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Many thanks for your outstanding cooperation and patience!  
The coverage in the media is nice and getting better.  
Looking forward to the grand opening hopefully in January.  
STEVE

On Tue, May 6, 2025 at 11:22 PM Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <[Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov](mailto:Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov)> wrote:

All,

I believe I selected the email chain with everyone, though to feel free to share with anyone I have missed. We wanted to thank you again for your support with the wonderful announcement today. It was a great day to celebrate all that is to come and we look forward to the work ahead.

Please find photos from the event here:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1DHG1g8XZQp0PJ2n3bFJE44nRlaCgrTKL>

The link to the press release can be found here:

<https://www.mass.gov/news/governor-healey-celebrates-shebaarcs-expansion-to-massachusetts>

Many thanks for your partnership,  
Ellie

**Ellie Hitt**

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All,

We look forward to welcoming you to the State House tomorrow, Tuesday, May 6 for this announcement. I've attached the latest RSVP list and pasted the run of show below. I know our communications teams have also been in touch regarding the press release.

When you have a moment, can you please confirm who will be joining in the Ceremonial Office for the photos and gift exchange? We will then have that group stand onstage in support behind the podium for the press conference.

If you need anything further, please don't hesitate to reach out.

**Run of Show:**

**1:45 pm Gather in Governor's Ceremonial Office for Photos and Gift Exchange**

Location: Governor's Ceremonial Office, Room 360 (Third floor of State House)

Attendees: Governor Healey, Kirk Taylor, Sec. Stolba , Consul General Sharoni

**1:55 pm Transition from Governor's Ceremonial Office to First Floor via Elevators**

**2 pm Speaking Program Begins**

Location: State House Room 157

- Governor Healey remarks; introduces Kirk Taylor, President & CEO of Massachusetts Life Science Center
- Kirk Taylor remarks; introduces Consul General of Israel Benny Sharoni
- Consul General Benny Sharoni remarks; introduces Professor Eyal Zimlichman, Chief Transformation Officer of ARC Sheba
- Professor Eyal Zimlichman remarks; introduces Prof. Yitshak Kreiss, Director General of Sheba Medical Center
- Prof. Yitshak Kreiss remarks; invites Governor Healey back to podium
- On topic media Q&A (as needed)

Best,  
Ellie

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**Subject:** Connect re ARC / MA event

**When:** Friday, May 2, 2025 10:30 AM-11:00 AM.

**Where:** Microsoft Teams Meeting

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**Subject:** Re: ARC coming to Massachusetts

All, it's a pleasure to meet you. Might I suggest we connect over a video call for an initial discussion?

If you are amenable, can you please send over a few days and times that can work for your team? I can then cross reference and send out an invitation.

Be well,  
Ellie

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**Dear Jeevan,**

Thank you again forwarding and connecting with the communications team. It's a pleasure for us to meet you all and thank you in advance for all the efforts you are putting into this gathering.

As mentioned below we noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura Healey (2:00–3:30 PM).

We would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details:

1. What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific protocols\agenda we should be aware of?
2. Would it be appropriate for us to prepare a gift for the Governor or the Commonwealth?
3. Regarding the guest list - we don't yet have such a list but just wanted to know if it would be possible to invite a few guests from our side to attend the meeting or ceremony?
4. Lastly, could you please share the location once it is finalized?

Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly.

Much appreciated and thank you in advance,

**With Best Regards,**

**Rotem Appel**

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FW: ARC coming to Massachusetts :נושא

Hi Rotem --- allow me to connect you with the Governor's Communications Team (Jillian and Karissa) as well as the Governor's Operations (Ellie) and Scheduling team (Alanna) to help .coordinate this event

Can you send over the list of your attendees and the guests you're proposing. I know Sarah .Sabshon and I have a few others in mind as well

!Looking forward to this exciting announcement

+ -Jeevan- +

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,Dear Jeevan

**.Thank you again for all your support in coordinating the upcoming meeting on May 6**

I noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura :Healey (2:00–3:30 PM). I would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific **protocols** we should •

• ?be aware of  
• Would it be appropriate for us to prepare a **gift** for the Governor or the Commonwealth  
• Lastly, is it possible to **invite a few guests** from our side to attend the meeting or ceremony  
• ?Could you please share the **location** once it is finalized

**.Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly**

**,With Best Regards**

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**עותק:** הר-אבן יואל

**נושא:** RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

,Dear Jeevan

My name is Rotem Appel, Head of Strategic Alliances at Sheba Global, coordinating on behalf of the Sheba team. Thank you very much for your efforts and coordination in arranging this important visit. We're happy to confirm that **May 6, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM**, works well for the proposed meeting. ?Could you please share the **location** once it is finalized. Looking forward to working together to ensure a meaningful and successful visit

,With Best Regards

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Jeevan, I would like to connect you here with Yoel Hareven, VP for Global Affairs  
at Sheba. He is in charge for Prof. Kriess, Sheba's CEO, trip to the US in May

.I understand we are targeting the May 6 option from our side

.Yoel, please follow up with Jeevan and with the Consul General

.Thanks

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נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi --- here are some windows I received for a 45 min event from the Governor's  
Office:

Monday May 5: 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Tuesday May 6: 2:00PM – 3:30PM

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(**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)

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!Thank you, Consul General – what a great moment for all of us

I will share these dates with the Governor's scheduling office and will revert with  
some options.

,Best wishes

+Jeevan+

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,Jeevan

Thanks again for your support and grad work in making this happen

Following the recent meeting with the Governor and the shared interest in a joint announcement, as well as Dr. Zimlichman's update regarding a potential visit by Professor Yitshak Kreiss, CEO of Sheba, to Boston in this regard — we would like to propose May 5–7, 2025, as the most convenient dates for such a visit

We hope these dates might also work for the Governor, and we look forward to coordinating further with your team to make this visit a success

.Looking forward to your response

,Best regards

Benny

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Eyal can answer those questions...fire away

On Tue, May 6, 2025, 16:49 Hand, Karissa (GOV) <[Karissa.Hand@mass.gov](mailto:Karissa.Hand@mass.gov)> wrote:

Hi Steve, we are starting to get some questions from press, including the two below from State House News. Is there someone on your team who I can connect with the reporter to address them?

Do you know where this facility will be located? And do you have any sense of how many startups/workers in Mass. will benefit from this accelerator?

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Only correction..Sheba/ARC

On Mon, May 5, 2025, 22:35 Tahlil, Ayub (GOV) <[Ayub.Tahlil@mass.gov](mailto:Ayub.Tahlil@mass.gov)> wrote:

Hi, here's the draft advisory we'd like to send soon. Let me know if you have any edits?

Governor Healey will host a press conference with the leaders of Sheba Arc, an international health system, to celebrate recent news of their planned expansion to Massachusetts.

**Who:** Governor Healey, President & CEO of Massachusetts Life Science Center  
Kirk Taylor, Consul General of Israel to New England Benny Sharoni, and  
leaders of Sheba Arc

**What:** Sheba Arc Expansion Announcement

**When:** Tuesday, May 6, 2025, at 2:00 pm

**Where:** Room 157, State House

**Press:** Open

**Ayub Tahlil**

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All,

We look forward to welcoming you to the State House tomorrow, Tuesday, May 6 for this announcement. I've attached the latest RSVP list and pasted the run of show below. I know our communications teams have also been in touch regarding the press release.

When you have a moment, can you please confirm who will be joining in the Ceremonial Office for the photos and gift exchange? We will then have that group stand onstage in support behind the podium for the press conference.

If you need anything further, please don't hesitate to reach out.

**Run of Show:**

**1:45 pm Gather in Governor's Ceremonial Office for Photos and Gift Exchange**

Location: Governor's Ceremonial Office, Room 360 (Third floor of State House)

Attendees: Governor Healey, Kirk Taylor, Sec. Stolba , Consul General Sharoni

**1:55 pm Transition from Governor's Ceremonial Office to First Floor via Elevators**

**2 pm Speaking Program Begins**

Location: State House Room 157

- Governor Healey remarks; introduces Kirk Taylor, President & CEO of Massachusetts Life Science Center
- Kirk Taylor remarks; introduces Consul General of Israel Benny Sharoni
- Consul General Benny Sharoni remarks; introduces Professor Eyal Zimlichman, Chief Transformation Officer of ARC Sheba
- Professor Eyal Zimlichman remarks; introduces Prof. Yitshak Kreiss, Director General of Sheba Medical Center
- Prof. Yitshak Kreiss remarks; invites Governor Healey back to podium

- On topic media Q&A (as needed)

Best,  
Ellie

**Ellie Hitt**

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**When:** Friday, May 2, 2025 10:30 AM-11:00 AM.

**Where:** Microsoft Teams Meeting

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**Subject:** Re: ARC coming to Massachusetts

All, it's a pleasure to meet you. Might I suggest we connect over a video call for an initial discussion?

If you are amenable, can you please send over a few days and times that can work for your team? I can then cross reference and send out an invitation.

Be well,  
Ellie

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Dear Jeevan,

Thank you again forwarding and connecting with the communications team. It's a pleasure for us to meet you all and thank you in advance for all the efforts you are putting into this gathering.



As mentioned below we noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura Healey (2:00–3:30 PM).

We would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details:

1. What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific protocols\agenda we should be aware of?
2. Would it be appropriate for us to prepare a gift for the Governor or the Commonwealth?
3. Regarding the guest list - we don't yet have such a list but just wanted to know if it would be possible to invite a few guests from our side to attend the meeting or ceremony?
4. Lastly, could you please share the location once it is finalized?

Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly.

Much appreciated and thank you in advance,

**With Best Regards,**

**Rotem Appel**

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נושא: FW: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi Rotem --- allow me to connect you with the Governor's Communications Team (Jillian and Karissa) as well as the Governor's Operations (Ellie) and Scheduling team (Alanna) to help coordinate this event

Can you send over the list of your attendees and the guests you're proposing. I know  
.Sarah Sabshon and I have a few others in mind as well

!Looking forward to this exciting announcement

+ -Jeevan- +

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,Dear Jeevan

**.Thank you again for all your support in coordinating the upcoming meeting on May 6**

I noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura  
Healey (2:00–3:30 PM). I would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few  
:details

What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific **protocols** we should •

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?ceremony

?Could you please share the **location** once it is finalized •

.Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly

,With Best Regards

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נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

,Dear Jeevan

My name is Rotem Appel, Head of Strategic Alliances at Sheba Global, coordinating on behalf of the Sheba team. Thank you very much for your efforts and coordination in arranging this important visit

We're happy to confirm that **May 6, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM**, works well for the proposed meeting

?Could you please share the **location** once it is finalized

.Looking forward to working together to ensure a meaningful and successful visit

,With Best Regards

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עותק: "Yonatan G. Keschner" <[YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu](mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu)>

**נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts**

Jeevan, I would like to connect you here with Yoel Hareven, VP for Global Affairs at Sheba. He is in charge for Prof. Kriess, Sheba's CEO, trip to the US in May.

I understand we are targeting the May 6 option from our side.  
Yoel, please follow up with Jeevan and with the Consul General.

