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OFFICE OF ZONING
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Ms. Sheila B. Reid
Chair
Board of Zoning Adjustments
414 Fourth Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20012

Re: Application #16556

Dear Ms. Reid:

I join many Shepherd Park neighbors, members of Ohev Sholom Talmud Torah, and Tifereth Israel synagogues and Reverend Aldridge in supporting Jewish Primary Day School's application before the Board of Zoning Adjustment. The Jewish Primary Day School (JPDS) is the only Jewish day school in the District of Columbia and the school is committed to remaining in the District. The JPDS application is for temporary occupancy at 7701 and 7712 Sixteenth Street, NW.

The Jewish Primary Day School is a true treasure for the District's entire community. Founded in 1987, JPDS is an independent school opened to everyone. The school has been recognized for the quality of its educational curriculum, faculty talent and students' performance. Most importantly, more than fifty percent of the students are District residents. The Jewish Primary Day School's temporary and permanent location certainly should be in the District of Columbia.

This temporary three-year occupancy will mean so much to the 178 children who are eager for their beloved school to have a home. Thank you for approving this application and for allowing JPDS to remain in the District.

Sincerely,

Nathan Bogner

cc:
Councilmember Charlene Drew Jarvis
Councilmembers-at-Large
Andrew Altman, Office of Planning
Joseph Hairston, Chair ANC 4A

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