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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
ISRAEL**

Exchange of notes constituting an agreement relating to radio communication facilities at or near embassy sites for transmission of official messages. Tel Aviv and Jerusalem, 10 and 21 May 1963

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No. 7113. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND ISRAEL RELATING TO RADIO COMMUNICATION FACILITIES AT OR NEAR EMBASSY SITES FOR TRANSMISSION OF OFFICIAL MESSAGES. TEL AVIV AND JERUSALEM, 10 AND 21 MAY 1963

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The American Ambassador to the Israeli Minister for Foreign Affairs

AMERICAN EMBASSY

Tel Aviv, May 10, 1963

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Excellency :

I have the honor to refer to conversations which have taken place between representatives of the Government of the United States of America and representatives of the Government of Israel, regarding the desirability of reciprocally establishing and operating radio stations in the fixed service at or near the sites of our respective Embassies for transmission of official messages to points outside each country. The purpose of such an arrangement would be to provide more fully to our respective Governments the ability to communicate speedily and effectively to meet the requirements of today's rapidly changing world situation. In this manner each Government may better be informed as to the course of events, better prepared to respond to the variety of international problems daily demanding their attentions, and more fully able to coordinate the growing number of joint or bilateral actions required by their mutual interests.

Accordingly, I suggest it be agreed that the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Israel may reciprocally construct and operate, at Tel Aviv and Washington respectively, a low powered radio station in the fixed service at or near the site of the Embassy of the respective country, for the transmission of its official messages to points outside the respective countries.

¹ Came into force on 21 May 1963 by the exchange of the said notes.

If the above proposal meets with the approval of the Government of Israel, I should appreciate receiving Your Excellency's reply to that effect as soon as possible in order that the attendant technical details may be arranged between officials of the respective Governments. Such arrangements shall be subject to amendment at any time by concurrence between the two Governments.

The Government of the United States of America will consider the present note and your reply concurring therein as constituting an agreement between our two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date of your reply note.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

Walworth BARBOUR

Her Excellency Mrs. Golda Meir

Minister for Foreign Affairs of the State of Israel

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The Israeli Minister for Foreign Affairs to the American Ambassador

MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Jerusalem, 21 May 1963

Your Excellency :

I have the honour to acknowledge your Note of 10 May, regarding the desirability of reciprocal establishment and operation of radio stations in the fixed service at or near the sites of the Embassies of the United States of America and of Israel, respectively, to transit official messages to points outside each country.

The Government of Israel accepts the proposal that the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Israel may reciprocally construct and operate, at Tel Aviv and Washington respectively, a low powered radio station in the fixed service at or near the site of the Embassy of the respective country, for the transmission of its official messages to points outside the respective countries.

The Government of Israel will consider Your Excellency's Note and this reply of concurrence as constituting an agreement between the Government of the United States of America and itself, which shall enter into force on the date hereof.

Yours sincerely,

Golda MEIR

His Excellency the Ambassador of the United States of America
in Israel