.Thanks

Eyal

----- הודעה מקורית -----

מאת: "Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

תאריך: 8.4.2025 17:53 (GMT-05:00)

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פרופ" <[Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il)>

נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi --- here are some windows I received for a 45 min event from the Governor's Office

Monday May 5: 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Tuesday May 6: 2:00PM – 3:30PM

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(**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)

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<[eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il)>

**Subject:** RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

!Thank you, Consul General – what a great moment for all of us

I will share these dates with the Governor's scheduling office and will revert with  
.some options

,Best wishes

+--Jeevan--+

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**Jeevan Ramapriya**

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,Jeevan

Thanks again for your support and grad work in making this  
.happen

Following the recent meeting with the Governor and the  
shared interest in a joint announcement, as well as Dr.  
Zimlichman's update regarding a potential visit by Professor  
Yitshak Kreiss, CEO of Sheba, to Boston in this regard — we  
would like to propose May 5–7, 2025, as the most convenient  
.dates for such a visit

We hope these dates might also work for the Governor, and  
we look forward to coordinating further with your team to  
.make this visit a success

.Looking forward to your response

,Best regards

Benny

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	Chris	Coburn	MGB	yes
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	Joe	Sullivan	MLSC	yes
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	Kendalle	O'Connell	MassBio	yes
	Brian	Johnson	MassMEDIC	yes
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	Robert	Leikind	American Jewish Committee	yes
	Robert	Kraft	The Kraft Group	yes
	Jonathan	Kraft	The Kraft Group	yes
	Jeremy	Burton	JCRC	yes
	FayeRuth	Fisher	JCRC	yes
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	Richard	Bolton Siegrist	Harvard School of Public Health	yes
Prof.	Jacob	Cohen	MIT	yes
Dr.	David	Bates	MGH	yes
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Prof.	Eyal	Zimlichman	Sheba Management	tentative
	Yoel	Har Even	Sheba Management	no, sending a staffer
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	David	Kleinhandler	American friends of Sheba	no
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	Mark	Schuster		
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**To:** [Hand, Karissa \(GOV\)](#); [Hitt, Ellie \(GOV\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
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Thank you, Karissa!  
Appreciate the efforts and the hard work  
Benny

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**Cc:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Sheeba/ARC coming to MA - press release

Hi Consul General, thank you so much for sending along this wonderful quote. It is included in our press release below. Looking forward to seeing you tomorrow!



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

May 6, 2025

**CONTACT:**

Karissa Hand, [Karissa.hand@mass.gov](mailto:Karissa.hand@mass.gov), 617-823-2258

**Governor Healey Celebrates Sheba ARC's Expansion to Massachusetts**

**BOSTON** – Governor Maura Healey today welcomed the leadership of Sheba Medical Center, the largest and most comprehensive medical center in the Middle East, to

celebrate their recent decision to launch their first U.S. health care startup accelerator in Massachusetts. The ARC accelerator will leverage Massachusetts' world-class health care institutions, clinical research, tech innovation and talent combined with Sheba Medical Center's proven ARC methodology and global platform to address critical health care challenges through digital and AI-powered solutions.

"It's great that Sheba ARC has chosen to expand here in Massachusetts. They had many options to choose from, but our state stood out because we are already a global hub for health care innovation with unmatched talent," said **Governor Healey**. "We look forward to the opening of their new accelerator, which will be a valued contribution to our innovation-based economy, and I'm sure it will result in new discoveries that will improve the world and save lives."

"Massachusetts is home to the best hospitals, research institutions, and businesses in the world. This new accelerator will make our health care ecosystem even stronger," said **Lieutenant Governor Kim Driscoll**. "We're grateful that Professor Zimlichman and his team chose Massachusetts as the site of this new venture, and we are excited for all of the important work that is to come."

"Opportunities for deeper collaboration between Israel and Massachusetts are both real and exciting—especially in biotech and life sciences, where both are global leaders," said **Consul General of Israel to New England Benny Sharoni**. "Together, the innovation ecosystems of Israel and the Greater Boston Area can drive breakthroughs in science and medicine for the benefit of all. We are proud to continue working with both ARC and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to further strengthen this great relationship"

"Sheba's strategic partnership with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will create a hub for startups from our global network," said **Sheba Medical Center's Chief Transformation Innovation and AI Officer and Founder of ARC, Professor Eyal Zimlichman**. "This collaboration will connect digital and AI technology development with clinical needs, enhancing health outcomes and driving economic growth. By integrating startups into real clinical environments, we can validate and scale solutions quickly, ultimately benefiting patients worldwide."

"Sheba Medical Center has long been at the forefront of medical discovery and healthcare transformation," said **Director General of Sheba Medical Center Professor Yitshak Kreiss**. "By combining our innovation model with Massachusetts' unparalleled

healthcare ecosystem, we can accelerate AI technologies that address the most pressing challenges facing patients and providers globally."

ARC (Accelerate, Redesign, Collaborate) is the innovation arm of Sheba Medical Center, which was founded and directed by Professor Eyal Zimlichman. ARC is shaping the future of medical innovation by connecting entrepreneurs and clinicians, advancing the development and implementation of new technologies, and creating breakthrough economic frameworks in health care. The methodology of ARC Innovation has already supported more than 100 startup companies, including three unicorns with investments surpassing \$1 billion. ARC portfolio companies receive full support through clinical validation programs and regulatory advice, and Sheba Medical Center's physician network of 1,400+ for mentorship and strategic investor and partner connections.

The ARC initiative will accelerate the development of digital and AI healthcare solutions, focusing on three key areas: advanced diagnostic tools, digital health platforms, and workforce support technologies. ARC will begin operations in early 2026 and will be part of Sheba's global innovation network, which includes London, Melbourne, Singapore, Berlin, and New Zealand.

Governor Healey was joined at the Massachusetts State House on Tuesday by Director General of Sheba Medical Center Professor Yitshak Kreiss, Chief Transformation Officer of ARC Sheba Medical Center Professor Eyal Zimlichman, MD, MSc (MHCM), Israeli Consul General Benny Sharoni, Advisor for World Jewry Affairs in the Office of the President of Israel Danya Leshed, Director of Sheba Global Yoel Har-Even (Lieutenant Colonel, Res), Chairman of the Friends of Sheba Medical Center Yoram Tietz, and Board Chair of American Friends of Sheba Medical Center Bill Silbey. Representatives of the Healey-Driscoll Administration included Acting Economic Development Secretary Ashley Stolba, Massachusetts Office of International Trade and Investment Executive Director Jeevan Ramapriya, and President & CEO of Massachusetts Life Science Center Kirk Taylor.

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**Karissa Hand (she/her/hers)**

Press Secretary

Office of Governor Maura T. Healey

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**Cc:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** Sheeba/ARC coming to MA - press release

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Dear Ellie, Karissa,

Hope you had a nice weekend.

Thanks again for your hard work in supporting the important event tomorrow. We are all excited about the announcement.

One quick thing, which I'll appreciate your kind assistance help with.

Just got from Sheeba the text of the planed press release for tomorrow. Somehow, the my name and title together with the quote I provided don't seem to be in the text.

Don't know who is working on the final text, but may I kindly ask your assistance in forwarding my full details and quote (will put those in the bottom of this e-mail) to the relevant people on your team, so it will appear in the final text?

Thank you

Benny

**Consul General of Israel to New England, Benny Sharoni** – “Opportunities for deeper collaboration between Israel and Massachusetts are both real and exciting—especially in biotech and life sciences, where both are global leaders. Together, the innovation ecosystems of Israel and the Greater Boston Area can drive breakthroughs in science and medicine for the benefit of all. We are proud to continue working with both ARC and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to further strengthen this great relationship”

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Hi Rotem,

Please find the streaming link here: <https://www.youtube.com/@MassGovernor/streams> . I can also share the other invite to Mr. Halperin momentarily.

**Ellie Hitt**

Director of Operations

The Office of the Governor Maura T. Healey

[ellie.hitt@mass.gov](mailto:ellie.hitt@mass.gov) | Cell: 617-851-3738

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,Hi Ellie

It was brought to my attention that Mr. Avner Halperin will also be joining the ceremony this week, would you be able to send him an invite as well? his title is CEO of Sheba Impact Avner.  
his email is : Halperin@sheba.health.gov.il

And one last request - could you send us the link to watch the streaming of the ceremony? we would like to send to our partners and teams

Thank you very much in advance

Rotem

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מאת: <Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>

נשלח: יום חמישי 01 מאי 2025 14:49:41

אל: אפל רותם; Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV); Hand, Karissa (GOV); Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV); Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI);

(Alanna (GOV

עותק: הר-אבן יואל; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston; צימליכמן איל, פרופ; וואלז

סטיבן-קנט

נושא: Re: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Thank you, Rotem. Dr. Keschner has also confirmed his attendance and I replied with Elizabeth cc'd for her awareness. We are also happy to add Prof. Zimlichman to the speaking list.

Best,

Ellie

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**From:** Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il <Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il>

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Dear Ellie,

Thank you for the update. Please note that Jonathan's full details are:

**Yonatan Keschner, MGB**

**Email:** [ykeschner@bwh.harvard.edu](mailto:ykeschner@bwh.harvard.edu)

I also have his assistant's contact information:

**Elizabeth Auzenne** – [ElizabethA@TheKraftGroup.com](mailto:ElizabethA@TheKraftGroup.com)

Regarding the proposed speaking order, we would like to add **Prof. Eyal Zimlichman** to the list of speakers.

As suggested, **Prof. Kreiss** will speak last.

Best regards,

Rotem Appel

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מאת: <Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>

נשלח: יום רביעי 30 אפריל 2025 17:28

אל: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI); Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV); Hand, Karissa (GOV); Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV)

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נושא: Re: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi all, please excuse my delayed response as we finalized some pieces on our end. As to the invitations, I can confirm we have everyone on your list (see what we are currently tracking attached). Can you please confirm if you have an email address for Dr. Dana Kraft? We will plan to send invitations today, Wed., April 30.

We have confirmed the event will take place at 2 pm on Tuesday, May 6 in State House Room 157 located on the first floor of the State House, 24 Beacon Street. We will include entry instructions for guests in the invitation language.

Here is our proposed speaking order, please advise if you would like to see any changes:

- Governor Maura T. Healey
- Kirk Taylor, President & CEO of Massachusetts Life Science Center
- Consul General Benny Sharoni
- Sheba speaker—Can you please advise who you would like to speak?

Best,  
Ellie

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**From:** Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il <Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 29, 2025 9:08:09 AM

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,Dear Ellie

,Sorry to reach out again  
We would like to add a few more participants to the meeting — please find the updated list attached.  
?Also, could you kindly share where the meeting will be held  
If possible, we would also appreciate it if you could send us the line-up of speakers and the list of participants from your side  
.Thank you very much for your help, and looking forward to hearing from you

,Best regards  
Rotem

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מאת: <Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>  
נשלח: יום שני 28 אפריל 2025 21:34:38  
אל: אפל רותם; Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV)  
Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI); Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV); Hand, Karissa (GOV);  
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Many thanks! We will add the names to our list.

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**Dear Ellie,**

thank you again for the very informative meeting on Friday, we are working on getting all the information ready as soon as possible.

meanwhile, I wanted to share our list of participants and guests for the event.

please see attached -

**Best,  
Rotem Appel**

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**מאת:** <Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov

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**אל:** אפל רותם; Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV)  
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Sabshon, Sarah (GOV); Quackenbush, Margaret M. (EOED); Rodriguez, Elysia (EOED); Lanata, Isabella  
(GOV); McGinnes, Whitney (GOV); Alander, Brook (GOV); El-Jazzar, Angela (EOED); Benson, Hannah  
(EOED); Joseph P. Sullivan

**נושא:** Re: ARC coming to Massachusetts

All, it's a pleasure to meet you. Might I suggest we connect over a video call for an initial discussion?

If you are amenable, can you please send over a few days and times that can work for your team? I can then cross reference and send out an invitation.

Be well,  
Ellie

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**From:** Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il <Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il>

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 23, 2025 1:23:08 AM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV) <Jillian.E.Fennimore@mass.gov>; Hand, Karissa (GOV) <Karissa.Hand@mass.gov>; Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV) <Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov>; Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>

**Cc:** Yoel.Hareven@sheba.health.gov.il <Yoel.Hareven@sheba.health.gov.il>; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Dr. Zimlichman Eyal <Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il>; Sabshon, Sarah (GOV) <Sarah.Sabshon@mass.gov>; Quackenbush, Margaret M. (EOED) <Margaret.M.Quackenbush@mass.gov>; Rodriguez, Elysia (EOED) <Elysia.Rodriguez@mass.gov>; Lanata, Isabella (GOV) <Isabella.Lanata@mass.gov>; McGinnes, Whitney (GOV) <Whitney.McGinnes@mass.gov>; Alander, Brook (GOV) <Brook.Alander@mass.gov>; El-Jazzar, Angela (EOED) <Angela.El-Jazzar@mass.gov>; Benson, Hannah (EOED) <Hannah.Benson@mass.gov>; Joseph P. Sullivan <jsullivan@masslifesciences.com>

**Subject:** RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

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**Dear Jeevan,**

Thank you again forwarding and connecting with the communications team. It's a pleasure for us to meet you all and thank you in advance for all the efforts you are putting into this gathering.

