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MEMBER / OFFICER
POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from a private source for meetings, speaking engagements, fact-finding trips or similar events in connection with official duties. You need not disclose government-funded or political travel on this form, or travel that is unrelated to official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report all privately-funded travel on the Member or officer's annual Financial Disclosure Statement. In accordance with clause 5 of House Rule 25, complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House of Representatives, B-106 Cannon House Office Building, within **15 days** after travel is completed. The Clerk is to make these forms available to the public as soon as possible after they are received. *Obtain the dollar amounts from the sponsor; if exact dollar amounts are unavailable, provide a good faith estimate.*

Name of Member or Officer (print or type): Robert J. Dold

Name of Accompanying Family Member (if any): _____

Relationship to Member/Officer: Spouse Child Other (specify): _____

Date of Departure and Date of Return: May 15 - May 20

Dates at personal expense: none

Itinerary (cities of departure – destination – return): Jacksonville, FL - Tel Aviv, Israel - Chicago, IL

Sponsor(s) (who paid for the trip): Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago

Describe meetings and events attended (attach additional pages if necessary): Over the course of 4 days, we traveled

across Israel for meetings regarding the security, strategic, economic, and cultural cooperation between the United States and Israel. This was a fact-gathering trip.

We spoke with and visited leading security experts, military officials, senior advisors to the Prime Minister, and Israeli business leaders.

Attached to this form are EACH of the following (*signify "yes" for each item by checking the corresponding box*):

1. the Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form completed by trip sponsor, including all attachments;
2. the Privately-Sponsored Travel Approval Form completed by the Member or officer; **and**
3. the Committee on Ethics letter approving my participation on this trip.

I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the sponsor's agenda (*signify "yes" by checking box*):

If not, explain: _____

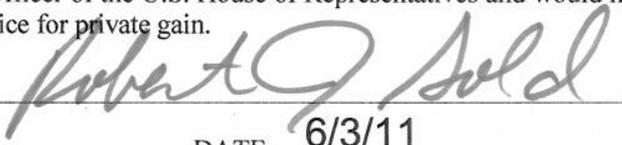
TRIP EXPENSES:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses
For Member or Officer:	\$7874.95	\$1450.00	\$680.00
For accompanying family member:			

	Other Expenses (dollar amount)	Specific Nature of Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For Member or Officer:	\$1115.00	Entrance fees, guide, bus, speakers
For accompanying family member:		

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have determined that all of the expenses listed above were necessary and that the travel was in connection with my duties as a Member or Officer of the U.S. House of Representatives and would not create the appearance that I am using public office for private gain.

SIGNATURE OF MEMBER OR OFFICER:



DATE: 6/3/11

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PRIVATELY SPONSORED TRAVEL: TRAVELER FORM
For Members, Officers, and Employees

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COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

This form should be completed by House Members, officers, or employees seeking Committee approval of privately-sponsored travel or reimbursement for travel under House Rule 25, clause 5. The completed form should be submitted directly to the Committee by each invited House Member, officer, or employee, together with the completed and signed Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form and any attachments. A copy of this form, minus this initial page, will be made available for public inspection. *Please type form. Form (and any attachments) may be faxed to the Committee at (202) 225-7392.*

YOUR COMPLETED REQUEST MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE COMMITTEE NO LESS THAN 14 DAYS BEFORE YOUR PROPOSED DEPARTURE DATE. Absent exceptional circumstances, permission will not be granted for requests received less than 14 days before the trip commences.

Name of Traveler: Robert J. Dold

I certify that the information contained on both pages of this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: Robert J Dold

Name of Signatory (if other than traveler): _____

For staff, name of employing Member/Committee: _____

Office address: 212 Cannon House Office Building

Phone number: 202-225-4835

Email address of contact person: kimberly.brisky@mail.house.gov

Check this box if the sponsoring entity is a media outlet and the traveler is a Member traveling to make a media appearance sponsored by that entity and these forms are being submitted to the Committee less than 14 days before the trip departure date.

