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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to introduce you to a very valuable and effective tool for Rebbeim to utilize in teaching Gemara to their talmidim. The program, in essence, will accomplish the following for talmidim learning (or perhaps struggling with) Gemara:

- 1) It will serve as a tool for the talmid to see the structure of the Gemara, to determine what's the main discussion and the main points and what is a side discussion and secondary point.
- 2) It will help the talmid recognize that the Gemara uses the same tools over and over again, instilling in them the confidence to learn any part of the Gemara, as they will feel a sense of familiarity and competence in their learning the Gemara.
- 3) The visual component of the program introduces, flows, and parallels the text, so that it is very text and structure based
- 4) It will serve as a comprehensive tool, and also includes Rashi and Tosafos.

The program was developed by a very talented yungerman, Chananya Hoffinger, a ben Torah who was a rebbe for many years. The program is computer-based, but can be refined to be used as worksheets as well.

Expert mechanchim have noted how impressed they were with this program, and feel it can be a very useful tool for all mechanchim in teaching Gemara.

Sincerely,

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