As mentioned below we noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura Healey (2:00–3:30 PM).

We would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details:

1. What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific protocols\agenda we should be aware of?
2. Would it be appropriate for us to prepare a gift for the Governor or the Commonwealth?
3. Regarding the guest list - we don't yet have such a list but just wanted to know if it would be possible to invite a few guests from our side to attend the meeting or ceremony?
4. Lastly, could you please share the location once it is finalized?

Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly.

Much appreciated and thank you in advance,

**With Best Regards,**

**Rotem Appel**

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מאת: <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> <Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)>

נשלח: יום שלישי 22 אפריל 2025 21:39

אל: (Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV); Hand, Karissa (GOV); Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV); Hitt, Ellie (GOV); אפל רותם

עותק: הר-אבן יואל; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston; צימליכמן איל, פרופ; Sabshon, Sarah (GOV); Quackenbush, Margaret M. (EOED); Rodriguez, Elysia (EOED); Lanata, Isabella (GOV); McGinnes, Whitney (GOV); Alander, Brook (GOV); El-Jazzar, Angela (EOED); Benson, Hannah (EOED); Joseph P. Sullivan  
נושא: FW: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi Rotem --- allow me to connect you with the Governor's Communications Team (Jillian and Karissa) as well as the Governor's Operations (Ellie) and Scheduling team (Alanna) to help .coordinate this event

Can you send over the list of your attendees and the guests you're proposing. I know Sarah .Sabshon and I have a few others in mind as well

!Looking forward to this exciting announcement

+--Jeevan--+

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Sent: Sunday, April 20, 2025 7:59 AM

<To: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov

Cc: Yoel.Hareven@sheba.health.gov.il; Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il; Dr. Zimlichman Eyal

<<Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il

Subject: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

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,Dear Jeevan

**.Thank you again for all your support in coordinating the upcoming meeting on May 6**

I noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura :Healey (2:00–3:30 PM). I would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details  
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?aware of

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?ceremony

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**.Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly**

**,With Best Regards**

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**מאת:** אפל רותם

**נשלח:** יום חמישי 10 אפריל 2025 15:05

**אל:** [Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov); [Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il)

**עותק:** הר-אבן יואל

**נושא:** RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

,Dear Jeevan

My name is Rotem Appel, Head of Strategic Alliances at Sheba Global, coordinating on behalf of the Sheba team. Thank you very much for your efforts and coordination in arranging this .important visit

We're happy to confirm that **May 6, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM**, works well for the proposed

.meeting  
?Could you please share the **location** once it is finalized  
.Looking forward to working together to ensure a meaningful and successful visit

**,With Best Regards**

**Rotem Appel**

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**מאת:** "צימליכמן איל, פרופ" <[Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il)>

**תאריך:** 9 באפריל 2025 בשעה 16:27:27 GMT+3

**אל:** "Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)" <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>, Consul General

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<[Yoel.Hareven@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:Yoel.Hareven@sheba.health.gov.il)>

**עותק:** "Yonatan G. Keschner" <[YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu](mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu)>

**נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts**

Jeevan, I would like to connect you here with Yoel Hareven, VP for Global Affairs  
at Sheba. He is in charge for Prof. Kriess, Sheba's CEO, trip to the US in May

I understand we are targeting the May 6 option from our side  
.Yoel, please follow up with Jeevan and with the Consul General

.Thanks

Eyal

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מאת: " <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> " <Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)>

תאריך: 8.4.2025 17:53 (GMT-05:00)

אל: Consol General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in

<Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>

עותק: " <YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu> " Yonatan G. Keschner, "צימליכמן איל,

פרופ" <Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il>

נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

:Hi --- here are some windows I received for a 45 min event from the Governor's Office

Monday May 5: 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Tuesday May 6: 2:00PM – 3:30PM

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(**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 8, 2025 5:42 PM

<**To:** Consol General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il

>; **Cc:** Yonatan G. Keschner <YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu

<eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il>

**Subject:** RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

!Thank you, Consol General – what a great moment for all of us

I will share these dates with the Governor's scheduling office and will revert with some  
.options

,Best wishes

+--Jeevan--+

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**Sent:** Tuesday, April 8, 2025 5:09 PM

<**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov



אייל צימליכמן <Cc: Yonatan G. Keschner <[YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu](mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu)  
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,Jeevan

Thanks again for your support and grad work in making this happen

Following the recent meeting with the Governor and the shared interest in a joint announcement, as well as Dr. Zimlichman's update regarding a potential visit by Professor Yitshak Kreiss, CEO of Sheba, to Boston in this regard — we would like to propose May 5–7, 2025, as the most convenient dates for such a visit

We hope these dates might also work for the Governor, and we look forward to coordinating further with your team to make this visit a success

.Looking forward to your response

,Best regards

Benny

**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** Celebrate Jewish Heritage Day with the Boston Red Sox and the Consulate General of Israel to New England  
**Date:** Monday, May 5, 2025 12:54:46 PM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)  
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Dear Mr. Ramapriya,

On the evening of Monday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, the Boston Red Sox will celebrate Jewish Heritage Day at their game versus the New York Mets. We are honored to celebrate the great American pastime while acknowledging the Jewish community's appreciation for the sport. Since Lipman Pike started his career in 1866, the Red Sox started Sy Rosenthal in 1925, Kevin Youkilis started with the Red Sox in 2004, and most recently the Red Sox traded for Aaron Bregman in 2025, Jewish players have a long history of contributing to baseball's history and legacy.

We would like to invite you and a guest to attend the game with the Consulate General of Israel to New England. **Please reply to this email by Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup>** if you are interested in attending the game.

Thank you,

**Brooke Perlman**

Executive Assistant to the Consul General  
Consulate General of Israel to New England  
20 Park Plaza #1020 Boston, MA 02116  
T: (771) 233-3775



**From:** [Hitt, Ellie \(GOV\)](#)  
**To:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Irit Yakhnes Dcm - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Cc:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Sabshon, Sarah \(GOV\)](#); [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Driscoll, Tim \(GOV\)](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Join Gov. Healey for international economic development announcement on Tues., May 6  
**Date:** Friday, May 2, 2025 1:25:41 PM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)  
[image002.png](#)  
[image003.png](#)  
[image004.png](#)

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Thank you! I have looped in Detective Lieutenant Tim Driscoll who is the head of the Governor's security detail.

We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday!

**Ellie Hitt**

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The Office of the Governor Maura T. Healey

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**From:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Sent:** Friday, May 2, 2025 11:40 AM  
**To:** Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>; Irit Yakhnes Dcm - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <dcm@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Cc:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; Sabshon, Sarah (GOV) <Sarah.Sabshon@mass.gov>; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** RE: Join Gov. Healey for international economic development announcement on Tues., May 6

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Hi Ellie,

Good morning. Consul General Sharoni is honored to participate in the event on Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> and deliver some brief remarks. The following individuals will also be attending with the Consul General:

Ms. Irit Yakhnes, Deputy Consul General

Mr. Ted Wolf, Director of Communications and Digital Diplomacy

Ms. Dalit Parsser, Director of Strategic Partnerships

In addition, a few members of our security team will be present. Please let me know if you have any questions or require additional information.

Best,

## Brooke Perlman

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**From:** Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <[Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov](mailto:Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov)>

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 30, 2025 4:57 PM

**To:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il)>

**Cc:** Sabshon, Sarah (GOV) <[Sarah.Sabshon@mass.gov](mailto:Sarah.Sabshon@mass.gov)>; Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** Join Gov. Healey for international economic development announcement on Tues., May 6

Dear Consul General Sharoni,

On behalf of Governor Maura Healey, I am writing to invite you to join her for an event on Tuesday, May 6 related to an international economic development initiative.

Join us for an exciting investment announcement that will support the future of the life sciences and healthcare industry in the Commonwealth and beyond.

The event will take place on **Tuesday, May 6 at 2 pm in State House Room 157** located on the first floor of the State House, 24 Beacon Street, Boston, 02133. Room 157 is located down the hallway past the Hooker entrance along the West Wing Hallway. The Ashburton Park Entrance on Bowdoin Street is the accessible entrance for the State House. The event will be open to press and livestreamed. *Please note that this information is currently confidential and under a media embargo.*

If you would like to bring additional colleagues, we ask that you please let us know in advance.

Additionally, we would kindly ask that you stand onstage with the Governor for the announcement and make brief remarks during the speaking program. If you are amenable, we can circulate a final run of show after our Friday planning call.

We sincerely hope that you can join us, and I will be happy to answer any further questions.

Be well,

Ellie

**Ellie Hitt**

Director of Operations  
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**From:** [Hitt, Ellie \(GOV\)](#)  
**To:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Cc:** [Sabshon, Sarah \(GOV\)](#); [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** Join Gov. Healey for international economic development announcement on Tues., May 6  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 30, 2025 4:56:40 PM

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Dear Consul General Sharoni,

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**From:** [Hao, Yvonne \(EOED\)](#)  
**To:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Stolba, Ashley \(EOED\)](#); [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [O'Hanlon, Rory C. \(EOED\)](#); [Benson, Hannah \(EOED\)](#); [El-Jazzar, Angela \(EOED\)](#); [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Correction: Invitation: Reception Celebrating Israel's 77th Independence Day – Monday, May 12 in Boston  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 29, 2025 6:05:23 AM

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Hello Consul General,

It is always good to hear from you, and we are so grateful for your service here in our state, and we very much value our friendship and partnership with Israel! I loved meeting with the Arc Sheba team when they were here, and we are very honored that they have chosen our state for their startup hub in the US!!! I know the Governor loved meeting with them as well, and is excited to announce this together!

I am not sure if you saw the news, but I recently decided to step down from my role. It was bittersweet, as it has been such an honor to serve our state...and especially to find ways to collaborate internationally with inspiring leaders like you! However, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]...and I have a ton of confidence in our team here. I've copied here Jeevan, who will continue to lead international work for our office. And I've also copied Ashley, who has been on our team, and has now stepped in as Secretary. She's awesome, and I hope you two will get a chance to meet.

And thank you for this invitation to the Independence Day celebration! Unfortunately, we have an international conference in DC that day, SelectUSA, so Jeevan, Ashley, and I will all be out of town. However, I've copied Rory (our Chief of Staff), and Hannah and Angela (our scheduling team), and we can check to see if others from our office might be available to join you.

I've also copied my personal email here, and please stay in touch. I promised the Governor that I would always be happy to help as an unpaid advisor, and I will always be a friend to you and Israel. I think often of my trip to Israel, and especially in these challenging and volatile times. I especially think about Yad Vashem, and truly hope that we can remember history and not repeat it.

Very best, yvonne

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 21, 2025 11:51 AM  
**To:** Hao, Yvonne (EOED) <Yvonne.Hao@mass.gov>  
**Subject:** Correction: Invitation: Reception Celebrating Israel's 77th Independence Day – Monday, May 12 in Boston

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Dear Secretary Hao,

I hope this message finds you well.

I'm reaching out personally to extend a warm invitation to a special reception celebrating the 77th Independence Day of the State of Israel. The event will take place in Boston on **Monday**, May 12, and we would be honored by your presence.

Further details about the reception, including the time and venue, will be sent in a separate email.

Please let me know if you'll be able to join us—we would be delighted to welcome you. If you'd like to bring additional guests, please don't hesitate to let me know so that we may extend an invitation to them as well.

