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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

April 15

Mrs. Ford,

The President asked me to return this to you. I kept a copy for our files.

Dorothy



EMBASSY OF ISRAEL WASHINGTON, D. C.



12 April 1976

Mr. Milton Hoffman 3635 Johnson Avenue Riverdale, New York 10463

Dear Milton:

It was with great pleasure that I heard from you of the possibility that Mrs. Ford might pay a visit to Israel. I have passed this information to my Government which was, of course, delighted with this prospect.

Mrs. Rabin will be glad to issue the invitation to Mrs. Ford as soon as we learn when the prospective visit can take place. I need not tell you that Mrs. Ford will be received with great enthusiasm by the Government and the people of Israel.

I want to use this opportunity to convey to you an invitation to visit Israel at the same time. You know that your many friends in Israel will be happy to see you on this auspicious occasion.

Sincerely,

Simcha Dinitz

Ambassador

