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Maestro Arthur Rubinstein
22 Square de l'Avenue Foch
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Dear Maestro:

I recently spoke with Zubin Mehta on the telephone, when he was in Los Angeles, and he told me of your marvellous concert in Los Angeles. He also told us how happy he was to have had the opportunity and the pleasure of having you as his guest at home. I only envy that I was not there as well.

These news, together with what Michael Rainer wrote of your great activities in England, Holland, Paris and Switzerland, makes us all feel so good to know of your continued activity and good health. We here look forward with great anticipation to your coming visit in April and to our recording together, with Zubin conducting.

Michael also told us of your decision to inform the Decca Record Company that all possible income from the recording which we are to make, be for the benefit of the Orchestra. My colleagues and I are most grateful for your generosity and wish to thank you in the name of all our members, first of all for giving us the privilege of appearing with you on one label in what for us will be a historic recording and also, for the financial benefit which we will have therefrom. We are considering plans for the widest distribution of this recording as a badge of our accomplishments and await impatiently for its issue.

We all look forward to greeting you and Mrs. Rubinstein here, in Israel, in the early part of next spring and, until then, with very kind greetings and love to you both, we remain,

Sincerely yours,

Abe Cohen
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