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This plan, which only serves Soviet imperialism, is directed against the Jewish people.

LOUIS D. BRANDEIS-ZIONIST DISTRICT

# ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

JACQUES TORCZYNER, President

1529 16th St., N.W.

Washington, D.C.

20036

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By making this clear to all the parties concerned, the United States will advance the cause of peace.

To: LOUIS D. BRANDEIS-ZIONIST DISTRICT  
1529 16th St., N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20036

I endorse your statement. I would like to help sponsor other advertisements containing this message.

Enclosed is my contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA



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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 2-26-69

Attached refers to Departmental request for Registration Act investigation of Zionist Organization of America

~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ Departmental predication is advertisement appearing in 2-16-69 edition of Washington Post. Advertisement condemns Soviet Peace Plan for the Middle East and ends with a request for money.

Field being instructed to institute investigation requested by Department.

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*W.C. Moore*  
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SAC, WFO (2-129)

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ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
REGISTRATION ACT - ISRAEL

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Enclosed for each recipient is a copy of a letter from the Department dated 2/25/69 with enclosure. WFO is instructed to conduct the investigation requested by the Department as referred to in the attachments and furnish results in report form. New York and Milwaukee are instructed to review your files to make certain that all pertinent information in your possession concerning captioned organization is in possession of WFO.

Bufiles contain no additional pertinent information regarding captioned organization or [redacted]

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[redacted] should be informed this investigation is being conducted at the request of Assistant Attorney General J. Walter Yeagley. In the event WFO should desire to interview other persons connected with ZOA, appropriate background data should be furnished concerning such persons to the Bureau and Bureau approval requested for such additional interviews.

Enclosures - 2)

- 2 - New York (2-385) (Enclosures - 2)
- 2 - Milwaukee (97-73) (Enclosures - 2)

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NOTE: Department has requested RA investigation based on ZOA's advertisement in 2/16/69 issue of "Washington Post" newspaper which condemned Soviet peace plan for Middle East and asked for donations to explain Israel's position through additional advertisements. Department advised it had no objection to our interviewing [redacted]

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We previously conducted RA investigations on ZOA in 1948 and 1953, however, the Department did not request ZOA to register.

- Johnson
- Loach
- Mohr
- Nease
- Parsons
- Rosen
- Sullivan
- Tavel
- Trotter
- Tele. Room
- Holmes
- Gandy

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: April 17, 1969

FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (97-73) (RUC)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
REGISTRATION ACT - ISREAL

ReBulet to WFO 3/4/69.

Review of Milwaukee file in this matter reflects that all pertinent information therein is in possession of WFO concerning 1948 investigative inquiries bearing dual character of Neutrality Act; Registration Act.

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- 2 - Bureau
  - 1 - New York (2-385)
  - 2 - WFO (2-129)
  - 1 - Milwaukee
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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 4/30/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (2-129) (P)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA  
(ZOA)  
RA-ISRAEL  
(OO:WFO)

ReBulet 3/4/69.

On 3/12/69, a representative of the [redacted] Washington, D.C., advised IC [redacted] and on 3/11/69, a representative of the [redacted] Washington, D.C., advised SE [redacted] their files contained no record for [redacted]

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On 3/14/69 [redacted] U.S. Department of Justice, Registration Section, advised SA [redacted] their files contained no record for the ZOA [redacted]

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WFO is presently conducting [redacted] survey of the [redacted]

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WFO indices contain no pertinent information on the ZOA [redacted] not already in the possession of the Bureau.

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It is noted that WFO files reflect the ZOA is a long established Jewish-American organization [redacted]

WFO files also reflect the ZOA has in the past solicited funds for non-military relief aid to Israel and, as in this case, for advertisement. Neither of these aforementioned types of solicitations has obligated the ZOA or its officials to register with the U.S. Department of Justice, Registration Section.

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WFO will report the results of the above-mentioned [redacted] with recommendation re an interview of [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 6/26/69

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FROM : SAC, WFO (2-129) (P)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
RA - ISRAEL  
(OO:WFO)

ReWFOlet dated 4/30/69.

WFO will report the results of ~~survey being~~  
~~conducted of captioned organization and~~  
~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ when this survey is made available.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 8/29/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (2-129)(P)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION  
OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
RA - ISRAEL  
(OO:WFO)

ReBulet, 3/4/69.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

WFO has developed no pertinent information on  
the ZOA through WFO indices

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As reflected in WFO and Bureau files, the ZOA has  
in the past solicited funds for non-military relief aid to  
Israel, and, as in this case, for advertisement. Neither of  
these aforementioned types of solicitations has obligated the  
ZOA or its officials to register with the U.S. Department  
of Justice Registration Section.

