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Dear Mr. Hirsch:

In reply to your letter of February 20, 1945, concerning the solicitation of funds by the Vaad Habatsala Emergency Committee for refugee work, I suggest that you direct your inquiry to the President's War Relief Control Board.

For your general information, the War Refugee Board has received the suggestions, the cooperation, and the assistance of a number of private organizations, among them the Vaad Habatsala Emergency Committee of the Union of Orthodox Rabbis of the United States and Canada, in the development and execution of its programs for the rescue and relief of the victims of enemy persecution.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) William O'Dwyer

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War Refugee Board
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Re: Vaad Hahatzala Emergency Committee

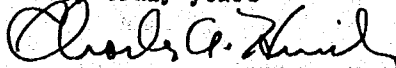
Gentlemen:

Several of my clients have been approached by persons representing themselves to be members of the above mentioned committee, seeking contributions from them for work allegedly performed in the interest of refugees.

I would appreciate very much if you could give me any information which you might have with respect to the work which this committee does or intends to do.

Thanking you for your cooperation in this matter, I remain

Very truly yours



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