

It is with deep sorrow that I announce the פטירה of the great Rosh Hayeshiva

## HaGaon HaRav Mendel Weinbach זצוקל

## Yeshivas Ohr Somayach

I was privileged to have a close kesher with him for over 13 yrs.

I learnt with him, consulted with him and was inspired by him.

His ability to understand the needs for each and every one of his talmidim was unbelievable.

His passing is a tremendous loss for all of Klal Yisroel

Being that it is Chanukah and there are restrictions on Hespeidim

I feel it is appropriate to wait for the Shloshim in order to give a formal Hesped.

The Rosh Yeshiva was very involved in the setting up of Shaarei and he was a constant guide and mentor to me in regards to all aspects of the shul.

I suggest that the Kehillah should learn some mishnayos in his memory. A list will be put up shortly.

The Shloshim will be held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January.

May we only share in simchas together and may the Rosh Yeshiva be a meilitz yosher for all of klal Yisroel

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