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ReBulet instructed NY and Milwaukee to review files to ascertain WFO in full possession of information on ZOA.

LEADS:

NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will expedite review of ZOA file in accord with referenced Bulet.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D.C. Will submit final recommendation in instant matter upon receipt of investigation outstanding at NY, NY.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 8/27/69

FROM : *J.F.M.* SAC, NEW YORK (2-385) (RUC)

*O-1 WFO 10/29/69  
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Cw: [unclear] 10/11/69  
[unclear]*

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
RA - ISRAEL  
(OO: WFO)

ReBulet to WFO, dated 3/4/69.

All pertinent identifiable information in relation to the ZOA is in the possession of the Washington Field Division. The NY files contain no additional pertinent identifiable information regarding [REDACTED] *NY*

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- 2 - Bureau (RM)
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- 1 - New York

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 10/31/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (2-129) (P)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
RA - ISRAEL  
(OO:WFO)

Referenced WFO let, 8/29/69, and NY let, 8/27/69.

As indicated in referenced WFO let, the ZOA has in the past solicited funds for non-military relief aid to Israel and, as in this case, for advertisement. Neither of these aforementioned types of solicitations has obligated the ZOA or its officials to register with the U.S. Department of Justice Registration Section.

WFO has developed no pertinent information on [redacted] the ZOA through WFO indices [redacted]

[redacted] New York investigation in this matter is also negative.

Because of the above, Bureau authority is requested to [redacted] as WFO believes this is the only investigative technique available from which positive information may be developed on this matter.

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ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
REGISTRATION ACT - ISRAEL

Reurlet 10/31/69.

You are authorized to interview [redacted]

[redacted] should be advised that this investigation is being conducted at the request of the Assistant Attorney General J. Walter Yeagley. Promptly conduct this interview and submit the results in form suitable for dissemination.

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NOTE:

Department has requested Registration Act investigation of captioned organization predicated on advertisement appearing in Washington, D. C., press which condemned the Soviet Peace Plan for the Middle East and ended with an appeal for funds. Department advised that there was no objection to our interviewing [redacted] connected with organization.

[redacted] is best avenue to resolve any Registration Act obligation incurred by organization. We conducted prior Registration Act investigation in 1949 and 1954; on both occasions activities of organization were not of such a nature as to require registration. Bufiles contain no derogatory information on [redacted]

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TO : MR. W. C. SULLIVAN *WCS*

DATE: 11/20/69

FROM : D. J. BRENNAN, JR. *DJB*

SUBJECT: FORGED PLEDGE OF FUNDS TO THE  
ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA  
BY DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER

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*DJB*  
*WCS*  
*DJB*  
*D.J. Brennan*

There is attached a copy of a news article appearing in "The Washington Post," November 20, 1969, revealing a number of newspapers and magazines have received Photostatic copies of what is alleged to be a pledge of \$20,000 by Henry A. Kissinger, Assistant to the President for National Security, to the Zionist Organization of America (ZOA). Both Kissinger and Jacob Rubin, director of ZOA, have branded this a forgery and have denied that Kissinger has made any pledge to ZOA. According to the news article, Kissinger had asked the Justice Department to investigate the matter.

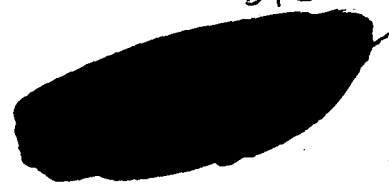
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To date the Bureau has received no request from the Justice Department or Dr. Kissinger's office to conduct a laboratory examination or other investigation in regard to this forgery, and no investigation is being conducted by the Bureau.

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ACTION:

Enclosure For the Director's information.



Enclosure

- 1-Miss Holmes
- 1-Mr. DeLoach
- 1-Mr. Sullivan
- 1-Mr. R. D. Cotter
- 1-Liaison

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# Zionist 'Pledge' Is Forgery, Kissinger Says

A number of newspapers and magazines recently have received a photostatic copy of a pledge allegedly signed by Henry A. Kissinger, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, bequeathing \$20,000 to the Zionist Organization of America.

Yesterday Kissinger and an officer of ZOA branded the document a forgery. Kissinger said he had asked the Justice Department to investigate it.

