

Treaties Department - Ministry Of Foreign Affairs - Israel

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs presents its compliments to the Embassy of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and, with reference to the Embassy's Note No.78 of 13 June 1961 and the conversation between Mr. Pavel G. Tarassov, Second Secretary of the Embassy, and the Director of the Consular Department on 30 January, has the honour now to reply as follows:

The Government of Israel confirms its agreement with the proposals contained in the Embassy's Note that, to simplify consular work and improve the consular services rendered to nationals of the State of Israel and of the Union of the Soviet Socialist Republics, the collection of fees by the respective Consular Missions and Ministries for Foreign Affairs for the grant of visas, for the procurement of documents and their authentication, and for all other consular services shall be waived on a basis of reciprocity.

This agreement will not extend to the procurement of documents from non-governmental sources or to the authentication of documents by advocates exercising the functions of a notary.

The Embassy of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
in Israel.

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As agreed in the conversation of 30 January, the present Note and the Embassy's Note No. 78 shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments, which shall enter into force ten days from the date hereof.

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics the assurances of its highest consideration.

Jerusalem, 3 March 1964.