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ordinary cablegram. PRESIDENT CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT				
Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to				
ToHENRY MONKSY September 8, 1943				
Care of or Apt No. 737 - Omaha Nat'l Bank Bldg.				
Care of or Apt. No. 737 - Omana Nat'l Bank Bldg.				
Street and No. OMAHA, NEBRASKA				
Place WRHS AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES				
DO NOT BELIEVE MEETING DELEGATION HULL SHOULD BE POSTPONED MUCH LONGER.				
EXECUTIVE OF REFORM CONGREGATIONS WILL NOT MEET BEFORE OCTOBER				
JEWISH COMMITTEE MAY NOT RATIFY PALESTINE RESOLUTION. VALUE OF VISIT				
CONSISTS IN PRESENTING AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT SENTIMENT AND DECISIONS OF				
CONFERENCE TO HULL. HENCE REGARD WISE PRELIMINARY VISIT AND POSTPONEMENT				
OF DELEGATION VISIT AS INADVISABLE.				
SILVER.				
WANT A REPLY?				
"Answer by WESTERN UNION"				
or similar phrases may be included without charge.				

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		C. WILLEVER VICE-PRESIDENT
Send the following telegram, subject	to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to	
ToHenry Monsky	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	September 7, 1943 19
Care of or Apt. No. A	merican Jewish Conference	
Street and No	521 Fifth Avenue	
Place New	York, N.Y. RHS AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES	
HAVE BEEN INF	ORMED BY WEISGAL POSSIBLE APPOINTMENT	HULL ON THURSDAY.
IMPERATIVE TH	ERE BE AGREEMENT AMONG MEMBERS OF DEL	EGATION THAT PALESTINE
RESOLUTION WH	ICH FORMED SO PROMINENT A FEATURE OF C	ONFERENCE BR MADE ONE OF
CENTRAL SUBJE	CTS DISCUSSED WITH MULL. PEOPLE HER	E AND ABROAD WOULD FAIL
TO UNDERSTAND	AND WOULD DEEPLY RESENT IGNORING PALE	STINE BY X FIRST DELEGATION
SENT BY CONFE	RENCE. WOULD BE HAPPY TO ACCOMPANY DE	LEGATION WITH THIS
INDERSTANDING	KTNDEGO DECADOG	
WANT A REPLY? "Answer by WESTERN UNION"	• KINDEST REGARDS. ABBA HILLEL S	ILVER
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RECOGNIZE REPRESENTATIVE CHARACTER OF THE CONFERENCE THIS IS NOT A DELEGATION OF INDIVIDUAL PERSONALITITES ANY LONGER IT IS AN OFFICIAL DELEGATION THE CONFERENCE WITHIN TEN DAYS I HOPE TO BE ABLE TO GET MANIFESTATION OF COOPERATION EVEN FROM DISSENTERS IN ADVANCE OF FORMAL ACTION IF THAT SHOULD

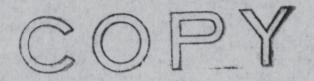
MATERIALIZE IT WOULD OF COURSE BE VERY DESIRABLE AS REGARDS DR WISE'S PRELIMINARY VISIT THIS WAS CONSIDERED IMPORTANT BY WEISGAL AS A NECESSARY COURTESY BECAUSE OF THE UNFORTUNATE CIRCUMSTANCE THAT THE ARRANGEMENT HAD ALREADY BEEN MADE AND THEREFORE I SUGGESTED THAT WE COULD NOT OBJECT TO A

COMPLETELY PERSONAL AND OFF THE RECORD VISIT THIS LATTER EVENTUALITY WAS NOT OF OUR MAKING=

HENRY MONSKY.

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Copy.

September 29th, 1943.

Sir,

According to Press reports that have just reached this Legation, one of the first acts of the newly appointed German military dictator in occupied Denmark, General Kurt Daluege, was, on personal orders from Adolf Hitler, to start the deportation of some six thousand Danish Jews.

I greatly fear that very little can be done from here to come to the aid of these, my fellow citizens, in their hour of affliction. I want, however, to give you the assurance, Mr. Secretary, that any measures the American Government might deem it feasible and appropriate to take in an attempt to afford protection to the Danish Jewish population, or to alleviate their fate and the threat against their lives, will have my full and unconditional support.

As far as financial responsibilities may be involved, I

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The Honorable

Cordell Hull,

Secretary of State,

WASHINGTON, D.C.

undertake the guaranty towards your Government, or any other gov@rnment that may incur expenses in the effort to bring help to Danish Jews or other Danish nationals prosecuted by the Nazis, to reimburse such expenses out of the Danish public funds under my control in this country. In making this declaration, I know I am acting in line with the wishes of the people of Denmark.

I should be grateful for an early opportunity to discuss with you, Sir, what it may be possible to do in order to render assistance to my nationals and to protect them against the dangers threatening their existence. Receive, Sir, the assurance of my highest

consideration.

Under instructions from and for the Danish Minister at the present moment absent from Washington.

> C.A.C. Brun Counselor of Legation.

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