking care of 470 old people in Home Care project.

From 1992, to the present financial and material support to Home Care project was given by: JOINT; UKJAID; Friends of La Benevolencija Germany, Switzerland and Holland; Open Society Fund - SOROS Foundations; Mission Locale de Strasbourg, ICVA, Germany HELP; The Government of the Netherlands and the Micro-credit loan fund of La Benevolencija as well by different individual donors from all over the world.

All users of Home Care project are older than 65 years, chronically ill patients, hardly movable or bedridden or suffered greatly from the World War Second. Deeply hidden frustrations have found a way out from their souls and in very intensive form are being reactivated. The consequences of that are dominating post - war traumatic syndrome, intensive and continuous worries of unpredicable future. Life on the border of minimum existence is one more proof of horror that they have already experienced.

Many of them live totally alone, without children who are all around the world now, and it is one more proof of terrible situation they live in.



The users of Home Care project have constant need for someone who will knock on their door and with whom they will talk about their problems. All of them feel sadness, uselessness, weakness and heaviness of the life.

Also, the financial moment is very negative. All the users of Home Care project are pensioners with pensions that they receive only from time to time and they are not more than 200 German Marks. Of course, it is not even enough for existential needs.

Structure of Home Care beneficiaries is the following:

- female	298
- male	172
-single	354
- married	116
- movable	91
- hardly movable	272
- bedridden	107
- up to 65 years old	3
- between 65 and 70	69
- between 70 and 75	194
- between 75 and 80	55
- Jews	182
- Muslims	113
- Serbs	96
- Croats	75
- Roma	3
- Others	1_

There are three persons younger that 65. They are psychological patients. Their mothers have been the users of this project since 1992. Unfortunately, they passed away during 1999, and this project takes care of their sons now. We have to control their therapy, prepare the food, hygiene etc. We need additional financial support for above mentioned issues.



## PROJECT INTENT

The main purpose of this project is to help old and exhausted people in all segments of their lives, who are older than 65, without children in Sarajevo. However, they are all chronically ill patients, not very movable or bedridden, who need to get at least one hot meal a day as well as keeping them in good psycho-physical condition.

All this is given to the users of Home Care project by:

## WORKING TEAM

31 able working women. They help older people in all segments of their lives:

- they visit them four times per week for up to two hours each time
- organize specialist doctor treatments,
- put in the hospital if needed and visit them regularly
- buy and bring medicines
- they take care of their personal hygiene and hygiene in the house
- buy supplies
- take for a walk (if the person is able to do that)
- with authorization, they are also getting done all administrative work

Working team is, through theoretical and practical seminars, most definitely able and qualified for work that they do.

Medical team, pharmacist and driver take care of very bad health conditioned members of Home Care project.

To leave those people would be like to condemn them to sooner death.

Sarajevo, December 2000.

La Benevolencija



# BUDGET FOR HOME CARE PROJECT

## **EXPENSES**

		MONTH	YEAR
	WORK TEAM -		
1.	31 persons	DM	DM
	(salaries, city transport and	10.750	129.000
	trivial necessities for the		
	work team)		
	MEDICAL TEAM	DM	DM
2.	Pharmacist	4.400	52.800
	Driver		
3.	HOT MEALS ON	DM	DM
	WHEELS	2.100	25.200
4.	Expenses of functioning	DM	DM
		1.500	18.000
		DM	DM *
	TOTAL:	18.750	225.000

# PROJECT INCOME

American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee	DM 99.900
Jewish Community of Sarajevo	DM 25.200
Requested donation	DM 99.900
TOTAL:	DM 225.200

<sup>\*</sup>An additional 70 persons are now on the waiting list for the Home Care Program. We could care for them if someone would donate DM 30,500 more. JOINT has told us they are ready to promise half this sum if we can find a donor for the other half,.



## Germaine Keil

From: Hassan-Nahoum Fleur [FleurHN@jdc.org.il]

Sent: 12 December 2002 12:09

To: Yechiel Bar-Chaim (E-mail)

Subject: FW: Alfred Bader

### Yechiel

here is the material on the Ohr Sameach orphanage that we spoke about. The institution is now called the Tikvah orphanage and they are no longer affiliated to the ohr sameach institution. The teachers and rabbi there are fundraising themselves because they do not have anyone else to do it for them. JDC recently helped them refurbish part of the home and there is now a new JDC childrens home's initiative that the Tikvah Home is a part of where JDC will be providing management training to the staff.