Warm regards,

**Benny Sharoni**

Consul General of Israel to New England



*The Consul General of Israel to New England  
Mr. Benjamin Sharoni and Mrs. Dalit Sharoni-Parsser*

*Request the pleasure of your company at a reception on the occasion of*

*THE STATE OF ISRAEL'S  
77<sup>TH</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY*

*Monday, May 12, 2025, 6:30 pm*

*Boston, MA 02108*

*Location Provided Upon RSVP*

*[RSVP Here](#) by April 30<sup>th</sup>*



*This invitation is valid for one guest and non-transferable.  
Guests must RSVP and bring a government issued ID to attend.  
Large bags are not permitted.*

*Please email [cg-assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:cg-assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il) with any questions.*



**From:** [McGinnes, Whitney \(GOV\)](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Ogilvie, Alanna \(GOV\)](#); [Alander, Brook \(GOV\)](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Invitation: Reception Celebrating Israel's 77th Independence Day – May 12 in Boston  
**Date:** Monday, April 28, 2025 2:59:27 PM

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Hi Jeevan!

Hope you are well! Please see the event below that we declined for the Governor, but wanted to flag for you incase you were interested in attending!!

Best,

**Whitney McGinnes**  
Scheduling Co-Op  
Office of Governor Maura T. Healey

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**From:** McGinnes, Whitney (GOV)  
**Sent:** Monday, April 28, 2025 2:58 PM  
**To:** [Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il)  
**Cc:** Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV) <[Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov](mailto:Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov)>; Alander, Brook (GOV) <[Brook.Alander@mass.gov](mailto:Brook.Alander@mass.gov)>; Thibodeau, Katharine (GOV) <[Katharine.Thibodeau@mass.gov](mailto:Katharine.Thibodeau@mass.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: Invitation: Reception Celebrating Israel's 77th Independence Day – May 12 in Boston

Good Afternoon,

I hope you are well and thank you for reaching out with this invitation for the Governor. I am very sorry to share that due to the demands of her schedule, the Governor will not be able to attend the Reception Celebrating Israel's 77th Independence Day on May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Please accept her sincere regrets for being unable to make this work for her schedule and thank you again for thinking of her to join.

Best,

**Whitney McGinnes**  
Scheduling Co-Op  
Office of Governor Maura T. Healey

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il)>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 21, 2025 11:10 AM  
**To:** Thibodeau, Katharine (GOV) <[Katharine.Thibodeau@mass.gov](mailto:Katharine.Thibodeau@mass.gov)>  
**Subject:** Invitation: Reception Celebrating Israel's 77th Independence Day – May 12 in Boston

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Further details about the reception, including the time and venue, will be sent in a separate email.

Please let me know if you'll be able to join us—we would be delighted to welcome you. If you'd like to bring additional guests, please don't hesitate to let me know so that we may extend an invitation to them as well.

Warm regards,

**Benny Sharoni**

Consul General of Israel to New England



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*Location Provided Upon RSVP*

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**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Hao, Yvonne \(EOED\)](#)  
**Subject:** Personal Invitation from the Consul General of Israel to New England: Celebration of the State of Israel's 77th Independence Day  
**Date:** Friday, April 25, 2025 12:56:50 PM

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I'm reaching out personally to extend a warm invitation to a special reception celebrating the 77th Independence Day of the State of Israel. The event will take place in Boston on **Monday**, May 12, and we would be honored by your presence.

Further details about the reception, including the time and venue, will be sent in a separate email.

Please let me know if you'll be able to join us—we would be delighted to welcome you. If you'd like to bring additional guests, please don't hesitate to let me know so that we may extend an invitation to them as well.

Warm regards,

**Benny Sharoni**

Consul General of Israel to New England



*The Consul General of Israel to New England*  
*Mr. Benjamin Sharoni and Mrs. Dalit Sharoni-Parsser*

*Request the pleasure of your company at a reception on the occasion of*

*THE STATE OF ISRAEL'S*  
*77<sup>TH</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY*

*Monday, May 12, 2025, 6:30 pm*

*Boston, MA 02108*

*Location Provided Upon RSVP*

*[RSVP Here](#) by April 30<sup>th</sup>*



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**From:** [Hitt, Ellie \(GOV\)](#)  
**To:** [Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il](#); [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Fennimore, Jillian E. \(GOV\)](#); [Hand, Karissa \(GOV\)](#); [Ogilvie, Alanna \(GOV\)](#); [SteveWalz18@gmail.com](#)  
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**Subject:** Connect re ARC / MA event  
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From: Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>  
Sent: Wednesday, April 23, 2025 10:08:11 AM  
To: Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il <Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il>; Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV) <Jillian.E.Fennimore@mass.gov>; Hand, Karissa (GOV) <Karissa.Hand@mass.gov>; Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV) <Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov>  
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Subject: Re: ARC coming to Massachusetts

All, it's a pleasure to meet you. Might I suggest we connect over a video call for an initial discussion?

If you are amenable, can you please send over a few days and times that can work for your team? I can then cross reference and send out an invitation.

Be well,  
Ellie

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From: Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il <Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il>  
Sent: Wednesday, April 23, 2025 1:23:08 AM  
To: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV) <Jillian.E.Fennimore@mass.gov>; Hand, Karissa (GOV) <Karissa.Hand@mass.gov>; Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV) <Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov>; Hitt, Ellie (GOV) <Ellie.Hitt@mass.gov>  
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Subject: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

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Dear Jeevan,

Thank you again forwarding and connecting with the communications team. It's a pleasure for us to meet you all and thank you in advance for all the efforts you are putting into this gathering.

As mentioned below we noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura Healey (2:00–3:30 PM).

We would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details:

1. What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific protocols/agenda we should be aware of?
2. Would it be appropriate for us to prepare a gift for the Governor or the Commonwealth?
3. Regarding the guest list - we don't yet have such a list but just wanted to know if it would be possible to invite a few guests from our side to attend the meeting or ceremony?
4. Lastly, could you please share the location once it is finalized?

Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly.

Much appreciated and thank you in advance,

With Best Regards,

Rotem Appel

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מאת: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>

21:39 2025 יום שלישי 22 אפריל 2025

אפל רותם; Hitt, Ellie (GOV); Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV); Hand, Karissa (GOV); Fennimore, Jillian E. (GOV); אל סבשון, סarah (GOV); Quackenbush, Margaret M. (EOED); Rodriguez, Elysia (EOED); Lanata, Isabella (GOV); McGinnes, Whitney (GOV); Alander, Brook (GOV); El-Jazzar, Angela (EOED); Benson, Hannah (EOED); Joseph P. Sullivan  
נושא: FW: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi Rotem --- allow me to connect you with the Governor's Communications Team (Jillian and Karissa) as well as the Governor's Operations (Ellie) and Scheduling team (Alanna) to help coordinate this event.

Can you send over the list of your attendees and the guests you're proposing. I know Sarah Sabshon and I have a few others in mind as well.

Looking forward to this exciting announcement!

+Jeevan+

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From: Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il <Rotem.Appel@sheba.health.gov.il>

Sent: Sunday, April 20, 2025 7:59 AM

To: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>

Cc: Yoel.Hareven@sheba.health.gov.il; Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il; Dr. Zimlichman Eyal <Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il>

Subject: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

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Dear Jeevan,

Thank you again for all your support in coordinating the upcoming meeting on May 6.

I noticed the agenda includes a "Ceremony" as part of the meeting with Governor Maura Healey (2:00–3:30 PM). I would greatly appreciate it if you could kindly clarify a few details:

- \* What is the nature of the ceremony, and are there any specific protocols we should be aware of?
- \* Would it be appropriate for us to prepare a gift for the Governor or the Commonwealth?
- \* Lastly, is it possible to invite a few guests from our side to attend the meeting or ceremony?
- \* Could you please share the location once it is finalized?

Looking forward to your guidance so we can prepare accordingly.

With Best Regards,

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מאת: אפל רותם  
נשלח: יום חמישי 10 אפריל 2025 15:05  
אל: Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov <mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> ; Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il <mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
עותק: הר-אבן יואל  
נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Dear Jeevan,

My name is Rotem Appel, Head of Strategic Alliances at Sheba Global, coordinating on behalf of the Sheba team. Thank you very much for your efforts and coordination in arranging this important visit.

We're happy to confirm that May 6, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM, works well for the proposed meeting.

Could you please share the location once it is finalized?

Looking forward to working together to ensure a meaningful and successful visit.

With Best Regards,

Rotem Appel

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16:27:27 GMT+3 תאריך: 9 באפריל 2025 בשעה  
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עוֹתָק: "Yonatan G. Keschner" <YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu <mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu> >  
נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Jeevan, I would like to connect you here with Yoel Hareven, VP for Global Affairs at Sheba. He is in charge for Prof. Kriess, Sheba's CEO, trip to the US in May.

I understand we are targeting the May 6 option from our side.

Yoel, please follow up with Jeevan and with the Consul General.

Thanks.

Eyal

----- הודעה מקורית -----

מאת: "Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)" <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov <mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> >

17:53 8.4.2025 : תאריך: (GMT-05:00)

אל: Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il <mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il> >

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עוֹתָק: "Yonatan G. Keschner" <YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu <mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu> >

נושא: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Hi --- here are some windows I received for a 45 min event from the Governor's Office:

Monday May 5: 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Tuesday May 6: 2:00PM – 3:30PM

From: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)

Sent: Tuesday, April 8, 2025 5:42 PM  
To: Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il <mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il> >  
Cc: Yonatan G. Keschner <YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu <mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu> >; א״ל צ׳מליכמן  
<eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il <mailto:eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il> >  
Subject: RE: ARC coming to Massachusetts

Thank you, Consul General – what a great moment for all of us!

I will share these dates with the Governor's scheduling office and will revert with some options.

Best wishes,

+Jeevan+

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From: Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il <mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il> >  
Sent: Tuesday, April 8, 2025 5:09 PM  
To: Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov <mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> >  
Cc: Yonatan G. Keschner <YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu <mailto:YKESCHNER@bwh.harvard.edu> >; א״ל צ׳מליכמן  
<eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il <mailto:eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il> >  
Subject: ARC coming to Massachusetts

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Jeevan,

Thanks again for your support and grad work in making this happen.

Following the recent meeting with the Governor and the shared interest in a joint announcement, as well as Dr. Zimlichman's update regarding a potential visit by Professor Yitshak Kreiss, CEO of Sheba, to Boston in this regard — we would like to propose May 5–7, 2025, as the most convenient dates for such a visit.

We hope these dates might also work for the Governor, and we look forward to coordinating further with your team to make this visit a success.



Benny

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Phone conference ID: 907 040 501#  
For organizers: Meeting options <https://teams.microsoft.com/meetingOptions/?organizerId=7ae7d6cd-08bf-4a84-be1d-71bf07d67b89&tenantId=3e861d16-48b7-4a0e-9806-8c04d81b7b2a&threadId=19\_meeting\_M2FINTJhOWQtZmZiZS00ODkYLWFhZWQtMTA0MGRkZGRmYjM1@thread.v2&messageId=0&language=en-US> | Reset dial-in PIN <https://dialin.teams.microsoft.com/usp/pstnconferencing>

**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** hi from Benny  
**Date:** Monday, April 21, 2025 11:27:27 AM

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Jeevan

Happy patriots Day.

Two quick things if I may –

ARC coming to Boston – If I understand correctly we are all confirmed for May 6 at 2:00PM right? I see that ARC reached out directly to coordinate the meeting on the 6<sup>th</sup>. Plaease, let me know how can I further assist.

Israeli Independence Day Reception on May 12<sup>th</sup> - I see from the RSVPs that unfortunately you can attend. That's ok. As long as you promise to attend next year In this regard, I sent also Secretary Hao an invitation. I wanted to make sure she knows she is more than invited, even after stepping down from her current position.

Benny

**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Hao, Yvonne \(EOED\)](#)  
**Subject:** Invitation from the Consul General of Israel to New England: Celebration of the State of Israel's 77th Independence Day  
**Date:** Thursday, April 17, 2025 12:46:32 PM

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Dear Secretary Hao,



*The Consul General of Israel to New England  
Mr. Benjamin Sharoni and Mrs. Dalit Sharoni-Parsser*

*Request the pleasure of your company at a reception on the occasion of*

*THE STATE OF ISRAEL'S  
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*Monday, May 12, 2025, 6:30 pm*

*Boston, MA 02108*

*Location Provided Upon RSVP*

*RSVP Here by April 30<sup>th</sup>*



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**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** Invitation from the Consul General of Israel to New England: Celebration of the State of Israel's 77th Independence Day  
**Date:** Thursday, April 17, 2025 12:33:25 PM

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Dear Mr. Ramapriya,



*The Consul General of Israel to New England  
Mr. Benjamin Sharoni and Mrs. Dalit Sharoni-Parsser*

*Request the pleasure of your company at a reception on the occasion of*

*THE STATE OF ISRAEL'S  
77<sup>TH</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY*

*Monday, May 12, 2025, 6:30 pm*

*Boston, MA 02108*

*Location Provided Upon RSVP*

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**From:** [Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Review of Gov's Israel Independence Day Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, April 17, 2025 9:12:40 AM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)  
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Hi Jeevan-

I hope you're well and thank you for shepherding this through the process!

