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Pastor John Hagee
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Dear Pastor Hagee,

Please accept, on behalf of yourself, Christians United for Israel and CUFI-UK, our thanks for your bold leadership in standing with the Jewish community and against anti-Semitism in the United Kingdom.

Like you, we have watched with growing alarm the whitewashing of anti-Semitism by the UK Labour Party under Jeremy Corbyn's leadership. We know that its rejection of the definition of anti-Semitism provided by the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance is designed to permit Labour Party members and executives to mask anti-Semitic bigotry as "criticism of Israel" and thus escape censure. Calling Israel a racist endeavor, comparing its government to that of the Nazis, and faulting it for defending itself against genocidal terrorist organizations — these are not "criticism of Israel," but painting a new veneer over one of the world's most antiquated expressions of hate.

In the current environment, it takes courage to boldly and clearly state this simple truth. The members of CUFI demonstrate boldness and strength of character as they stand up against bigotry in all its forms. We are grateful to have courageous friends.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pesach Lerner".

Rabbi Pesach Lerner
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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Yaakov Menken".

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