Regarding the information below on how the Odessa Tikvah children's home found out that alfred would not be giving them his normal \$30,000 donation, it seems that a philanthropist friend of theirs in the states Seth Gerzberg, his assistant wrote a letter to Alfred's personal assistant.

Ann Zuehlke

at Alfred Bader Fine Arts 924 East Juneau Avenue, Suite 622 Milwaukee, WI 53202

She then let them know that there was no allocation for this year.

I hope you can convince Alfred to renew funding, they really need every dollar thanks

Fleur -----Original Message-----

From: Refael Kruskal [mailto:orphans@te.net.ua] Sent: Monday, November 11, 2002 3:30 PM

To: Hassan-Nahoum Fleur Subject: Fw: Alfred Bader

Dear Fluer,

Enclosed are the results for the last nine months and the estimated results for the end of the year and 2003.

Thanks again,

Refael

---- Original Message -----From: Hassan-Nahoum Fleur

To: 'Refael Kruskal'

Sent: Monday, November 11, 2002 1:09 PM

Subject: RE: Alfred Bader

rafael meanwhile get me the numbers for the past 8 months, also give me the name of the person who contacted the baders

----Original Message----

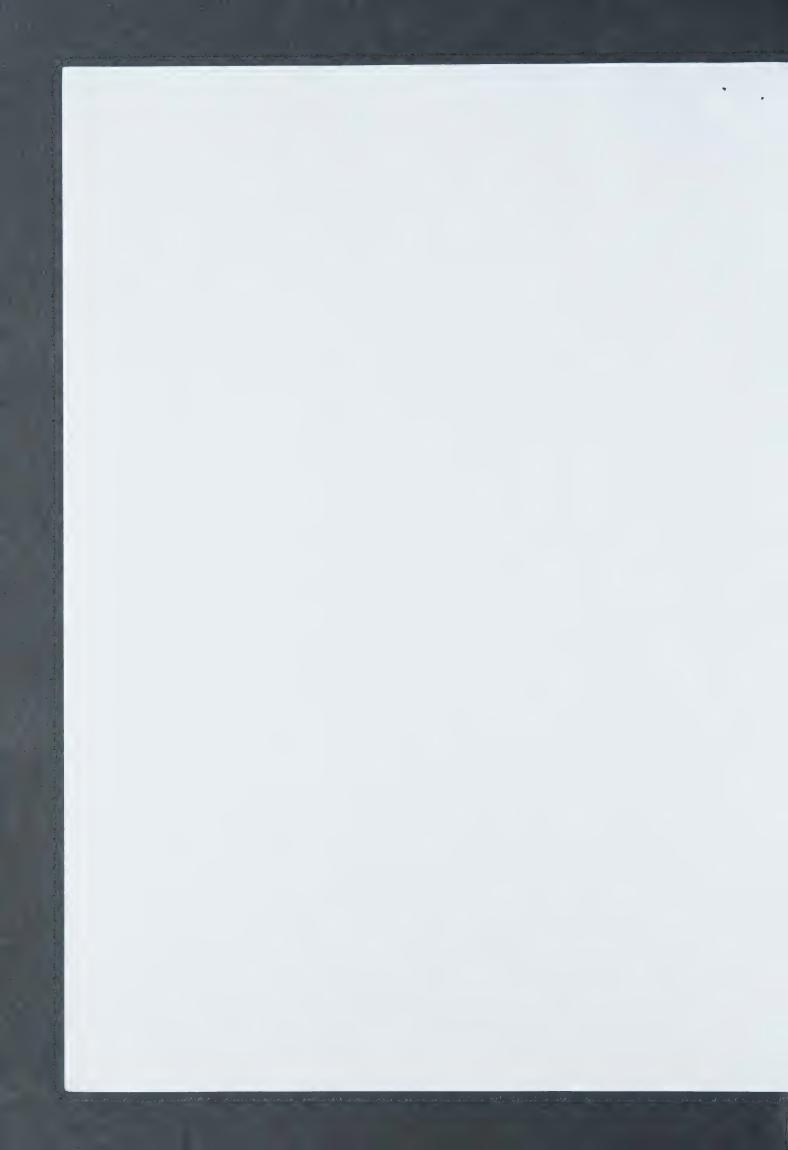
From: Refael Kruskal [mailto:orphans@te.net.ua] Sent: Monday, November 11, 2002 1:04 PM To: Stefanie Vignapiano; Hassan-Nahoum Fleur