NOTE: You must complete the contact information fields above, as Committee staff may need to contact you if additional information is required.

If there are any questions regarding this form please contact the Committee:

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U.S. House of Representatives
1015 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
(202) 225-7103 (phone)
(202) 225-7392 (fax)

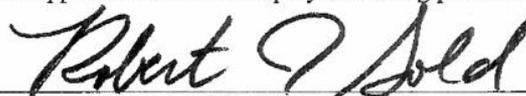
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PRIVATELY SPONSORED TRAVEL: TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: Robert J. Dold
2. Sponsor(s) (who will be paying for the trip): Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago
3. Travel destination(s): Israel
4. a. Date of Departure and Date of Return: May 15 - May 20
b. Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense? Yes No
If yes, dates at personal expense: _____
5. a. Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? Yes No
b. If yes, name of accompanying family member: _____
c. Relationship to traveler: Spouse Child Other (specify): _____
6. a. Did the trip sponsor answer "yes" to Question 9(c) on the Trip Sponsor form (i.e., the travel is being sponsored by an entity that employs a lobbyist)? Yes No
b. If yes, check one of the following: N/A - Sponsor checked 9(a) or 9(b)
(1) Approval for one-night's lodging and meals is being requested: or
(2) Approval for two-nights' lodging and meals is being requested:
If "(2)" is checked, explain why the second night is warranted: _____
7. Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments (indicate that form is attached by checking box):
8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to your individual official or representational duties:
As a Member of Congress, I am focused on strengthening the U.S.-Israel relationship. The purpose of this trip is information-gathering.
I feel it is critical to go to Israel and see, first-hand, the security challenges the U.S. and Israel currently face together in the Middle East.
9. **FOR STAFF:**
TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR EMPLOYING MEMBER:

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Date: 3/18/11



Signature of Employing Member

NOTE: This page must be submitted with your post-travel disclosure form within 15 days of your return, so you should maintain a photocopy of the completed form for your records.

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Committee on Ethics

PRIVATE SPONSOR TRAVEL CERTIFICATION FORM
(provide directly to each House invitee)

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers or employees under House Rule XXV, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee. The trip sponsor should NOT submit the form directly to the Committee.

Private sponsors are urged to submit this form to each House invitee at least 30 days before travel is scheduled to begin. The failure to provide the Committee with adequate time to review the form and attachments may result in the invitee not receiving approval for the trip. The submission of an incomplete form will delay the review process. Before completing this form, sponsors are urged to carefully review the Committee's private travel guidelines and advisory memoranda detailing the rules and restrictions for private travel, as well as the instructions for completing this form. Sponsors should call the Committee with any questions prior to submitting the form. Please type form.

1. Sponsor(s) (who will be paying for the trip): Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago
2. I represent that the trip will not be financed (in whole or in part) by a federally-registered lobbyist or a registered foreign agent (signify "yes" by checking box):
3. I represent that the trip sponsor(s) has not accepted from any other source funds earmarked directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip (signify "yes" by checking box):
4. Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)? Yes No
5. Provide names and titles of ALL House invitees; for each invitee, provide explanation of why the individual was invited (include additional pages if necessary): Congressman Robert Dold and Legislative Aide David Stern
To explore issues impacting the U.S.-Israel relationship and the business and person-to-person ties between Israel and the 10th Congressional Dist.
6. Dates of travel: May 15-20, 2011 - Dold, May 15-22, 2011 - Stern
7. Cities of departure - destination - return: Jacksonville - Israel - Chicago (Dold)
Washington, D.C. - Israel, Washington, D.C. (Stern)
8. Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities taking place during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities) (signify "yes" by checking box):
9. I represent that (check one of the following):
 - a. The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: or
 - b. The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a federally registered lobbyist or registered foreign agent: or
 - c. The trip is for attendance at a one-day event and lobbyist involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations.
10. If travel is for participation in a one-day event (i.e., if you checked Question 9(c)), check one of the following:
 - a. One-night's lodging and meals are being offered: or
 - b. Two-nights' lodging and meals are being offered:If "b" is checked, explain why the second night is warranted: _____

