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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The following statement is given at the request of the interested parties and is valid and true and correct, to inform the recipient of these facts:

Karaite Judaism is a duly recognized branch of Judaism, which has existed under this name for the last one thousand (1000) years. Karaite Judaism is officially recognized by the **State of Israel** through its established organization “**Universal Karaite Judaism**” (UKJ) and its body of representatives, the High Council, which represents the Karaite Jews all over the world and being spiritually directed by the Council of Sages, the Moetzet Hakhamim, and is presided over by Chief Rabbi Moshe ben Yosef Firrouz.

As of this date (May 31, 2011) there exists no officially recognized organization or group within Karaite Judaism in Brazil, which is either affiliated with or associated in any way with Universal Karaite Judaism.

If there are any other questions concerning this or any matter related to same, please feel free to contact us directly at:

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Thank you for your kind attention to this communiqué.
Attentively,

Chief Rabbi Moshe ben Yosef Firrouz

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