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**ISRAEL
and
LITHUANIA**

**Agreement on the waiver of the visa requirement for the
holders of diplomatic or service passports. Signed at
Jerusalem on 1 March 1995**

Authentic texts: Hebrew, Lithuanian and English.

Registered by Israel on 21 December 1995.

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**Accord relatif à la suppression des formalités de visas pour
les titulaires de passeports diplomatiques ou de service.
Signé à Jérusalem le 1^{er} mars 1995**

Textes authentiques : hébreu, lituanien et anglais.

Enregistré par Israël le 21 décembre 1995.

AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF
ISRAEL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF
LITHUANIA ON THE WAIVER OF THE VISA REQUIREMENT
FOR THE HOLDERS OF DIPLOMATIC OR SERVICE PASSPORTS

The Government of the State of Israel and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania (hereinafter referred to as the “Contracting Parties”),

Desirous of strengthening the friendly relations between the two countries,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

Citizens of the State of Israel and the Republic of Lithuania, respectively, who are holders of valid national diplomatic or service passports, shall be exempt from visa requirements for entry into, stay, exit from and transit through the territory of the other Contracting Party at the border-crossing points designated for international travel, for a maximum period of ninety (90) days. Upon the request in writing by the diplomatic mission or consular post of the Contracting Party whose citizens the passport holders are, the competent authorities of the other Contracting Party may extend that exemption for those passport holders.

Article 2

1. Nationals of the States of the Contracting Parties — holders of diplomatic or service passports, who are members of a diplomatic mission or a consular office of one State in the territory of the other State may stay in the territory of the other State for the period of their assignment without visas.

2. The same arrangements apply to family members forming part of the household of persons mentioned in paragraph 1 above, provided they are holders of diplomatic or service passports.

Article 3

Persons specified in Art. 1 and 2 may cross borders at any border crossing point designed for international travel.

Article 4

1. The Contracting Parties shall exchange through diplomatic channels valid specimens of the travel documents specified in Art. 1 thirty days before the entry of the present Agreement into force at the latest.

2. In the event of any changes in the valid travel documents, a Contracting Party shall send the new specimens, together with information on the applicability of the documents, to the other Contracting Party, through diplomatic channels, thirty days before their introduction, at the latest.

¹ Came into force on 27 November 1995, i.e., 90 days from the date of the last of the notifications (of 1 April and 27 August 1995) by which the Contracting Parties had informed each other of the fulfilment of the domestic requirements, in accordance with article 5.

Article 5

The present Agreement shall enter into force ninety days from the date of the second of the diplomatic Notes by which the Contracting Parties shall notify each other of the fulfillment of their domestic requirements for the entering into force of the present Agreement.

Article 6

The present Agreement is concluded for an unlimited period. It may be terminated by either Contracting Party by giving written notice through diplomatic channels. The Agreement shall cease to be valid thirty days from the date of the written notification on termination to the other Contracting Party.

DONE at Jerusalem, on the 1st of March 1995, which corresponds to the 29th of Adar 5755, in the Hebrew, Lithuanian and English languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of divergence of interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

For the Government
of the State of Israel:

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For the Government
of the Republic of Lithuania:

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