11. If the trip is not sponsored by an institution of higher education, I represent that a federally-registered lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip (signify "yes" by checking box):
12. Private sponsors must have a direct and immediate relationship to the purpose of the trip or location being visited. Describe the role of each sponsor in organizing and conducting the trip: _____
JUF is recruiting, planning, financing and implementing the trip in its entirety.
13. Describe each sponsor's organizational interest in the purpose of the trip: JUF funds social service, health, and educational activities in Chicago and around the world, with much of it allocated to support such efforts in Israel.
14. Describe the type and class of the transportation being provided. Indicate whether coach, business-class or first-class transportation will be provided. In addition, for travel via aircraft, please indicate if travel is being offered on a commercial flight, chartered flight or on an aircraft operated or paid for by a carrier not licensed by the Federal Aviation Administration to operate for compensation or hire (i.e., a private aircraft). If first-class fare is being provided, or if travel is via chartered or private aircraft, please provide an explanation describing why such travel is warranted: _____
Commercial flight. Business class will be provided so as to ensure maximum sleep and preparation for long days of meetings.
15. I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). (signify "yes" by checking box):
16. I represent that either (check one of the following):
 a. The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees: or
 b. The trip involves events that are arranged or organized *specifically with regard* to congressional participation:
 If "b" is checked, detail the cost per day of meals (approximate cost may be provided): \$100 per day
17. Reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: Israel is a major ally of the U.S. and the location of much JUF philanthropic efforts.
18. Name of hotel or other lodging facility: Hilton Hotel, Tel Aviv
19. Cost per night of hotel or other lodging facility (approximate cost may be provided): \$416 for Cong. Dold, \$300 for David Stern
20. Reason(s) for selecting hotel or other lodging facility: Proximity to meetings with Israeli and U.S. governmental officials and locations of JUF-funded agencies.

21. TOTAL EXPENSES FOR EACH PARTICIPANT:

<input type="checkbox"/> actual amounts <input type="checkbox"/> good faith estimates	Total Transportation Expenses per Participant	Total Lodging Expenses per Participant	Total Meal Expenses per Participant
For each Member, Officer, or employee	\$5,500 for member \$1,600 for staff	\$1,250 member \$ 900 staff	\$400 each
For each accompanying family member	—	—	—

	Other Expenses (dollar amount)	Identify Specific Nature of "Other" Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For each Member, Officer, or employee	\$200 each	Entry fees, ground transportation tour guide
For each accompanying family member	—	—

22. I represent that reimbursement for miscellaneous travel expenses for the trip, such as travel to and from airports, security costs, interpreter fees, visa application fees, and similar expenses, will be for actual costs incurred and are necessary for the purpose of the trip (signify "yes" by checking box):

23. I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: Jay Cath
 Name and title: Jay Cath, Senior Vice President, Public Affairs
 Organization: Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago
 Address: 30 S. Wells St., Chicago, IL 60606
 Telephone number: 312-444-2881
 Fax number: 312-855-2476
 Email Address: jaycath@juf.org

The Committee staff may contact the above individual above if additional information is required.

