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Baroness Neuberger addresses AJR members

The Association of Jewish Refugees (AJR) is delighted to announce that Baroness Rabbi Julia Neuberger will address their members at a dinner at the Belsize Square Synagogue on Wednesday 5 March.

The Baroness, whose Mother was a refugee from Germany, will speak on the title of one of her books, *The Moral State that we're in: A manifesto for 21st century society*.

A Liberal Democrat spokeswoman on Health in the House of Lords, Baroness Neuberger was only the second woman to be ordained as a Rabbi in England and was the first female Rabbi to have her own Synagogue when she officiated at the South London Liberal Synagogue between 1977-1989.

Having been Chief Executive of the Kings Fund and a Vice President of the United Nations Association, she is a Trustee of the British Council and the Imperial War Museum and is also Prime Minister Gordon Brown's special advisor on volunteering.

The audience will include AJR members from across the south of England and Wales who will be visiting London as part of a three day visit to the capital.

AJR Chairman, Andrew Kaufman, said, "We are delighted and honoured to welcome Baroness Neuberger to address our members especially as her family's involvement with the AJR spans almost seven decades. Her personal achievements, and commitments to improving healthcare provision, are testament to the continuing contribution to this country made by the refugees from Nazism and their children."

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Notes:

The Association of Jewish Refugees (AJR) provides an extensive range of social and welfare services and grants financial assistance to victims of Nazi persecution living in Great Britain.