Two things:

-The date of the holiday is sundown April 30 through sundown May 1<sup>st</sup>, which corresponds to the Hebrew date of sundown 2 Iyar through sundown 3 Iyar 5785

And the last sentence can be as it was in the past:

**-Now**, Therefore, I, Maura T. Healey, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 to be, the Independence Day of Israel and urge all of the citizens of the Commonwealth to take cognizance of this event and participate fittingly in its observance.

**Erin Gubert**

Director of Political Affairs

Consulate General of Israel to New England

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 16, 2025 4:55 PM

**To:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Political@boston.mfa.gov.il>

**Subject:** Review of Gov's Israel Independence Day Proclamation

Dear CG Sharoni and Erin --- can I ask you to review the language for this Governor's Proclamation for Israel Independence Day? See below signature.

Thank you,

+Jeevan+

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## A Proclamation

**Whereas**, Sundown on May 1<sup>st</sup> till sundown of May 2<sup>nd</sup> 2025, 3rd Iyar to 4th Iyar, 5785, marks the 77<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the modern State of Israel; on November 29<sup>th</sup>, 1947, the United Nations General Assembly voted on the Partition Plan thus establishing the State of Israel; and

**Whereas**, On May 14<sup>th</sup>, 1948, Israel's first Prime Minister David Ben Gurion signed the Declaration of Independence of Israel, thus fulfilling a spiritual yearning that remained unrealized for over two millennia; and thus, the State of Israel was proclaimed and the United States became the first nation in the world to recognize and establish full diplomatic relations with Israel; and

**Whereas**, The desire of the Jewish people to reestablish an independent State of Israel is the outgrowth of the existence of the historic Kingdom of Israel established three thousand years ago with the city of Jerusalem as its capital and in the land of Israel; and

**Whereas**, In May, 1948, the young State of Israel had a tiny population of 800,000 residents, today it has grown more than twelve times larger, representing a culturally diverse population and a unique social mosaic; Israel has developed a strong, innovative, entrepreneurial economy, it is at the forefront of scientific research and development, has vibrant academic institutions and stands at the forefront of the global arena; and

**Whereas**, The United States, Israel's strongest ally, has played a critical role in the development of the modern State of Israel and has been committed to helping the people of Israel secure their own peace; and



**Whereas,** The people of Massachusetts have shared an affinity with the people of Israel and our partnership is steadfast; the bonds of friendship and cooperation which have existed between Israel and Massachusetts for the past seventy-six years have enriched the cultural diversity of our state's tapestry and they are eternal,

**Now,** Therefore, I, Maura T. Healey, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 to be,

**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** You're Invited: An Evening Conversation with a Holocaust Survivor  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 8, 2025 3:07:54 PM

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Dear Mr. Ramapriya,

You are cordially invited to attend an evening conversation in honor of Holocaust Remembrance Day. Please see the invitation below for additional details.



Zikaron BaSalon - It all started with a need. From a group of young people who felt they needed to connect with the meaning behind Holocaust Remembrance Day (Yom HaShoah) on a more personal level. Zikaron BaSalon has become a new tradition, with millions of hosts, participants and speakers taking part in events around the year, all over the world, eager to hear personal stories from those who were there and tell them forward.

We appreciate the great help of The American Association of Jewish Holocaust Survivors and Descendants of Greater Boston (AAJHS), and their director **Janet Stein-Calm**, in organizing this meaningful program.

**[Click Here to RSVP](#)**

Please contact **Roy Jaffe** at [culture@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:culture@boston.mfa.gov.il) with any questions or concerns.

**From:** [Adriana Sisley](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Sam Moed](#); [Nitsan Toussia Cohen](#)  
**Subject:** Thank You & Next Steps -- 8400 HELIX in Boston Week of May 4th  
**Date:** Monday, March 31, 2025 11:30:36 PM  
**Attachments:** [8400 The Health Network Overview - Shared - CONFIDENTIAL MARCH 2025.pptx.pdf](#)

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Dear Javeen,

It was a pleasure meeting you last week -- we were excited to be able to share a bit more about the past / present / future of 8400 and especially HELIX. As discussed, we see ample opportunity for collaboration and look forward to identifying longer term ways to work together.

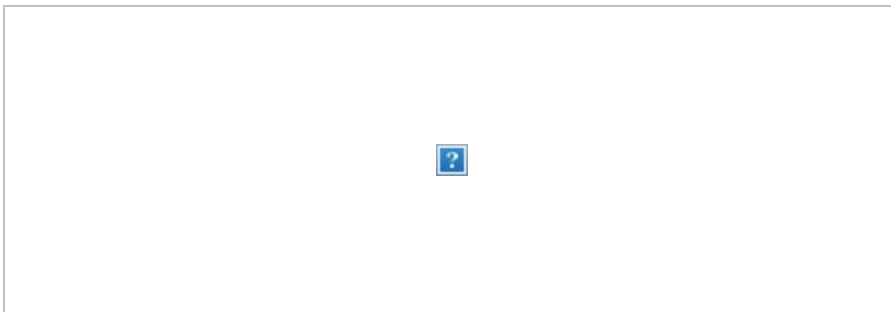
A few specific follow ups:

1. Attached you can find a detailed deck on 8400 (not publically shared) -- feel free to ask any questions!
2. Inviting Secretary Yvonne Hao --
  1. It would be a privilege for this distinguished group to hear Secretary Hao's insights on the ecosystem and its future. To allow for a more meaningful discussion, I believe the official opening on the morning of May 5th would be an ideal platform for her to engage with senior stakeholders. However happy to discuss if you believe the larger event on May 6th is a better fit!
3. Please make sure to register for our event on May 6th [here](#) which will convene Helix leaders and senior stakeholders from the Boston ecosystem.

I know scheduling is tight -- so please let me know and happy to hop on a short call as needed. Thanks + looking forward!

Best,  
Adriana

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**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Kirk Taylor - MSLC  
**Date:** Monday, March 31, 2025 2:10:01 PM

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Thank you!

On Mar 31, 2025, at 1:29 PM, Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)  
<Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> wrote:

Hi Consul General --- see here:

Kirk Taylor <KTaylor@masslifesciences.com>

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>

**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2025 12:23 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>

**Cc:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>

**Subject:** Kirk Taylor - MSLC

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Dear Jeevan

Hope you had a nice weekend.

Looking at Dr. Zimlichman's visit next week and the event I'll host at the evening of April 7<sup>th</sup> - We thought it will be appropriate and suitable to invite to the event also Kirk Taylor – MSLC. Do you happen to have his e-mail so my office can send him an invite? Or any other way of passing an invitation to him?

Thanks

Benny

**From:** [Irit Yakhnes Dcm - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Biography?  
**Date:** Friday, March 28, 2025 12:45:06 PM  
**Attachments:** [Deputy Consul General Irit Yakhnes.pdf](#)

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Hi Jeevan,  
Sorry for the late reply, I was out of office on vacation.  
Please see attached.  
Look forward to seeing you April 8<sup>th</sup>.  
Thank you,  
Irit

*Irit Yakhnes*

*Deputy Consul General  
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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2025 10:53 AM  
**To:** Irit Yakhnes Dcm - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <dcm@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** Biography?

Hi Irit --- do you have a bio you can share that I can include for the Governor's briefing for the meeting with Sheba ARC on April 8<sup>th</sup>? Thanks.

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**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** Invitation to a Fireside Chat with Dr. Eyal Zimlichman on Monday, April 7th  
**Date:** Thursday, March 27, 2025 3:13:21 PM  
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Consulate General of Israel  
to New England

הקונסוליה הכללית של ישראל לניו אינגלנד

Dear Mr. Ramapriya,

**Consul General Benjamin Sharoni**

cordially invites you to

**A Fireside Chat with Dr. Eyal Zimlichman**

*Chief Innovation, Transformation and AI Officer at Sheba Medical Center*

*Founder and Director of ARC Global Platform*

**In partnership with:**

*The New England Israel Business Council (NEIBC)*

*ARC – The Global Innovation Platform, launched by Sheba Medical Center*

**Date: Monday, April 7, 2025**

**Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM**

**Location: Brookline, MA**

*(Address to be provided upon RSVP)*

At this exclusive event, Dr. Eyal Zimlichman will share insights into the future of health, innovation, healthcare transformation, and the mission driving ARC's global impact.

As ARC explores New England as a strategic soft-landing pad for its global startups, this gathering offers a timely opportunity to build connections that strengthen the region's already-thriving health innovation ecosystem — driving impact locally and improving lives globally.

Please [RSVP](#) by **April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

***This invitation is personal, admits one, and is non-transferable.***

***RSVP is required for entry to this program.***

If you have any questions, please email [Cg-assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il).

We look forward to your presence at this exciting and inspiring event!



**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Opportunity to Connect with the 8400 Network and HELIX US-IL Task Force  
**Date:** Monday, March 24, 2025 9:39:41 PM

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Thank you for the availability as well as your flexibility. Much appreciated. Let's plan on 11:00am at the Consulate on Thursday 3/27

Thank you!

On Mar 24, 2025, at 9:21 PM, Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)  
<Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> wrote:

I'm happy to meet at your offices at 11am on Thursday March 27

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2025 6:32:09 PM  
**To:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Cc:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** Re: Opportunity to Connect with the 8400 Network and HELIX US-IL Task Force

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2025 6:20:28 PM  
**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Cc:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** Re: Opportunity to Connect with the 8400 Network and HELIX US-IL Task Force

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Thanks. That's great.

We will be finishing a meeting at Back Bay at 11:00. I think we can either meet there at 11:00 or alternatively leaving there at 11:00 and going directly to your office - which I will assume bring us to you at 11:15.

Might either one of this two works for you

And thanks again

Benny

On Mar 24, 2025, at 3:14 PM, Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)  
<Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> wrote:

Dear Consul General --- it was nice catching up with you today and thanks for the reminder for the opportunity to meet with the 8400 Network.

I am available on Thursday, March 27 at the following:

10:00am

10:30am, or

11:00am

Let me know if any of those can work!

Best,

+Jeevan+

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston

<Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>

**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2025 1:08 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>

**Cc:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Irit Yakhnes Dcm - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <dcm@boston.mfa.gov.il>

**Subject:** Opportunity to Connect with the 8400 Network and HELIX US-IL Task Force

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Dear Jeevan,

I hope you're doing well.

Thank you for your great efforts regarding the ARC. I had a conversation this morning with Dr. Yonatan Keschner, and I believe we're all aligned and moving in the right direction. The upcoming meeting with the Governor is crucial in this regard, and I truly appreciate your dedication and hard work in making it happen.

On a separate note, I'd like to introduce you to the 8400 Network.

The 8400 Network comprises leaders from the HealthTech ecosystem across the business sector, academia, healthcare organizations, and government. These individuals have graduated from the 8400 Leadership Program with the aim of powering the HealthTech growth engine and accelerating global healthcare solutions.

One of the flagship programs of 8400, Helix, is a US-Israel Task Force composed of 45 top HealthTech leaders from both countries. Helix is focused on strengthening the US-Israel bridge by creating initiatives and collaborations that leverage the unique strengths of both nations, aiming to drive innovation and unlock mutual opportunities.

Given Massachusetts' central role in the HealthTech ecosystem, I believe it would be worthwhile to present the network, its mission, and its operations to you, including in Boston. I'm in close contact with them as they're organizing a major event in Boston this May. To prepare for this, two senior leaders from 8400, including their VP of Global Network, will

be in town next week.