Subject: Re: Alfred Bader

Dear Stefanie,

I hope everything is Ok. Mrs. Fluer Hassan is helping us try and get the funds from the Bader Foundation and needs more info. as on who we contacted at the foundation.

12/12/2002



# Warmest regards,

## Refael

---- Original Message -----From: Hassan-Nahoum Fleur

To: 'Refael Kruskal'

Sent: Monday, November 11, 2002 12:04 PM Subject: RE: Alfred Bader

I need a bit more info than that, who did they speak to what number did he call??

-----Original Message-----

From: Refael Kruskal [mailto:orphans@te.net.ua] Sent: Monday, November 11, 2002 11:03 AM

To: Fleur

Subject: Alfred Bader

Dear Fluer,

Thank you for your help and interest.

The foundation which they approached was the Alfred Bader Foundation.

Warmest regards,

Refael

Refael Kruskal International Director of Tikva Tel: +380482234717

Mobile: +380487382274 orphans@te.net.ua



# Ohr Dessa Project 2002 Revenue Sources and Responsibilities

		Source Sending Cash (A)			Responsible Party (B)		
Date	Amount		Ecko/Seth	Other	<u>Donor</u>	Tikva USA	Odessa
15-Jan-02	2,104	111(14 00)	2,104			2104	
18-Jan-02	36,000	36,000	2,101			36000	
21-Jan-02	18,000	18,000				18000	
30-Jan-02	4,943	10,000		4,943			4943
7-Feb-02	25,000	25,000		1,010		25000	
18-Feb-02	25,000	25,000					25000
21-Feb-02	1,080	20,000		1,080		1080	
22-Feb-02	50,000	50,000		1,000		3373	46627
28-Feb-02	8,000	8,000				8000	
6-Mar-02	40,627	0,000		40,627			40627
11-Mar-02	9,131			9,131			9131
15-Mar-02	31,000	31,000		0,101			31000
25-Mar-02	74,972	31,000		74,972			74972
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14-May-02	16,000	16,000				5000	
27-May-02	5,000	5,000				55000	
3-Jun-02	55,000	55,000				52000	
10-Jun-02	52,000	05.000	52,000			32000	35000
18-Jun-02	35,000	35,000					33477
25-Jun-02	33,477	33,477		44.004			14804
26-Jun-02	14,804	000 000		14,804		228000	14004
1-Jul-02	228,000	228,000				2000	
14-Jul-02	2,000		2,000			13000	
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25-Jul-02	41,000	41,000				EE040	17781
6-Aug-02	73,000	73,000				55219	17701
13-Aug-02	2,000		2,000			2000	7112
19-Aug-02	7,112			7,112		7000	
21-Aug-02	9,000	9,000				7200	1800
29-Aug-02	70,000	70,000				70000	70427
5-Sep-02	72,137	72,137	7				72137
7-Oct-02	5,000			5,000		74045	5000
17-Oct-02	74,845	74,845				74845	
22-Oct-02	13,000	13,000	)			13000	02027
Educ Ministry	93,937			93,937			93937
Educ Ministry	69,575			69,575			69575
Cash	2,500			2,500			2500
Grivnas	43,782			43,782			43782
Subtotal	1,505,630	1,035,459	74,104	396,067		764,821	740,809
Est Bal of Year							
Educ Ministry	30,000			30,000	Running Costs		30000
Educ Ministry	27,500			27,500	Salary Reimbursement		27500
London/USA	153,000			153,000	Upcoming Trip		153000
Tikva USA	75,000	75,000	)	,	,	75000	
UJA	33,000	33,000			2nd Half of Grant	33000	
Estimate-Full Year	1,824,130	1,143,459		606,567		872,821	
Louinate-Full Teal	1,027,100	1,140,400	, ,,,,,,,	,			

(A) These column splits are based on which entity sent the cash to Odessa. A confirmation of amounts from various sources was tested and confirmed).

