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UNITED STATES SENATE  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20510

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Rabbi Alan Silverstein  
Congregation Agudath Israel  
20 Academy Rd  
Caldwell, NJ 07006

Dear Rabbi Silverstein,

I want to express my heartfelt congratulations as you celebrate your retirement and 42 years as Rabbi at Congregation Agudath Israel.

The truest measure of our success is how well we have served others. Your dedication and love of community is an inspiration, and is reflected in your impressive record of service to the Jewish community of Caldwell, as well as numerous distinctions, including your elections as president of the International Rabbinical Assembly of the Conservative Movement and the World Council of Conservative/Masorti Synagogues, and chair of the Foundation for Masorti Judaism in Israel.

Again, congratulations on your well-deserved retirement. May the years ahead be rewarding and fulfilling.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "C.A. Booker". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Cory A. Booker  
United States Senator