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Bush: U.S. Trying To Get Israel, Arabs To Negotiate Mideast Peace

Peres Response To Shultz Is 'Model Of Compromise'

JERUSALEM (WNS) — Premier Shimon Peres sent a letter to Secretary of State George Shultz containing Israel official response to Shultz's letter a week earlier on the prospects of peace talks between Israel and a joint Jordanian-Palestinian delegation. The meticulously drafted letter is the product of close consultation between Peres and Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir, the leader of Likud, and is therefore a document of the unity government of Labor and Likud. Sources close to Peres said that the let-

ter is a "model of compromise," a "national unity paper" and "does not close any doors." Although signed by Peres, it conveys greetings from Shamir who is presently in London. Peres and his aides also worked closely with Moshe Arens, a Likud Minister-Without-Portfolio who is acting Foreign Minister in the absence of Shamir. In the letter Peres avoided any explicit rejection of members of the Palestine National Council (PNC) as possible participants in a joint Jordanian-Palestinian negotiating

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NEW YORK (WNS) — Vice President George Bush said that the United States is trying to find an "international context" in which Israel and its Arab neighbors can enter into negotiations for a Middle East peace settlement.

"We believe that negotiations must be between the parties themselves," Bush told an academic convocation of the Bar Ilan University here. "But we recognize the value of proceedings to direct negotiations within a supportive international context, and we'll work with Israel to find one we, Israel and Jordan can support."

King Hussein of Jordan, during his meetings in Washington two weeks ago with President Reagan and senior Administration officials, made it clear that he needs the "umbrella" of an international conference to enter into talks with Israel in the form of a joint Palestinian-Jordanian delegation. Bush said the U.S. has "real problems" with the concept of an international conference.

Bush's speech to several hundred persons at the Park East Synagogue, where he was presented by the University with an honorary Doctor of Laws degree, touched on many aspects of U.S.-Israel relations including the recently concluded Free Trade Agreement and the United States' commitment to leave the United Nations should Israel have its credentials rejected.

"Let me repeat one last pledge," Bush declared, "About the most prominent international conference, the United Nations itself.

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The Hebrew Academy Puts Accent On Positive Programs



Lisa Nowitz, Karen Edell and Johanna Kales learn to use computers at the Hebrew Academy. Photos by Ken Jones. Courtesy of the Las Vegas Sun.

By Robert Shemelgian
SUN Staff Writer

(Reprinted Courtesy of the Las Vegas Sun)

If you think that kindergarteners still take afternoon naps after milk and cookies, then visit the Hebrew Academy and get an education.

Kindergarten students there put in a seven-hour day filled with eight 45-minute classes, including two languages, computer studies, math and science, and 45-minute break for lunch.

Older students, from grades five to nine, take nine classes a day -- 10 if they choose Latin -- and then face two or three hours of homework. First- and second-graders have it comparably easy. They do only one hour of homework a night.

"The students hate to miss a day of school. There is so much going on," says Dr. Tamar

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JNF Float In Salute To Israel Parade



NEW YORK -- Children from Rodeph Sholom Day School rode the float sponsored by the Jewish National Fund of America in the annual Salute to Israel Parade. The float highlighted the theme "Your Children Are Your Builders" and focused on JNF's work in bringing life to the land of Israel.

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