(B) These column splits are based on who was responsible for obtaining the donation. Certain amounts sent from Tikva USA were raised by Odessa personnel. The reason for identifying resposibility for these amounts is to assign responsibility for follow-up efforts in 2003.



# Ohr Dessa Project 2003 Donor Responsibility Requirements for General Operating Expenses

Estimate	Budget		Responsibili	
2002	2003	Source	Odessa US	<u>SA</u>
\$1,650,307		Operating Costs		
\$169,500		Local Debt Repayment	~	
\$1,821,809		Total Cash Required		
	1	SOURCES OF FUNDS:	-	
	•			
\$97,075	\$100,000	•	X	
\$122,849	\$125,000	t · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	X	
\$1,601,885	\$1,629,063		,	
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\$50,000	\$75,000	-	X	
\$25,000	\$25,000		X	
\$10,000	\$10,000		X	
\$15,000	\$20,000	-	X	
\$30,000	\$30,000	_	×	
\$0	\$5,000	-	X	
\$5,000	\$5,000	1	X	
\$15,000	\$0		X	
\$10,000	\$10,000		X	
\$10,000	\$10,000		X	
\$0	\$10,000		X	
\$7,500	\$7,500		X	
\$0	\$2,000		X	
\$2,000	\$3,000	-	X	
\$3,000	\$3,000		X	
\$50,000	\$75,000		X	
\$50,000	\$50,000		X	
\$0	\$25,000		X	
\$10,000	\$10,000		X	
\$75,000	\$0		X	
\$367,500	\$375,500			
		-		
\$31,250		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	X	
\$11,250			X	
\$2,250			X	
\$1,250			X	
\$1,560			X	
\$250			X	
\$250			X	
\$2,000			X	
\$3,125			X	
\$6,000			X	
\$59,185	\$89,185			
\$60,000	\$60,000		X	
\$25,000	\$25,000		X	
\$3,600	\$3,600		X	
\$1,000	\$1,000		X	
\$1,000	\$1,000		X	
\$500	\$500		X	
\$500	\$500			
\$500	\$500		X	
\$300	\$300		X	



## Ohr Dessa Project 2003 Donor Responsibility Requirements for General Operating Expenses

Estimate	Budget		Respon	
2002	2003	Source	<u>Odessa</u>	USA
\$3,000	\$3,000		X	
\$700	\$700		X	
\$2,100	\$1,000		X	
\$0	\$2,000		X	
\$0	\$30,000		X	
			X	
\$35,000	\$35,000		X	-
????	????		X	
\$10,000	\$10,000		X	
\$3,000	\$3,000			
\$5,000	\$5,000		X	
\$151,200	\$182,100		1	
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	1		X	
			X	
	\$7,500		X	
			X	
i i		~	X	
,	1		X	
	\$10,000		X	
-	7.0,000		X	
			. X	-
-	\$5,000		X	,
-	\$5,000		- X	
			X	+
			X	
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	007.000		X	Ť
	\$25,000		X	t
\$0	\$47,500			+
\$153,000		Additional 2002 Pledge Amounts Noted Above		,
	????	New for 2003		-
\$951,309	\$919,785	SUBTOTAL ODESSA RESPONSIBILITY	_	
\$2,500		Tikva-USA (\$1,000 and over)	-	X
		-	,	X
\$3,000				X
\$2,000				X
\$1,000				X
\$5,000				X
\$20,000				X
\$2,000		r —		X
\$1,500				X
\$25,000		and the second s		X
\$2,500				X
\$5,000				X
\$2,965				X
\$25,000				X
\$1,800				X
\$2,000				X
\$5,000				X
				X