In this regard, I wanted to check your availability to meet with them and me next week, preferably on Wednesday, 3/27. I am flexible with time and location.

I've attached two one-pagers – one about the 8400 Network and the other about Helix – the US-Israel Task Force.

I would greatly appreciate hearing your thoughts.

Best regards,

Benny

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The US-IL Task Force



HealthTech Excellence  
Leveraging Israeli Innovation

Turbocharge Israel's HealthTech innovation ecosystem, unlocking global impact potential

## From unique value propositions to pragmatic outcomes

The **8400 US-IL Task Force**, composed of 45 US and Israeli top HealthTech leaders, will strengthen and shape the US-IL bridge, by creating initiatives and collaborations that leverage the unique value propositions of Israel and the US, to increase innovation flow and realize mutual opportunities.

## How will the US-IL Task Force create impact?

Concrete initiatives will be developed and applied to actual HealthTech innovation opportunities in Israel in two main strategic areas:

Venture Formation  
& Maturation

Bi-lateral structures that systemically realize the global value of Israeli breakthrough research and technology

Commercialization  
Excellence

Bi-lateral mechanisms that accelerate and scale the commercial value of promising Israeli companies

## The Journey



### INNOVATION TEAMS

Facilitated co-creation sessions with senior US and Israeli stakeholders



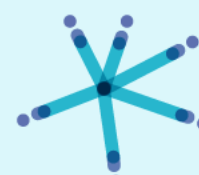
### IMMERSIVE VISITS

Deep dive into cutting-edge innovation across science, industry, funding & healthcare



### KEY OPINION LEADERS EXCHANGE

Meeting influential figures in health and technology



### BESPOKE NETWORKING

Individual meetings with Israeli & US HealthTech ecosystem leaders

**ISRAEL**  
5 Deep Dive Days  
& Gala Network event

**ONLINE**  
3 Sessions

**BOSTON**  
5 Deep Dive Days  
& Gala Network event

**US-IL BRIDGE IN PRACTICE**  
Outcomes Implementation

February 2-6, 2025

March & April, 2025

Israel Based Leaders:  
**May 4-8, 2025**  
US Based Leaders:  
**May 6-7, 2025**

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## THE 8400 US-IL TASK FORCE: CONDENSED, EXCLUSIVE AND PRACTICAL

## The Task Force members

**Senior US and Israeli HealthTech trailblazers**, who drive systemic impact and share the vision that Israel can become a HealthTech Nation.

For further information please contact us at [TaskForce@8400thn.org](mailto:TaskForce@8400thn.org)

## About 8400

**8400 The Health Network** is a national HealthTech & Life Science ecosystem accelerator. We have pioneered a powerful network of top leaders across all HealthTech functions - researchers, physicians, industry executives, investors and public sector leaders. Network members are spearheading 20+ **impact programs** through the 8400 incubator, on a mission to power Israel's HealthTech growth engine and accelerate cure globally.





# Powering Israel's ecosystem connectivity, fueling the global HealthTech revolution

## Our Story

**The premise** on which 8400 was founded in 2017 is that Israel can become a game-changing player in the global HealthTech revolution, if it effectively leverages its unique value pools:

Innovation | Multidisciplinary Talent | Data Infrastructure | BioConvergence | a well-orchestrated Healthcare System

**Our mission** is to help Israel leverage its unique value pools by creating the essential ecosystem connectivity, common language and operating infrastructure between the private & public sectors, and cultivating a shared vision of Israel as a HealthTech nation.

## The 8400 Ecosystem Growth Model®

*it's all about the people*  
is the philosophy that guides us

The 8400 Network comprises HealthTech ecosystem leaders from the business sector, Academia, Healthcare organizations and Government, who graduated from the 8400 Leadership Program.

### 8400 Network Members

Today, Network members are spearheading 25+ impact programs through the 8400 incubator.

## Growth Programs Incubator

Our 25+ successful growth programs have engaged 2,500 ecosystem innovators on a mission to power the country's HealthTech growth engine and accelerate cure globally:



## Helix - the US-IL Task Force

The mission of our current flagship program, Helix - the US-IL Task Force, is to turbocharge the complementary assets of Israel and the Global ecosystem and systematically scale their impact on global HealthTech innovation.

## Funding Partners

8400's impact is created with an annual budget of \$4.7M, supported by multi-year donations from over 30 funding partners - philanthropists, foundations and corporates, as well as a strategic partnership with Startup Nation Central and a collaboration with 11 ministries, as part of a joint venture led by Joint Tevet, with the Israel Innovation Authority, the Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Economy and Industry.



### Executive Team & Board of Directors

**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** Invitation to a fireside chat event with Dr. Zimlichman - 4/7 at 6:00pm - Residence of the Consul General of Israel  
**Date:** Monday, March 24, 2025 2:38:56 PM

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Dear Jeevan

Pleasure meeting, as always.

I wanted to take this opportunity and to Invite you and Secretary Hao for a fireside chat, with Dr. Zimlichamn, to take place [REDACTED], on April 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00PM.

The idea is for Dr. Zimlichman to present ARC, its vision as well as the potential for their presence here in Massachusetts.

It will be an intimate group of 15 participants or so – all senior officials – mainly from the business world here in Boston.

Before the invitation goes out, I wanted to reach out personally to see if you and Secretary Hao be interested and available to join us

Available for any questions

Benny

**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** You're Invited: An Evening Conversation with a Holocaust Survivor  
**Date:** Friday, March 21, 2025 11:57:18 AM

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Dear Mr. Ramapriya,

You are cordially invited to attend an evening conversation in honor of Holocaust Remembrance Day. Please see the invitation below for additional details.



Zikaron BaSalon - It all started with a need. From a group of young people who felt they needed to connect with the meaning behind Holocaust Remembrance Day (Yom HaShoah) on a more personal level. Zikaron BaSalon has become a new tradition, with millions of hosts, participants and speakers taking part in events around the year, all over the world, eager to hear personal stories from those who were there and tell them forward.

We appreciate the great help of The American Association of Jewish Holocaust Survivors and Descendants of Greater Boston (AAJHS), and their director **Janet Stein-Calm**, in organizing this meaningful program.

**[Click Here to RSVP](#)**

Please contact **Roy Jaffe** at [culture@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:culture@boston.mfa.gov.il) with any questions or concerns.





**From:** [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni  
**Date:** Friday, March 21, 2025 8:40:18 AM  
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Mr. Ramapriya,

Good morning. I am writing to confirm your lunch meeting with Consul General Sharoni on Monday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM. Does Maggiano's work as the lunch location?

Thank you,

## Brooke Perlman

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**From:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 4, 2025 9:03 AM  
**To:** 'Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)' <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

Wonderful. Monday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM is confirmed. Do you have any preference regarding the lunch location in downtown Boston?

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 4, 2025 7:58 AM  
**To:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il)>  
**Subject:** RE: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

Hi Brooke --- thanks for the follow up.

Monday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 1pm works best for me.

Thank you!

+Jeevan+

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**From:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il)>  
**Sent:** Monday, March 3, 2025 9:32 AM  
**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

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Mr. Ramapriya,

Good morning. I wanted to follow up with a few additional times that would work for the lunch meeting with Consul General Sharoni. Please let me know if any of the times below would work.

*Tuesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> at 12 PM*

Monday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM

Tuesday, April 1<sup>st</sup> at 12 PM

Thank you,

## Brooke Perlman

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**From:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston

**Sent:** Thursday, February 20, 2025 9:50 AM

**To:** 'Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)' <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

Mr. Ramapriya,

Good morning. Unfortunately the first week in March does not work, however both March 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> at 12 PM are available. Would either of those times work for the lunch meeting?

Best,

## Brooke Perlman

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 19, 2025 8:16 PM

**To:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il)>

**Subject:** Re: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

Hi Brooke --- sorry for the delay. Next week is tough for me, can we look at the first week in March?

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**From:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il)>

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 19, 2025 2:01:22 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

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Mr. Ramapriya,

Good afternoon. Consul General Sharoni would like to invite you for a lunch meeting on Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 12:45 PM. Please let me know if this time would work and if there is a specific location that would be preferred for the lunch meeting.

Best,

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**From:** Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 18, 2025 12:49 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** Invitation for a Lunch Meeting with Consul General Sharoni

Mr. Ramapriya,

Good afternoon. Consul General Sharoni would like to invite you for a lunch meeting on Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 12:45 PM. Please let me know if this time would work and if there is a specific location that would be preferred for the lunch meeting.

Best,

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**From:** [Hitt, Ellie \(GOV\)](#)  
**To:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Keschner, Yonatan G.,MD](#); [Ogilvie, Alanna \(GOV\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il); [Sharoni Benjamin](#); [El-Jazzar, Angela \(EOED\)](#); [Jeanne LeClair](#); [Einat.Rubinstein@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:Einat.Rubinstein@sheba.health.gov.il); [Avner.Halperin@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:Avner.Halperin@sheba.health.gov.il); [Orli Biger](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Connecting: Governor's Scheduling Office x Sheba ARC  
**Date:** Wednesday, March 19, 2025 11:23:39 AM

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Thank you, Consul General.

Be well,  
Ellie

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
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Ellie – thanks

To add one more on my side to the meeting – Ms. Irit Yakhnes, Deputy Consul General

RE: Security – will follow up in a separate e-mail

Thanks again

Benny

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Many thanks for that quick response. On our end, I know that the Governor will be joined by Jeanne LeClair and Jeevan Ramapriya and we will be in touch if there are any additional attendees.

Best,  
Ellie

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Hi Ellie,

Thank you for your email. Currently, the confirmed attendees (excluding MA government/MLSC officials) are:

Dr. Eyal Zimlichman

Consul General Benjamin Sharoni

Dr. Yonatan Keschner

There may be one additional attendee—I will get back to you as soon as I have confirmation.

Yonatan



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Yonatan G. Keschner, MD, MHCM  
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Hi all,

We look forward to welcoming you to the State House on April 8.

Can you please send a full list of attendees? I wanted to flag that the Ceremonial Office does have more limited capacity so we want to ensure we have seating for all participants.

Can you also confirm if anyone in this group travels with security (armed or otherwise)? We have limited parking onsite but can also offer parking vouchers to 100 Cambridge if we can receive the number of parking spaces needed.

Many thanks in advance and I would be happy to answer any further questions that you may have.

Best,  
Ellie

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Fantastic! Adding in our wonderful Director of Operations, Ellie Hitt to this chain. We look forward to hosting folks April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you so much,  
Alanna

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Thank you, Alanna! (and apologies for the autocorrect that misspelled your name my previous email - just caught that!)

Best,  
Yonatan

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Yonatan G. Keschner, MD, MHCM

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Thanks, Alanna  
Works for me

On Mar 17, 2025, at 12:41 PM, Ogilvie, Alanna (GOV) <[Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov](mailto:Alanna.Ogilvie@mass.gov)> wrote:

Thank you Consul General and Dr. Keschner ! I connected with Einat offline and **4:00PM on Tuesday April 8<sup>th</sup>** works well for Professor Zimlichman. Does this timing work well for others? We would love to host folks for a meeting at the State House.

Many thanks,  
Alanna

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Hi Orla,

Thank you for coordinating the meeting with Governor Healey. And thank you Anegla for helping with Secretary Hao and Jeanne's schedule so they may attend as well.

Please let us know the best available time for the meeting on April 8th. An earlier time would likely be preferable, given Eyal's travel schedule.

From ARC's side, please include Dr. Eyal Zimlichman, Consul General Sharoni, and myself (I currently have a flight out of the country on April 6th, but I'm working on adjusting my plans pending flight availability).

Appreciate your help!

Best,  
Yonatan

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Good morning all

Jeevan – thanks again for your kind efforts.

Alanna – pleasure to meet! Happy to work out the details towards the meeting with the Governor in April. On my side, April 8<sup>th</sup> afternoon is open.

Dr. Zimlichman, Dr. Keschner – kindly advise on your availability.

Looking forward to continue this coordination

Benny

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Thanks for the connection Jeevan!

