

**1794, 21 Agosto, Nova Iorque. Carta de Gershom Mendes Seixas aos administradores da K. K. Shearith Israel.**

*(Nova Iorque, American Jewish Historical Society, Jacques Judah Lyons P-15)*

New York 21.<sup>st</sup> August 1794

Gentlemen

Your resolve of last Sunday was handed to me by your Clerck – the proposal contained therein is incompatible with the Nature of a Contract. I cannot therefore with propriety submit to be judged by the party concerned – however to present additional trouble I am willing the Trustees shall appoint any three or five Citizens of any other religious society as Referrees in the Business and whatever they or the majority of them shall determine I will abide by

I am Gentlemen

Your most obd't Servt.<sup>r</sup>

Gershom Seixas

The Trustees of K. K. Shearith Israel in New York.

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Rec[e]i[ve]d from Hazan Seixas, the 31 Augus.<sup>t</sup> 1794 – by the hand of M.<sup>r</sup> Ephr.<sup>m</sup> Hart president of the board of Trustees.

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