## Ohr Dessa Project 2003 Donor Responsibility Requirements for General Operating Expenses

Estimate	Budget		Responsibility
2002	2003	Source	Odessa USA
\$5,000			X
\$5,000	- 1		X
\$5,000			X
\$1,000		•	X
\$5,400			X
\$5,000			X X X X X
\$1,800			, <u>X</u>
\$5,000	-		
\$10,000			- X
\$1,000			<u>X</u>
\$5,000			$\frac{1}{X}$
\$8,645			. X
\$35,000			X
\$100,000			- X
			<del>-</del>
\$65,000			X
\$18,000			· X
\$2,500			X
\$1,000	1		- · · X
\$100,000			
\$1,000	1		X
\$2,000		-	X
\$5,000	,		X
\$1,000			X
\$1,000			X
\$7,500			X
\$5,000			X
\$1,000			X
\$5,000			X
\$20,000			X
\$40,000			X
\$1,200			X
\$5,000			X
\$1,000			X
\$1,000			X
\$5,000		·	X
\$1,800			$\frac{x}{x}$
\$1,000		·	X
\$5,000			X
\$5,000	1	· ·	X
\$18,000	1		
\$10,000	•		X
\$14,500	T		X
\$74,104	:		, X
\$36,973			X
\$74,845			X
\$33,000		-	X
\$6,289			X
Φ0,209	????		X X X
¢072 024	0.0	SUBTOTAL TIKVA-USA RESPONSIBILITY	
\$872,821	ΦU	SUBTOTAL TINVA-GOA NEOF ONGIDIENT	7
64 004 400	\$040.705	TOTAL	-
\$1,824,130	\$919,785	TOTAL	



## The Ohr Dessa Project Local Debt Trend Analysis

		Due to Wolfson (per Ohr Sameach Financial Interim Loans (per Ohr Sameach Financials)	Sub total-Ohr Sameach Financials	Local Payables Owed:	Transport-Buses	Heating	Rent	Salaries/Loan-Staff & Teachers (B)	Salaries-Local	Commission on Purchase of Building	Food	Staff-General Operating Funds	SUBTOTAL	Seth Gerszberg	TOTAL
	30-Sep 2002	€			\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$77,000	\$3,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$90,000	\$175,000	\$265,000 TOTAL
ot	Feb 28. 2002				\$21,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$77,500	\$70,000	\$23,000	\$15,000	\$23,000	\$259,500	\$175,000	\$434,500
Debt	Dec 31. 2001				\$7,000	\$9,000	\$10,000	\$46,500		\$23,000	\$10,000	\$23,000	\$128,500	\$175,000	\$303,500
	Dec 31. 2000	\$252,000	\$288,000		\$19,626	\$26,347	\$15,170	\$31,831					\$380,974	\$0	\$380,974

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(A) In 1998, a loan was made from Wolfson to Odessa (thru Ohr Sameach) for a reported \$252,000 (see audited financials prepared by the Ohr Sameach accountant for December,2000). In April 2001 a wire was received in Odessa from the Israeli Education Ministry for \$175,100 that was sent back to Ohr Sameach that was supposed to be a full repayment of the \$252,000 loan. In a June 2002 meeting with Rabbi Baksht, Refael and Wolfson, Wolfson proved that he was never paid back and that outstanding debt was \$300,000. He also stated that, in his opinion, this is an Odessa and not an Ohr Sameach issue. Although he probably has a weak legal argument, future donations from Wolfson and the impact on other donors needs to be taken into account in a final resolution.

(B) Amount shown for September 2002 includes (i) \$7,000 salary for Rabbi Baksht; (ii) \$6,000 loan from Refael Kruskal; (iii) \$30,000 loan from Rabbi Baksht and Pavel Katchka; and (iv) an advance of \$34,000 for operating expenses paid by Marik Kutzeko.