If there are any questions regarding this form please contact the Committee at the following address:

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 U.S. House of Representatives
 HT-2, The Capitol
 Washington, DC 20515
 (202) 225-7103 (phone)
 (202) 225-7392 (general fax)
 (202) 226-7172 (fax for travel approvals)

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Invitee List for Rep. Dold's Privately Sponsored Travel to Israel (May 15 – 20)*

*As of March 18, 2011

Jeff Brincat
Keith Shapiro
Bill Silverstein
Andy Hochberg
Sandy Perl
Doug Gessner
Scott Heyman
Mitch Kopin
Brett Maxwell
Caryn Peretz
Marc Sacks
Richard Stein
Ari Storch
Jay Tcath
Rick Woldenberg
Bruce Zirinsky



Jewish United Fund/Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago

About JUF



Mission

The Jewish United Fund/Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago is one of the largest not-for-profit social welfare institutions in Illinois and the central address of Chicago's Jewish community. JUF provides critical resources that bring food, refuge, health care, education and emergency assistance to 300,000 Chicagoans of all faiths and two million Jews around the world.

JUF/Federation funds a network of nearly 70 agencies and programs that care for people at every stage of life, regardless of the ability to pay. Since 1900, JUF/Federation has worked to give voice to the community, and to assure that necessities are provided for its most vulnerable members—children, immigrants, the poor, the elderly and the disabled.

Services

JUF-funded agencies offer a dynamic menu of services that support people at every stage of life. This state-of-the-art network offers everything from respite care for families of children with disabilities to community-based services that allow seniors to live independently in their own homes. In addition, JUF supports local Jewish educational institutions, helping to provide a vibrant Jewish education to the next generation.

Video: 'Steve Elliot's Story' A teenager headed for serious trouble until a JUF-funded agency helped.



Fundraising

JUF/Federation has among the very best non-profit cost ratios in the nation. JUF and its partner agencies are continually searching for new ways to maximize resources and increase the system's ability to respond to human needs.

Tradition

Jewish tradition calls upon every individual to contribute to the welfare of the less fortunate. For more than 100 years, members of Chicago's Jewish community have chosen JUF/Federation as the central address for fulfilling this commandment. Chicago's Jewish community demonstrates unparalleled commitment to caring for the most vulnerable people in our midst, with the highest per capita giving of any of the largest cities in the U.S.

Volunteerism

JUF's TOV Volunteer Network provides hands-on volunteer opportunities for people of all ages to actively participate in tikkun olam, the repair of the world. Working with local congregations and

JUF's network of partner agencies, TOV links more than 15,000 community members with projects throughout the year. Throughout JUF's network of partner agencies, volunteers annually contribute more than 210,000 hours to this community, a donation valued at some \$3.7 million.



Youth

One of Judaism's central tenets is the importance of passing traditions and teachings from generation to generation. JUF has a deep commitment to engaging our community's youth and inspiring their Jewish journeys, supporting a host of informal education and outreach experiences for young people that strengthen their Jewish identity and connections to community.



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Country: ISRAEL
Publication Date: 04/01/2011

Country Name	Post Name	Season Begin	Season End	Maximum Lodging Rate	M & IE Rate	Maximum Per Diem Rate	Footnote	Effective Date
ISRAEL	Eilat	01/01	12/31	320	135	455	View	12/01/2010
ISRAEL	En Boqeq	01/01	12/31	235	119	354	View	01/01/2011
ISRAEL	Haifa	01/01	12/31	230	119	349	View	12/01/2010
ISRAEL	Herzliya-Pituach	01/01	12/31	335	143	478	View	12/01/2010
ISRAEL	Other	01/01	12/31	237	122	359	View	01/01/2011
ISRAEL	Sedom	01/01	12/31	235	119	354	View	01/01/2011
ISRAEL	Tel Aviv	01/01	12/31	335	143	478	View	12/01/2010
ISRAEL	Tiberias	01/01	12/31	237	122	359	View	01/01/2011

Clarke, Sheria

From: Tcath, Jay J [JayTcath@juf.org]
Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2011 12:59 PM
To: Clarke, Sheria
Subject: RE: Travel for Congressman Dold and David Stern

Thank you Ms. Clarke.

Please feel free to call me Jay.

No outside entity or source of funds is providing any financial or other support for this trip. All funding derives from general operating funds made available through JUF's own regular fundraising efforts and made available by, and at the full discretion of, our board of directors by specific allocations.

