

### **Yechaveh Da'as Comments on Hefsek Between Washing and Bread**

**Yechaveh Da'as**, chelek 5, siman 47, page 209, states that most poskim (**Maharam Merutenberg, Tur, Kol Bo, Abodraham, Rambam**, apparently also **Rash, Nemukai Yosef** in name of **Ritva Yosef Ishkapa, Ben Ish Chai**) paskn to bless "laishaiv basuka" before hamotzi, and even while standing up before sitting down to say hamotzi. However, **Shulchan Aruch** disagrees. Also, most poskim hold telling people, between hamotzi and eating bread, "Please take the bread" is NOT a hefsek, although it is preferable not to if you can avoid it.