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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

February 17, 1976

Dear Marc,

What a kind and thoughtful letter you wrote me on February 3rd. This job won't be easy--I know that. However, with the support of friends like you, I feel confident it will work.

Just as I did at the U.N., I have laid politics completely aside. I recognize I will have to convince some of the skeptics about this. In any event, I'm very pleased with the quality of the people I find here at the CIA. There also seems to be a sense of reason returning to the debate. All of this is good.

Thanks again for your very thoughtful, kind and personal letter.

Sincerely,

George

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February 16, 1980

Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum
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Dear Rabbi:

Your letter to the Ambassador following the Iowa caucuses has just caught up with me. (I have been somewhat of a migrant worker, but will be spending most of my time now in the Alexandria office here. My telephone number will be 703/379-5233, and the switchboard number will be 703/379-5200).

I will be glad to sit down with you whenever it is convenient, and talk about how we can use your contacts in the interreligious network. Are you ever in Washington?

Give me a call when you get a chance and we'll work something out.

Tom Lias



United States Representative to the United Nations

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January 12, 1973

Dear Marc:

What a wonderfully thoughtful letter you wrote to me on January 3. I think it would be most useful for you to meet John Scali and I shall recommend it to him. If he is here before I leave, perhaps you could join us for a cup of coffee and a little chat.

Let me take this opportunity to thank you for the total and invaluable help you have given me and the U.S. Mission to the United Nations. You have been frank, you have been fair, and both Tom Lias and I have felt that if we were in need of sound advice and principled judgment, we could call on Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum. I do hope our paths cross in the future. Needless to say, I would really be pleased to see you when you come to Washington from time to time. My office is on Capitol Hill at Eisenhower Center. The address is 310 First Street, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20003 (202 484-6500). I put my phone number on because I want you to be sure to use it.

Let's stay in touch and, in the meantime, thanks again for your help in the past and for your friendship.

Yours very truly,

George Bush