The higher lodging cost for Congressman Dold was based on our desire to provide an upgraded room for the Member that was still within the per diem guidelines. Such upgrades would, for example, provide him more working resources – desk, Wi-Fi, printer, etc.

Happy to talk further about any of this.

Jay Tcath

From: Clarke, Sheria [<mailto:Sheria.Clarke@mail.house.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2011 10:18 AM
To: Tcath, Jay J
Subject: Travel for Congressman Dold and David Stern

Dear Mr. Tcath,

I am the Ethics Committee counsel assigned to conduct an initial review of the trip. Please confirm that the Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago is paying for all trip expenses using its general funds. If the Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago received outside funding, including grant funding or any other support, intended to subsidize expenses for this trip, or congressional travel in general, we would need to get details on who those funders/donors are, the terms of the grant as it relates to congressional travel, and their role in helping to plan or organize the trip. We also need them to fill out a sponsor form.

Also, the forms you submitted indicated the cost of the lodging facility was higher for Congressman Dold than for Mr. Stern. Please explain the reason for the additional cost.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sheria A. Clarke
Counsel
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PRIVATELY-SPONSORED TRAVEL REQUEST SUMMARY AND STATUS

Traveler: Dold, Robert J. File No. 117780 Attorney Assigned: SAC

Trip Sponsor: Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago Travel Destination: Israel

Date Received 3/22/2011 Dates of Travel: 5/15/2011 to 5/20/2011

Date to designees for signatures: 4/19/11

JB approved/date: 4/20/11

LTS approved/date: 4/20/11

Date Mailed: _____ (or) Logged out: _____

ISSUES:

Family Member Personal Days 0

Trip Related to Official Duties

Sponsor's Tax Status: (D)(C)(S) Choose an item.

International Travel

Employ Lobbyist? Yes No

Higher Education Institution

2nd Night approved

Retroactive Request : Approved Denied

14 Day-Violation: Media Request Substitute Speaker Prior Violations

Complete and otherwise approvable when filed

SPECIAL ISSUES/ COUNSEL RECOMMENDATIONS:

[describe any novel issues, discussion of precedent, etc. and recommendations]

Signed by officer, using general funds.

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April 22, 2011

The Honorable Robert James Dold
U.S. House of Representatives
212 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Colleague:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to Israel scheduled for May 15 to May 20, 2011, sponsored by the Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago.

You must complete a Member Travel Disclosure Form and file it with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are required to attach a copy of this letter and the Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form, including attachments. You must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$350 from a single source on Schedule VII of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement.

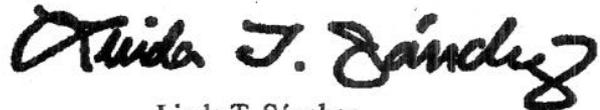
Because the trip may involve meetings with foreign government representatives, we note that House Members may accept, under the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act, gifts "of minimal value [currently \$350] tendered as a souvenir or mark of courtesy" by a foreign government. Any tangible gifts valued in excess of \$350 received from a foreign government must, within 60 days of acceptance, be disclosed on a Form for Disclosing Gifts from Foreign Governments and either turned over to the Clerk of the House, or, with the written approval of the Committee, retained for official use.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,



Jo Bonner
Chairman



Linda T. Sánchez
Ranking Member

JB/LTS:sac

JUF Leadership Mission with Congressman Robert Dold
16 – 19 May 2011
Trip Itinerary

MONDAY, MAY 16

BRING DRIVER'S LICENCE THIS DAY!

Arrive at Ben Gurion Airport, VIP assistance at the airport. Transfer from airport to Hilton Hotel and check in.