# The Ohr Dessa Project Operating Cost Budget-2003 Split by Category

		1		% Split	iit.			\$ Split	it	
	Budget		Children's				Children's			
	2003	Code	Homes	School	Community	Humanitarian	Homes	School	Community Humanitarian	ımanıtarıan
Tayee on Salariee	\$57.960	I	40.0%	29.0%	1.0%	%0.0	\$23,184	\$34,196	\$580	\$0
Bank Charges	\$7,200	-	44.0%	48.0%	4.0%	4.0%	\$3,168	\$3,456	\$288	\$288
Egg.	\$168,000	L	55.0%	35.0%	1.0%	%0.6	\$92,400	\$58,800	\$1,680	\$15,120
Deep B	\$15,600		55.0%	35.0%	1.0%	80.6	\$8,580	\$5,460	\$156	\$1,404
Maintenance	\$25,000	. @	20.0%	36.0%	14.0%	0.0%	\$12,500	\$9,000	\$3,500	\$0
Clothing for Children	\$20,000	0	95.0%	%0.0	0.0%	2.0%	\$19,000	\$0	0\$	\$1,000
Books Supplies	\$23,000	: 0	80.0%	15.0%	%0.0	2.0%	\$18,400	\$3,450	\$0	\$1,150
Rent for Facilities	\$53,000		75.0%	25.0%	%0.0	0.0%	\$39,750	\$13,250	\$0	\$0
Rept for Houses	\$33,600	Ī	40.0%	29.0%	1.0%	%0.0	\$13,440	\$19,824	\$336	\$0
Summer Camp Costs	\$54,000	ш	43.0%	45.0%	%0.0	12.0%	\$23,220	\$24,300	\$0	\$6,480
Telenhone	\$18,000	, m	20.0%	36.0%	14.0%	%0.0	\$9,000	\$6,480	\$2,520	0\$
City Tay (incl. water & elec.)	\$24,000	ω	20.0%	36.0%	14.0%	%0.0	\$12,000	\$8,640	\$3,360	0\$
Medication	\$9,000	O	%0.06	10.0%	%0.0	%0.0	\$8,100	\$300	\$0	\$0
Transport-Buses	\$109,000	g	25.0%	75.0%	%0.0	%0.0	\$27,250	\$81,750	\$0	\$0
Local Teacher & Staff Salaries	\$483,000	r	40.0%	29.0%	1.0%	%0.0	\$193,200	\$284,970	\$4,830	\$0
Israeli Teacher & Staff Staff Salaries	\$327,000	I	40.0%	29.0%	1.0%	%0.0	\$130,800	\$192,930	\$3,270	0\$
Advertising	\$10,000	9	40.0%	40.0%	10.0%	10.0%	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Comminity Outreach	896,000	0	20.0%	20.0%	30.0%	30.0%	\$19,200	\$19,200	\$28,800	\$28,800
Benaire	\$9,000	Θ	20.0%	36.0%	14.0%	%0.0	\$4,500	\$3,240	\$1,260	\$0
Accompdation for Shahhat	\$6.500	C	%0.06	10.0%	0.0%	%0.0	\$5,850	\$650		\$0
Synanogue/Humanitarian Aid	\$14,400	0	0.0%	%0.0	20.0%	80.0%	\$0	\$0	₩.	\$11,520
Heat (school)	\$40,000	В	20.0%	36.0%	14.0%	%0.0	\$16,000	\$23,600	\$400	\$0
Flights	\$45,000	O	30.0%	%0.07	%0.0	%0.0	\$13,500	\$31,500	\$0	\$0
Products of Israel	\$40,000	ш	55.0%	35.0%	1.0%	%0.6	\$22,000	\$14,000	\$400	\$3,600
Student Programs	\$12,000	0	0.0%	%0.0	100.0%	%0.0	\$0	\$0	\$12,000	0\$
Finding/Documenting Children	\$60,000	9	%0.06	10.0%	%0.0	%0.0	\$54,000	\$6,000		\$0
Pesach Costs	\$1,800	Ŋ	20.0%	20.0%	%0.0	%0.0	006\$	\$300	\$0	\$0
Total Operation Costs	\$1 762 060				;		\$773,942	\$850,496	\$67,260	\$70,362
							43.9%	48.3%	3.8%	4.0%
The above costs do not include "Special Costs"	al Costs"						0.4	003		
or "Capital Expenditures"			Number of Children (avg for year)	hildren (avg f	or year)		140	030		>
			Cost nor Child	_			92,070	7++,-0		



# The Ohr Dessa Project Basis for Allocation of Expenses 2003 Budget

Allocation

Method

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	Local Teacher & Staff Salaries	Israeli Teacher & Staff Salaries	Advertising	Community Outreach	Repairs	Accomodation for Shabbat	Synagogue/Humanitarian Aid	Heat	Flights	Products of Israel	Student Programs	Student Programs	Finding/Documenting Children	Extra Hours on Pesach
Allocation		_	Ľ	L	ŋ	ŋ	ŋ	Q	I	ш	Ω	В	O	O
	Taxes on Salaries	Bank Charges	Food	Bread	Maintenance	Clothing for Children	Books, Supplies	Rent for Facilities	Rent for Houses	Summer Camp Costs	Telephone	City Tax (incl. water & elec)	Medication	Transport-Buses

