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The members of the International Association of Jewish Lawyers and Jurists (IAJLJ) condemn in the strongest possible terms the vicious attack on Rabbi Gabriel Davidovich and his family, which took place in Rabbi Davidovich’s home in Buenos Aires yesterday. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Davidovich family, and the entire Jewish community in Buenos Aires and throughout Argentina.

The IAJLJ calls upon the law enforcement officers and authorities in Argentina to swiftly and thoroughly investigate this crime, bring the perpetrators to justice, and ensure the future safety and protection of the Jewish community in Buenos Aires and throughout the entire country. We stress the responsibility of the Argentinian government to uphold its constitution and laws which provide for freedom of religion and the right to profess one’s faith freely.

We vow to continue using all legal means at our disposal to combat anti-Semitism in every form world-wide. No person should experience fear while practicing their beliefs. No man, woman or child should be targeted for their race, nationality or religion.

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