- 12:00 pm Lunch briefing with **Aluf Benn**, Editor at large for Ha'aretz Newspaper (and Kellogg grad), at Hapina Hayeruka Restaurant.
- 2:00 pm Briefing with **General Gabi Ashkenazi**, Former IDF Chief of Staff.
- 3:15 pm Visit **Better Place**, a leading electric vehicle (EV) services provider.
- Return to the hotel.
- 7:30 pm Dinner with **Emily Landau**, Senior Research Associate at Tel Aviv University's Institute for National Security Studies, at Kimmel Restaurant. We will be joined by post-college students from the 10th Congressional District studying or volunteering in Israel through the JUF-funded MASA Program.
- Hilton Hotel, Tel Aviv

TUESDAY, MAY 17

BRING PASSPORTS/PHOTO ID THIS DAY!

Breakfast at the Hilton. **Dan Harkabi**, Chairman of JUF's Partnership 2000 Steering Committee, IDF helicopter pilot and high tech entrepreneur will join the group today.

- 7:00 am Depart hotel for Sde Dov Airport.
- 9:00 am Visit **Nitzana**, a village on the increasingly tense Egyptian border where social services are funded by JUF through the Jewish Agency for Israel. IDF briefing provided by Brigade Commander.
- 11:00 am Visit IDF's **Zeelim Base**, including lunch with soldiers.
- 1:00 pm Fly along the Gaza border with Israel; briefing at the area; then fly north, along the green line then over the Carmel Forest.
- 3:30 pm Visit to Yemin Orde re: Ethiopian absorption.
- 5:00 pm Visit with **Eitan Wertheimer**, Chairman of the Board, Iscar Metal Cutting Co., (a Berkshire-Hathaway Company).
- Fly to Sde Dov, Tel Aviv. Return to Hilton Hotel.

- 8:00 pm Dinner with **representatives of Illinois 10th District companies in Israel** at Liliyot Restaurant
- **Ofra Lempert**, CEO of Kraft Foods Israel
 - **Erez Shem Tov**, External Affairs/ Key Account Manager, Abbott
 - **Scott Mortman**, Global Development Director of Better Place
 - **Jon Medved**, CEO and Director of Vringo

Hilton Hotel, Tel Aviv

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

BRING PASSPORTS/PHOTO ID THIS DAY!

- 7:00 am Depart hotel for Jerusalem.
- 8:45 am Arrive at the Old City:
- Visit to the Temple Mount
 - Briefing by the Chief Superintendent **Uri Botta from the Border Patrol Unit guarding The Western Wall Plaza.**
- Drive to the Knesset.
- 12:00 pm Meeting with **Danny Ayalon**, Deputy Foreign Minister and Former Israeli Ambassador to the United States.
- 1:15 pm Lunch with **Baruch Binah**, Director of North American Affairs and **Bahij Mansour**, Director of the Religious Department at the Foreign Ministry HQs.
- 3:00 pm Meeting with **Ron Dermer**, Senior Advisor to the Prime Minister at the Prime Minister's office.
- Meeting with **Natan Sharansky**, Chairman of the Jewish Agency.
- 5:30 pm Visit **Better Together**, a JDC funded agency in East Talpiot.
- 8:00 pm Dinner with Deputy Prime Minister and Former Chief of Staff **Moshe (Boogy) Yaalon** at Deca Restaurant.

Hilton Hotel, Tel Aviv

THURSDAY, MAY 19

BRING PASSPORTS/PHOTO ID THIS DAY!

- 9:00 am Meeting with U.S. Economic Counselor, **David Burnett**, at the U.S. Embassy.
- 10:30 am Meeting with **Khaled Abu Toameh**, Journalist, at Tel Aviv University.
- 12:00 pm Lunch with JDC Speaker.
- 1:30 pm Caucus at Beit Hatfutzot/Museum of the Diaspora.

3:00 –7:00 pm	Group free time in Tel Aviv.
6Pm	Cong. Dold conference call with JUF and Jewish community leaders
7:30 pm	Farewell dinner at Goshen Restaurant. Depart for Ben Gurion Airport.
11:50 pm	Depart Tel Aviv on flight CO#91.