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## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and ISRAEL

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The Ambassador of Israel to the Secretary of State

EMBASSY OF ISRAEL WASHINGTON, D.C.

July 20, 1965

Dear Mr. Secretary,

I have the honor to state that following discussions with representatives of the United States Navy Ships Stores Office during their visit in Israel last March, and with personnel of the United States Embassy in Tel Aviv, Israel manufacturers of various textile, leather garments, jewelry and arts and crafts offered their merchandise for sale to the United States Navy Ships Stores overseas, and tentative orders amounting to about \$250,000 were placed.

It was agreed that, subject to governmental confirmation, these goods, and any other future orders to be placed in Israel by Non-Appropriated Fund Activities of the United States Department of Defense, will be handled in the following manner: the individual Non-Appropriated Fund Activity will place orders on an f.o.b. Israel basis with the manufacturer, and pay in dollars against documents. Copies of such payment documents will be sent by the Activity to the Disbursing Officer in the United States Embassy in Tel Aviv. The Disbursing Officer will present these invoices once monthly to the Israel Treasury which will make available U.S. dollars in exchange for Israeli pounds owned by the United States in an amount equivalent to 35 per cent of such f.o.b. price.

If this meets with your approval I have the honor to propose that this Note and your reply thereto will constitute an agreement between our two Governments

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Came into force on 26 July 1965 by the exchange of the said notes.

effective upon the date of your reply, which shall be subject to review at any time upon the request of either Government.

Avraham Harman Ambassador

The Honorable the Secretary of State Washington, D.C

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#### The Secretary of State to the Ambassador of Israel

# DEPARTMENT OF STATE WASHINGTON

July 26, 1965

#### Excellency:

I have the honor to refer to your note of July 20, 1965, and to inform you that the arrangement prescribed therein for the purchase of various goods from Israel for sale in United States Navy Ships Stores overseas is acceptable to me.

I agree that your note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments effective today and subject to review at any time upon the request of either Government.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

For the Secretary of State:

Phillips Talbot

His Excellency Avraham Harman Ambassador of Israel