EMBASSY OF ISRAEL WASHINGTON, D C

שגרירות ישראל ושינגטון

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Dear Mr. Secretary,

I have the honor to refer to conversations between representatives of the Government of Israel and representatives of the Government of the United States of America relating to the possibility of concluding an agreement between the two Governments with a view to the reciprocal granting of authorizations to permit licensed amateur radio operators of either country to operate their stations in the other country, in accordance with the provisions of Article 41 of the International Radio Regulations, Geneva, 1959.

It is proposed that an agreement with respect to this matter be concluded as follows:

- 1. An individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator and who operates an amateur radio station licensed by such Government shall be permitted by the other Government, on a reciprocal basis and subject to the conditions stated below, to operate such station in the territory of such other Government.
- 2. The individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur

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radio operator shall, before being permitted to operate his station as provided for in paragraph 1, obtain from the appropriate administrative agency of the other Government an authorization for that purpose.

3. The appropriate administrative agency of each Government may issue an authorization, as prescribed in paragraph 2, under such conditions and terms as it may prescribe, including the right of cancellation at the convenience of the issuing Government at any time.

Upon the receipt of a reply note from you indicating the concurrence of the Government of the United States of America, it will be considered that this note and the reply note constitute an agreement between the two Governments, such agreement to be in force as of the date of the reply note and to be subject to termination by either Government giving six months! notice, in writing, of its intention to terminate.

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Please accept, Mr. Secretary, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Avraham Harman

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Ambassador

The Honorable Secretary of State Washington, D.C.

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE WASHINGTON

June 15, 1966

Excellency:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Your Excellency's note of this date, in which reference is made to conversations between representatives of the Government of the United States of America and representatives of the Government of Israel relating to the possibility of concluding an agreement between the two Governments with a view to the reciprocal granting of authorizations to permit licensed amateur radio operators of either country to operate their stations in the other country, in accordance with the provisions of Article 41 of the international Radio Regulations, Geneva, 1959.

Pursuant to section 303 (1)(2) and 310(a) of the Communications Act of 1934 as amended (47 U.S.C. 303 (1)(2)), 310(a), the Government of the United States of America is prepared to conclude an agreement with respect to this matter as follows:

1. An individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator and who operates an amateur radio station licensed by such Government shall be permitted by the other Government, on a reciprocal

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His Excellency

Avraham Harman,

Ambassador of Israel.

basis and subject to the conditions stated below, to operate such station in the territory of such other Government.

- 2. The individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator shall, before being permitted to operate his station as provided for in paragraph 1, obtain from the appropriate administrative agency of the other Government an authorization for that purpose.
- 3. The appropriate administrative agency of each Government may issue an authorization, as prescribed in paragraph 2, under such conditions and terms as it may prescribe, including the right of cancellation at the convenience of the issuing Government at any time.

In accordance with the suggestion made in Your Excellency's note, that note and this reply note indicating the concurrence of the Government of the United States of America are considered as constituting an agreement between the two Governments, such agreement to be in force as of the date of this reply note and to be subject to termination by either Covernment giving six months' notice, in writing, of its intention to terminate.

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

For the Secretary of State:

Frank Eloz