Hello, Dr. Zimlichman, Consul General Sharoni, and Dr. Keschner! The Governor is very much looking forward to connecting this April. Happy to connect with Einat on timing for Dr. Zimlichman's availability. I will note the Governor will be traveling on Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, and so we are currently targeting a meeting late afternoon of Tuesday, April 8<sup>th</sup> if at all possible.

Please let me know if there are any other folks to collaborate with re timing.

Have a wonderful weekend,  
Alanna

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Thank you, Jeevan.

I am also cc'ing Einat, Dr. Zimlichman's EA, to help with scheduling (preference for Monday April 7th if possible).

Wishing everyone a great weekend,  
Yonatan

On Mar 14, 2025, at 16:42, Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)  
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Dear Dr. Zimlichman, Consul General Sharoni, and Dr. Keschner ---  
allow me to connect you to Alanna Ogilivie, Chief Scheduler for  
Governor Healey, to see if we can get something on the books for late  
April 7<sup>th</sup> or April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Looping in Sec. Hao's scheduler, Angela El-Jazzar, and Jeanne  
LeClair from the MLSC, as Secretary and Jeanne should also attend.

Thank you all,

+Jeevan+

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**To:** [Lauren Gleason](#)  
**Cc:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Connecting: Port of Boston x Israeli Consul General  
**Date:** Tuesday, March 18, 2025 6:30:43 PM

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Lauren

Thank you so much for reaching out and checking. Somehow, I don't see the invitation and/or link for RSVP

Could you please re-send?

Benny

On Mar 18, 2025, at 6:08 PM, Gleason, Lauren <[LGleason@massport.com](mailto:LGleason@massport.com)> wrote:

Good evening Consul General Sharoni,

Please let me know if you plan on RSVPing. We have not seen your RSVP come through yet. Thank you.

**Lauren Gleason**

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**From:** Gleason, Lauren

**Sent:** Thursday, March 13, 2025 5:45 PM



**To:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** RE: Connecting: Port of Boston x Israeli Consul General

Thank you Benny! It will be easy to remember your name – it's also the name of my husband

Please make sure to register and if you want to bring anyone else from the Consulate please let me know so we can have them RSVP right away.

Call my cell anytime with any questions you have.

Best,

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**From:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 13, 2025 3:32 PM  
**To:** Gleason, Lauren <L.Gleason@massport.com>; Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** RE: Connecting: Port of Boston x Israeli Consul General

Jeevan – thank you for this kind introduction!

Lauren – pleasure to meet, looking forward to future opportunities of working together on issues of mutual interest.

Thanks for this kind update re: ZIM CEO's visit. Sounds like a good opportunity.  
Looking forward to  
Benny

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**From:** Gleason, Lauren <[L.Gleason@massport.com](mailto:L.Gleason@massport.com)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 11, 2025 5:59 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il)>; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il)>

**Subject:** RE: Connecting: Port of Boston x Israeli Consul General

Hi Jeevan – thank you for the kind introduction.

Good evening Consul General Sharoni,

How are you? My name is Lauren Gleason. I am the Port Director for the Port of Boston. I work very closely with our international shipping lines, including ZIM Shipping Lines, headquartered in Haifa, Israel. I am honored to have a wonderful working relationship with Mr. Eli Glickman, CEO of ZIM, and his staff both in Israel and in the U.S. We will be hosting a luncheon for him on Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup> that includes invitations sent out to elected officials and business leaders here in the Commonwealth.

I personally wanted to reach out, so you knew about the event and had my contact information. I've worked with past Consul Generals in Boston, including Ambassador Reuben, Zeev Boker, and Yehuda Yaakov. I look forward to our teams building a working relationship.

We hope to see you there. Please feel free to call or email with any questions.

Best,

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 11, 2025 5:48 PM

**To:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il)>;  
Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il)>; Gleason, Lauren <[LGleason@massport.com](mailto:LGleason@massport.com)>

**Subject:** Connecting: Port of Boston x Israeli Consul General

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Hi Consul General Sharoni - allow me to connect you to Lauren Gleason, Director of the Port of Boston, which is part of Massport and oversees the shipping terminal, the cruise ship terminal, and several other terminals and properties around Boston Harbor - an \$8 billion economic engine!

Lauren is working on an event with ZIM shipping and wanted to connect with you and your team on that.

Thank you!

-Jeevan

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Jeevan Ramapriya  
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**From:** [Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** RE: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit  
**Date:** Thursday, February 20, 2025 9:31:37 AM  
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Hmmmmmm.

I haven't heard anything from anyone- no one is returning my emails or phone calls and this delegation needs to firm up their itinerary.

Thank you for all of your help, as always. If you have any other ideas or suggestions on how to proceed, I'd welcome them!

Thanks again, Jeevan!

-Erin

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 19, 2025 7:10 PM  
**To:** Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Political@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Political@boston.mfa.gov.il)>  
**Subject:** Fw: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

Hi Erin - Here's what I got from Angel:

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Jeevan Ramapriya  
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**From:** Donahue-Rodriguez, Angel <[adrodriguez@MBTA.com](mailto:adrodriguez@MBTA.com)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 19, 2025 7:07 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

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Yes, we are working on it I believe.

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 18, 2025 8:58 AM

**To:** Donahue-Rodriguez, Angel <[adrodriquez@MBTA.com](mailto:adrodriquez@MBTA.com)>

**Subject:** FW: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

Yo Angel --- can you assist with this? Thanks!

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**From:** Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Political@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Political@boston.mfa.gov.il)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 18, 2025 8:52 AM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

**Subject:** FW: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

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Hi Jeevan-

Hope you're well!

I'm following up with you on this (sorry to bother you!) :

If you recall, when we met with the Governor a few months ago, this Israeli public transit delegation was mentioned and you were kind enough to put me in touch with Angel. Angel put us in touch with Superintendent Sullivan of the emergency training facility, who suggested we contact Mr. Eng. We haven't heard back from Mr. Eng, and the group is planning to come the first week in March.

Could you please offer some guidance, if you have any suggestions on how I should proceed?

Below is the email chain with the email to Mr. Eng, and following up with Angel, when I did not hear back from Mr. Eng.

Thank you,  
Erin

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**From:** Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston**Sent:** Tuesday, February 11, 2025 1:34 PM**To:** 'Donahue-Rodriguez, Angel (MBTA)' <[adrodriguez@MBTA.com](mailto:adrodriguez@MBTA.com)>**Subject:** FW: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

Dear Mr. Donahue-Rodriguez-

I just wanted to keep you in the loop on this. Please see the email below.

Our Deputy Consul had a call with Superintendent Sullivan, who recommended we reach out to Mr. Eng.

We have heard back from neither Mr. Eng nor Ms. Hunter (to schedule the use of the facility) and were hoping you could please offer some guidance, as the delegation will arrive in a few weeks.

Respectfully,

Erin

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**From:** Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston

**Sent:** Monday, February 10, 2025 10:26 AM

**To:** 'peng@mbta.com' <[peng@mbta.com](mailto:peng@mbta.com)>

**Subject:** FW: MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

Hi Mr. Eng-

Resending below.

Respectfully,  
Erin

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**From:** Political - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <[Political@boston.mfa.gov.il](mailto:Political@boston.mfa.gov.il)>

**Sent:** Thursday, February 6, 2025 10:05 AM

**To:** [peng@mbta.com](mailto:peng@mbta.com)

**Subject:** MBTA Emergency Training Facility-Israeli multidisciplinary delegation visit

Dear Mr. Eng,

I hope this letter finds you well.

Upon the suggestion of Superintendent Richard Sullivan from the Transit Police, I am writing to you on behalf of an Israeli multidisciplinary delegation that is keen to learn more about the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority's emergency training facilities and best practices.

Attached, please find more information about the delegation and its goals for the visit.

Given the MBTA's reputation for rigorous safety standards and comprehensive training programs, the delegation is in the early stages of developing its own training facility and therefore is particularly interested in understanding how the current facility is managed and how your team prepares for and responds to emergencies. We believe that this visit could foster valuable exchanges of knowledge and ideas, which could benefit both our organizations.

With the kind help of Superintendent Sullivan, the delegation is requesting a tour of your emergency training facilities and a meeting with key personnel involved in safety and emergency management and the management of the facility itself.

They are planning to be in the US, touring Washington DC and NYC's transit systems, and to be in Boston on **March 5, 2025** and have coordinated with Superintendent Sullivan and Chief Green, and hope that you can help facilitate this visit by inviting more key personnel. We have reached out to Ms. Frenia Hunter on their behalf, who works on scheduling with the MBTA facility.

We are confident that this visit would contribute significantly to enhancing their emergency preparedness protocols and look forward to the opportunity to engage with your esteemed team, as we look to foster the connection with the MBTA team and a similar facility in Israel. We are happy to have a call or to coordinate a meeting with you in advance of March 5 as soon as your schedule allows.

Thank you for considering this request. We look forward to your positive response.

Sincerely,

Erin

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**From:** [Keschner, Yonatan G.,MD](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Cc:** [General Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston Consul](#); [General Assistant Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston Consul](#); [Avner Halperin](#)  
**Subject:** Re: MOITI x Israel CG x Sheba ARC  
**Date:** Wednesday, February 12, 2025 11:27:01 AM

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Thank you, Jeevan!

On Feb 12, 2025, at 10:57, Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)  
<Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov> wrote:

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Dear Consul General, we're looking forward to seeing you, Avner and Yonatan this afternoon at 3:30pm.

I've arranged a security bypass for you all – so I will meet you in the lobby and bring you upstairs.

See you this afternoon, thanks!

+Jeevan+

-----Original Appointment-----

**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>

**Sent:** Friday, January 24, 2025 11:24 PM

**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI); Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston; Sabshon, Sarah (GOV); Yonatan Keschner

**Subject:** MOITI x Israel CG x Sheba ARC

**When:** Wednesday, February 12, 2025 3:30 PM-4:15 PM (UTC-05:00) Bogota, Lima, Quito, Rio Branco.

**Where:** Executive Office of Economic Development 1 Asbhurton Place; Room 2101; Boston; MA 02108

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**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Paul Scapicchio](#)  
**Cc:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Katherine Stephens](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Israel and ClimaTech  
**Date:** Thursday, February 6, 2025 9:41:28 AM

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Paul

Good morning

Thanks again

2 quick things –

Could you kindly also send the Global B2B Expo Deck?

Logistics – is there a specific hotel/hotel arrangements for ClimaTech 25’?

Thanks

Benny

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**From:** Paul Scapicchio <ps@novus-grp.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 4, 2025 4:11 PM  
**To:** Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>  
**Cc:** Jeevan Ramapriya <jeevan.ramapriya@mass.gov>; Katherine Stephens <kat@novus-grp.com>  
**Subject:** Israel and ClimaTech

Dear Consul General Sharoni,

It was a pleasure meeting you and talking with you today. As discussed, I am attaching four (4) items:

- 1) The overview deck that we reviewed today
- 2) a Deck outlining the Global Business to Business Expo
- 3) a link to the ClimaTech website <https://climatech.live/>
- 4) a link to the [video](#) of last years event

This should give you a starting point for your conversations with the Israeli climate tech cluster. Please let me know if you need further information. I would be happy to provide more.

Sincerely,

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The Novus Group  
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(617) 224-3050



**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Tepper, Rebecca L \(EEA\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Latimer-Ireland, Hayden \(EEA\)](#); [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Latimer-Ireland, Hayden \(EEA\)](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Connecting: Israel Consul General Benny Sharoni x Secretary Rebecca Tepper (EEA)  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 4, 2025 6:19:26 PM

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Jeevan - thank you for this kind introduction.

Secretary Tepper - pleasure to (virtually) meet and look forward to an opportunity, at your convenience, to have a meeting and to discuss further deepening the great bilateral relations between MA and Israel, including on energy and environment.

+ Brooke from my team re: scheduling

Looking forward to

Benny

On Feb 4, 2025, at 5:20 PM, Tepper, Rebecca L (EEA)  
<Rebecca.L.Tepper@mass.gov> wrote:

Thanks Jeevan!