<ul> <li>F. Allocated based on number of meals served</li> </ul>	55% Children's Home	35% School	1% Community	9% Humanitarian	<ul> <li>G. Allocated based on review of paid bills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>H. Allocated based on review of salaries paid</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Based on overall operating cost/revenues</li> </ol>	44% Children's Home	48% School
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Community Humanitarian

Total 250 children each session

325/43% Orphange 335/45% School

90/12% Other

E.Three 2 week sessions

Homes = 75%Schools = 25%

1-Girls School & Orphanage

1-Boys Orphanage

1 Community=14% C. 100% to Community Activity D. Two Buildings Paying Rent

2 1/2 Homes=36%

A. 100% to Children's Homes B. Total 7 Buildings 3 1/2 School=50&



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Tikva Corp. Mr. Seth Gerszberg, President and Trustee 1 Martin Avenue South River, NJ 08882 November 8, 2002

Dear Seth,

At your request, I traveled to Odessa, Ukraine from the period of October 30, 2002 through November 4, 2002 for the purpose of examining the books and records ("records") maintained by The Ohr Dessa Project ("Tikva"). The examination included (i) reviewing the actual results of operation for the first nine months of 2002 with a comparison to the budget; (ii) reviewing the anticipated spending and revenue levels for the fourth quarter of 2002; (iii) assisting local personnel in the preparation of a preliminary spending budget for 2003 for general operating expenses, special project costs and capital expenditures; (iv) updating the previous study splitting general operating costs between spending for the children's home, the school, the synagogue and humanitarian aid; (v) confirming 2002 revenue received to-date and expected full year revenue by source and responsibility; (vi) assisting in the preparation of a preliminary revenue budget for 2003 by source and responsibility; and (vii) determining local debt levels outstanding in comparison to historical amounts.

