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Organ Donation

I applaud Shmuel Ben Eliezer's article on organ donation ("Organ Transplants – the Most Altruistic of Mitzvot," Feb. 10) and I invite those who want to get a halachic organ donor card to apply at the Halachic Organ Donor Society. I would, however, like to point out that contrary to what was stated in the article, it is currently illegal to pay for organs in Israel (although monetary gifts have occasionally been awarded to families of donors after the act of donation.) Also, the correct URL for the Halachic Organ Donor Society website is www.hods.org.

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