Consul General, it would be great to connect. I know all the great work happening in Israel in the climatetech space and would be excited to talk with you about the work we are doing here in Massachusetts in the energy and environmental space. I am cc'ing my assistant Hayden who can help with logistics.

Best,  
Rebecca

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 4, 2025 4:45 PM  
**To:** Tepper, Rebecca L (EEA) <Rebecca.L.Tepper@mass.gov>; cg@boston.mfa.gov.il  
**Subject:** Connecting: Israel Consul General Benny Sharoni x Secretary Rebecca Tepper (EEA)

Dear Consul General Sharoni --- allow me to connect you with [Secretary of Energy and Environmental Affairs Rebecca Tepper](#) who is helping lead Massachusetts' clean energy transition. I thought it would be good for you both to connect.

Secretary Tepper --- Consul General Sharoni arrived in Boston about 6 months ago and has hit the ground running. He and I are working on several projects together and I thought it would be good for you to meet him.

Thank you both,

+Jeevan+

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**From:** [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#)  
**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
**Subject:** Meeting with Avner Halperin 2/12, 3:30PM  
**Date:** Thursday, January 30, 2025 12:10:18 PM

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Jeevan

Thanks for the call earlier today. Looking forward to meeting you on the 12<sup>th</sup>. If secretary Hao can join, and also Sarah from the Governor's office – that would be great.

Our friend Dr. Yonatan Keschner will join us also in this meeting. I hope that's OK.

Enjoy Abu Dhabi!

Benny

**From:** [El-Jazzar, Angela \(EOED\)](#)  
**To:** [Einat.Rubinstein@sheba.health.gov.il](#); [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#); [Yonatan Keschner](#); [Benson, Hannah \(EOED\)](#)  
**Cc:** [orli.biger@arcinnovation.org](#); [jan\\_vanacker@outlook.com](#); [Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston](#); [Jeanne LeClair](#); [Kirk Taylor](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Sheba ARC Follow up: scheduling a call Sec. Hao  
**Date:** Thursday, January 16, 2025 9:03:23 AM

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Hello Einat,

February 20 at 5 PM IDT // 9 AM EST works great - would you prefer I send out the zoom invite? If so, could you provide me with the appropriate email addresses to include on the calendar invite?

Best,

**Angela El-Jazzar**  
*Executive Assistant to Secretary Hao*  
Executive Office of Economic Development (EOED)

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**From:** Einat.Rubinstein@sheba.health.gov.il <Einat.Rubinstein@sheba.health.gov.il>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 15, 2025 7:25 AM  
**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; El-Jazzar, Angela (EOED) <Angela.El-Jazzar@mass.gov>; Yonatan Keschner <YKESCHNER@BWH.HARVARD.EDU>; Benson, Hannah (EOED) <Hannah.Benson@mass.gov>  
**Cc:** orli.biger@arcinnovation.org <orli.biger@arcinnovation.org>; jan\_vanacker@outlook.com <jan\_vanacker@outlook.com>; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Jeanne LeClair <jleclair@masslifesciences.com>; Kirk Taylor <KTaylor@masslifesciences.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Sheba ARC Follow up: scheduling a call Sec. Hao

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Hello All,

February 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm IDT works for Eyal.

Thanks  
Happy New Year  
Einat

**Einat Rubinstein**  
Executive Assistant to Prof. Zimlichman



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**From:** פרופ <Eyal.Zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 14, 2025 7:20 PM  
**To:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>; El-Jazzar, Angela (EOED) <Angela.El-Jazzar@mass.gov>; Yonatan Keschner <YKESCHNER@BWH.HARVARD.EDU>; Benson, Hannah (EOED) <Hannah.Benson@mass.gov>; עינת <Einat.Rubinstein@sheba.health.gov.il>  
**Cc:** orli.biger@arcinnovation.org; jan\_vanacker@outlook.com; Consul General - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Consul General Assistant - Consulate General of ISRAEL in Boston <Cg-Assistant@boston.mfa.gov.il>; Jeanne LeClair <jleclair@masslifesciences.com>; Kirk Taylor <KTaylor@masslifesciences.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Sheba ARC Follow up: scheduling a call Sec. Hao

Thanks so much Jeevan.

Very happy to set this up. My guess is that Feb 19 or 20<sup>th</sup> would be better options but I'll let Einat respond and help set this up.

Looking forward!

Eyal

**Prof. Eyal Zimlichman, MD, MSc**

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 14, 2025 4:05 PM  
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**Subject:** Sheba ARC Follow up: scheduling a call Sec. Hao

Dear Yonatan and Dr. Zimlichman --- Allow me to connect you to Angela El-Jazzar, Executive Assistant to Secretary Yvonne Hao and Hannah Benson, Director of Operations, to schedule a call with Dr. Zimlichman for the Secretary to learn more about the Sheba ARC and its plans for expansion in Massachusetts.

Knowing that Dr. Zimlichman is based in Israel, which is +7 hours ahead, a morning call would be best. I would suggest we include MLSC CBO Jeanne LeClair (who attended the first meeting back in July) and/or CEO Dr. Kirk Taylor if schedule allows.

Here are some dates that can work for the Secretary:

Wednesday, Jan. 29<sup>th</sup> - 11am ET // 18:00 Tel Aviv

Wednesday, Feb. 19<sup>th</sup> - anytime

Thursday, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> - anytime

Thank you,

+--Jeevan--+

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**Subject:** Re: Connecting re: ClimaTech 2025  
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Perfect, thank you! I just sent a calendar invite with a Zoom link attached.

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Hi Kat,

Good afternoon. Yes, 1:30 PM works for the zoom meeting.

Best,

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**Subject:** Re: Connecting re: ClimaTech 2025

Good afternoon!

My name is Kat and I work with Paul-- 2:00 PM on the 4th unfortunately doesn't work for our schedule but we could meet at 1:30 if that works for your office. We can plan to meet over Zoom-- I will send an invite once we have a time set.

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Dear Jeevan and Paul,

Good morning. For your meeting with Consul General Sharoni, please let me know if **Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 2 PM** works as the meeting time. Also, will this meeting be on zoom or in-person?

Best,

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**Subject:** RE: Connecting re: ClimaTech 2025

Jeevan, Paul – good morning.

Would be more than happy to meet.

Brooke – could you please help us in scheduling? Perhaps on Tuesday, 2/4?

Looking forward to

Benny

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**From:** Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>

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**Cc:** Paul Scapicchio <[ps@novus-grp.com](mailto:ps@novus-grp.com)>; Kat Stephens <[kat@novus-grp.com](mailto:kat@novus-grp.com)>  
**Subject:** Connecting re: ClimaTech 2025

Dear Consul General Sharoni --- As I mentioned in our meeting with Secretary Hao, I would like to schedule a meeting with you and your team to discuss [ClimaTech 2025 \(May 12-14, 2025\)](#). You may have heard last year's inaugural event which was a tremendous success; Governor Healey, Mayor Wu, and Secretary Hao are once again committed to supporting ClimaTech 2025.

Do you have any availability in early February (week of Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> or Feb. 10<sup>th</sup>) to meet me and ClimaTech co-founder, Paul Scapicchio, to discuss opportunities for engagement with Israel and Israeli companies?

Thank you,

+Jeevan+

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**To:** [Ramapriya, Jeevan \(MOITI\)](#)  
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Jeevan

Good morning

Hope all is well

Thank you again for your hard work and efforts.

Will you be available to a quick phone call anytime today? Quick follow up on the scheduling.

Please, let me know what's working for you.

Many thanks

Benny

On Jan 7, 2025, at 2:28 PM, Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI)  
<[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)> wrote:

Thank you Yonathan and Consul General.

I've forwarded your email to Sec. Hao's scheduling team – I expect them to reach back out sometime next week with some slots in late Jan / early Feb, if not sooner.

I'll ping the Governor's scheduling office shortly about those dates and revert back with availability.

Let's connect soon,

+Jeevan+

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 7, 2025 2:06 PM  
**To:** Keschner, Yonatan G.,MD <YKESCHNER@BWH.HARVARD.EDU>; Ramapriya, Jeevan (MOITI) <Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov>  
**Cc:** Sharoni Benjamin <benny.sharoni@mfa.gov.il>  
**Subject:** RE: ARC follow up\_scheduling with Sec Hao and Gov Healey

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Dear Jeevan, Yonatan,

Joining the Happy New Year Wishes!

I'm fully in line with what Yonatan wrote.

To me, the two most important things at this stage:

1. Securing a date for an in-person meeting between the Governor and Dr. Zimlichman during the April time slot
2. Scheduling a virtual call between Secretary Hao and Dr. Zimlichman at the earliest convenience.

Jeevan – if there's anything I can do, as CG, to help make this happen - please, let me know and I'll gladly assist.

Thanks  
Benny

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**From:** Keschner, Yonatan G.,MD <[YKESCHNER@BWH.HARVARD.EDU](mailto:YKESCHNER@BWH.HARVARD.EDU)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 7, 2025 1:36 PM  
**To:** Jeevan Ramapriya <[Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov](mailto:Jeevan.Ramapriya@mass.gov)>  
**Cc:** Sharoni Benjamin <[benny.sharoni@mfa.gov.il](mailto:benny.sharoni@mfa.gov.il)>  
**Subject:** ARC follow up\_scheduling with Sec Hao and Gov Healey

Hi Jeevan,

I hope you had a nice Holiday break and Happy New Year!

G.C. Sharoni and I had a chance to debrief all of our recent conversations. I

have also circled back with Dr. Eyal Zimlichman regarding the plan for him to first meet virtually with Sec Hao to discuss ARC and the opportunity, while scheduling the in person meeting with Governor Healey in April.

Eyal has shared his visit dates: **April 3-4, 7-8th**. Please prioritize the Governor and Eyal's schedules, but as an FYI I will be flying abroad on April 6<sup>th</sup> and if I am to attend, I would only be available to attend on April 3-4th (if there is an option, I would appreciate it).

Please let me know how you would like to move forward with scheduling a time between Sec Hao and Dr. Zimlichman. Perhaps they may set up a meeting still in January or early February.

Contact information:

Eyal Zimlichman: [eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il](mailto:eyal.zimlichman@sheba.health.gov.il)

Einat Rubinstein (Eyal's executive assistant to help with scheduling):  
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Best,  
Yonatan

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Hi Jeevan-

It seems David is not copied on this

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**Cc:** Hao, Yvonne (EOED) <Yvonne.Hao@mass.gov>  
**Subject:** Connecting: David Friedman (Boston Red Sox) x Israel Consul General Benny Sharoni

Dear David --- allow me to formally connect you with the new [Consul General of Israel to New England Benny Sharoni](#), with whom Secretary Hao recently suggested you both connect. I believe you both may have briefly met already. Consul General Sharoni has been very active in promoting the economic ties between Massachusetts and Israel.

Dear Consul General --- [David Friedman](#) is a long time friend, community leader, and corporate executive. He travels frequently to Israel and will be a valuable resource for you and the Consulate.

Many thanks,

+Jeevan+

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Thank so much, Jeevan- You are the best!

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**Subject:** RE: following up

Hi Erin! Thanks for your note.

1. People to meet --- all those names seem correct. I'll make a connection with David Friedman shortly; let me ask the Secretary to see how she wants to follow up on the others.
2. I've pinged her about the FCAS position – I'll revert when I hear back.

Talk soon!

+Jeevan+

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**Subject:** following up

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Dear Jeevan-

Happy new year- I hope you're well!

I was reviewing the notes from your visit to the Consulate with Secretary Hao and wanted to follow-up.

She mentioned names of people Benny should consider meeting with ( I wrote these down quickly, so please excuse any errors!). If these names are correct, do you have their contact information, and would you please share it? Was there anyone I missed?

Josh Bekenstein  
Andrew Balsen  
Jonathan Kraft  
Michael Eisensen  
Dave Friedman  
Adam Grossman

She also mentioned that Bob Kraft is looking for a new CEO for FCAS- I tried to find that job posting, but was unable- do you know where I could find it if the position is still open?

Thank you,  
Erin

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