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THE ISRAEL PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA
Founded by BRONISLAW HUBERMAN מיסודו של ברוניסלב הוברמן

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Maestro Arthur Rubinstein,
22 Square du Boise de Boulogne,
Paris XVIe.

Dear Maestro,

The time of our visit to England is growing shorter, and I and my colleagues are all looking forward with the greatest of anticipation to the pleasure of making music with you again. I do hope that Nela will join you so that we can enjoy a pleasant evening together after the concert as well.

I just returned from a few weeks sick leave to regain some strength after a very hard season, and was very happy to find the Bronze Bust of Wolf Ritz already in the country. We have now ordered the pedestal and will place it in the Concert Hall as we promised. We plan to have the official unveiling of the Bust during your coming visit in September for the celebration of the Rubinstein Festival in this 20th year since the founding of the State of Israel. The celebrations for the State Anniversary which have just begun, will long be remembered by the people of Israel and by Jewry throughout the world. We thought of you often during the festivities and how wonderful it would have been to have you with us at this time.

With love to you, Nela and the children,

Yours sincerely,

Henry

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