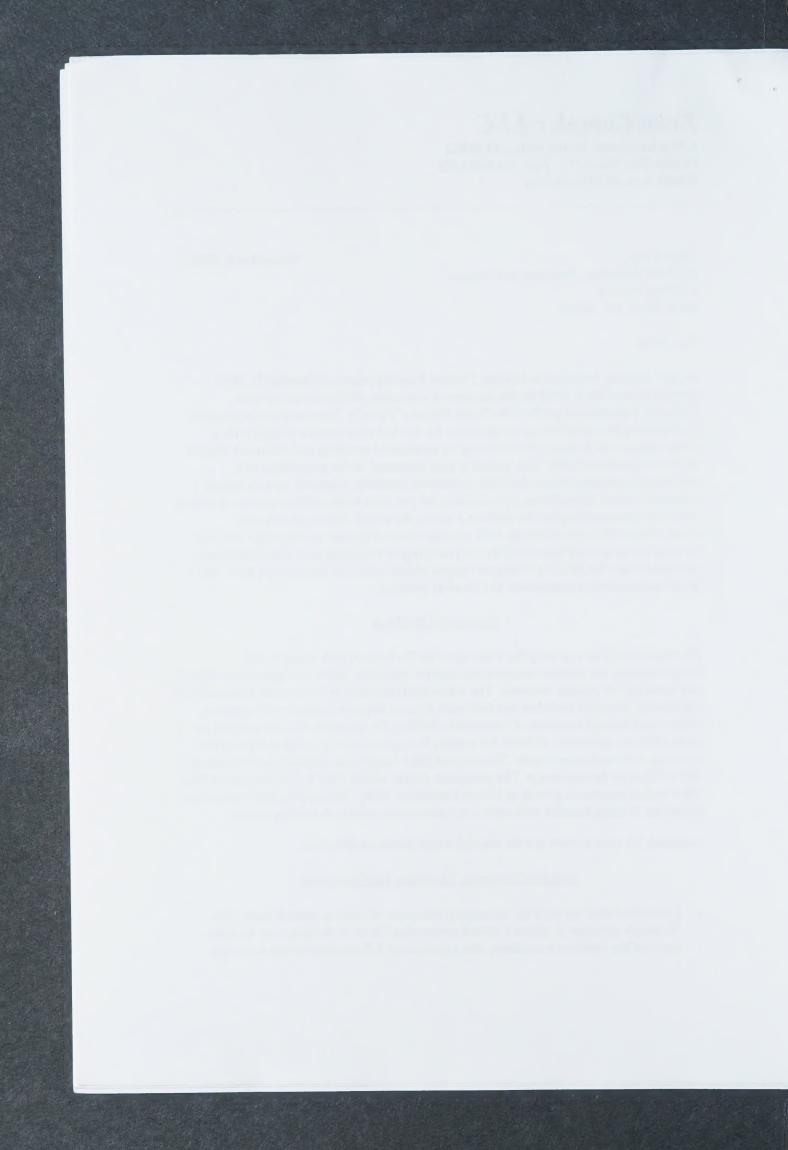
### Summary of Findings

The records of Tikva, principally maintained on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements, are well documented and detailed and fairly reflect the operating revenues and costs for the periods reviewed. The Tikva staff continues to be very knowledgeable in the detailed financial activities and has taken steps to improve controls over spending. These steps include a process of competitive bidding for programs that has resulted in more effective utilization of funds for heating fuel, guard services, capital expenditure spending and bus transportation. The original 2002 budget was prepared on the basis of 107 children in the orphanage. The projection for the end of 2002 is 130 children and the 2003 budget assumes a growth to 150 by December, 2003. This growth, both to-date and projected, is being handled with only very minor increase in total staffing levels.

Attached, for your review, are the schedules and narratives prepared.

## Specific Comments, Questions and Open Items

I discussed with the staff the accounting treatment of cash vs. accrual basis. The
financials continue to reflect a hybrid system that I think is the only way to make
sense of the numbers considering the organization's fluctuating revenue receipts.



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- In a true receipts and disbursements system, only actual cash payments would show as an expense. But if the organization had insufficient cash to spend in a particular month, it would be meaningless to show lower expenses for that month. Therefore, expenses, incurred but not paid, are shown in the monthly P&L with an offset to local payables on the balance sheet.
- Through an application from Ohr Sameach to the UJA, a request for a new baby home was submitted for funding totaling \$66,000. Tikva USA has submitted the second funding request with those funds to come directly to Tikva-USA.
- The 2000 audited financials prepared by Ohr Sameach reflected a debt to Wolfson of \$252,000. During 2001, the Israeli Education Ministry sent \$175,100 to Odessa that was immediately sent from Odessa to Ohr Sameach for repayment against the loan. In a June, 2002 meeting between Wolfson, Rabbi Baksht and Refael Kruskal, Wolfson asserted that the amount outstanding is \$300,000 and the he considers this a Tikva, and not an Ohr Sameach debt. Although Wolfson probably has a weak legal argument, this issue needs to be further reviewed.
- During the course of the year, certain donors contribute with the understanding that their contribution will be spent on specific items (i.e. gifts for the children). Often, these items were not budgeted. Since the spending only occurs after a donation has been received, in reporting 2003 actual expenditures, these types of expenditures will be reported below the operating expense line in a new section called "Special Costs".
- During 2002, based on a specific donation, an office was set up in Israel to assist children in obtaining basic essentials when they left Odessa and resettled in Israel. During the early years of Tikva's operation, the number of children being sent was small. Now, as the original children grow older, it is anticipated that the number will increase to 30 per year. This concept, and its related cost, needs to be analyzed as the need for helping these children will continue to grow in future years. The Israeli based staff is preparing a budget for 2003 and it will be forwarded when received.
- The attached narrative for the 2003 budget includes a capital expenditure "wish list". Further discussion concerning the nature of the spending and the funding sources has to occur before they can be incorporated into the final 2003 budget.

I am available to further discuss any of the above.

Sincerely,

Richard P. Thrush Ecko.Complex LLC, Chief Financial Officer

cc: Rabbi Bakst, Trustee: Founder and Director of Ohr Dessa and Tikva Odessa Refael Kruskal, International Director of Ohr Dessa and Tikva Odessa Tikva-USA Trustees