Jacob Rubin, director of the ZOA Foundation Fund, said in a telephone interview that "Unfortunately we don't have such a pledge from any Henry A. Kissinger, the White House Kissinger or any other."

ZOA has circulated many pledge forms and one could easily fall into the wrong hands, Rubin said. The signature on the form appears to be Kissinger's, and he said yesterday it was either a photographic copy of his signature

or a tracing. There is no date on the document.

The form says that the signer does "give and bequeath to the ZOA Foundation Fund, an institution of the Zionist Organization of America, a membership corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York and now having its principal place of business at 145 East 32nd St., New York, N.Y. 10016, the sum of \$20,000."

The Washington Post received a copy of the pledge

form from an anonymous letter writer who said that he and others were disturbed that a close adviser to the President should be "affiliated" with the Zionist movement.

Kissinger said photostatic copies had been sent to a number of publications. He said he had never made any contribution or signed any pledge to bequeath funds to the Zionist organization.

- The Washington Post \_\_\_\_\_
- Times Herald \_\_\_\_\_ ✓
- The Washington Daily News \_\_\_\_\_
- The Evening Star (Washington) \_\_\_\_\_
- The Sunday Star (Washington) \_\_\_\_\_
- Daily News (New York) \_\_\_\_\_
- Sunday News (New York) \_\_\_\_\_
- New York Post \_\_\_\_\_
- The New York Times \_\_\_\_\_
- World Journal Tribune (New York) \_\_\_\_\_
- The Sun (Baltimore) \_\_\_\_\_
- The Worker \_\_\_\_\_
- The New Leader \_\_\_\_\_
- The Wall Street Journal \_\_\_\_\_
- The National Observer \_\_\_\_\_
- People's World \_\_\_\_\_

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 12/4/69

*[Handwritten initials]*

FROM : SAC, WFO (2-129)(RUC)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
REGISTRATION ACT - ISRAEL  
(OO:NY)

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ReBullets 11/13/69 and 3/4/69.

Enclosed for New York is a copy of reBulet dated 11/13/69.

On 12/1/69, a representative of the ZOA, Washington, D. C., advised that JACQUES TORCZYNER, President of captioned organization is headquartered at the Offices of the ZOA, New York City.

Because of the above, New York is being designated as office of origin in this matter. New York is in receipt of all pertinent WFO information on captioned subject and organization.

New York will conduct investigation as set-out in reBullets.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 2/20/70

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (2-385) (P)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
RA - ISRAEL

Re WFO letter, 12/4/69.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and four copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above at New York. One copy is enclosed for WFO, in view of their overall interest in the ZOA and their local district activities.

No information possibly pertinent to the ZOA as furnished by asterisk sources has been included in view of the faint possibility of prosecution in this matter.

The information furnished by the [redacted] was afforded on 8/18/69 by [redacted] to SA [redacted] as set forth in WFO letter of 8/29/69.

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Numerous unsuccessful attempts to interview [redacted]

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Should [redacted] a copy of the Constitution and By-Laws of the ZOA, as well as its magazine, "American Zionist", these will be afforded to the Bureau.

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The Bureau is requested to present the facts of instant matter to the Department for an opinion as to whether any of the activities of the ZOA possibly fall within the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

- 2-Bureau (Encls. 5) ENCLOSURE
- 1-WFO (2-129) (Encl. 1) (info) (RM)
- 1-New York
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Copy to State, CIA, AGG (no letter) by routing slip for info action date 3-4-70 (LSD) retained (066) P. memo to AGG (LSD): Reference made

NY 2-385

New York will await Departmental decision as to the vulnerability of the ZOA under the FARA of 1938, as amended.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

New York, New York  
February 20, 1970

Zionist Organization of America (ZOA)  
Registration Act - Israel

By letter dated February 25, 1969, Mr. J. Walter Yeagley, Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division, United States Department of Justice, Washington, D. C., advised as follows in relation to the captioned:

"Reference is made to an advertisement that appeared on page A6 of the February 16, 1969, edition of The Washington Post. A copy of this advertisement is enclosed for your use. This advertisement was sponsored by the Louis D. Brandeis - Zionist District, Zionist Organization of America, Jacques Torczyner, President, 1529 16th Street, Washington, D. C. It appears from the advertisement that there exists a possible obligation on the part of the subject to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

"The advertisement contains a condemnation of the Soviet Peace Plan for the Middle East and ends with a request for money, with checks made payable to the Zionist Organization of America.

"This Division would like to receive any information that you might have available on the subject. In addition, this Division would appreciate any information that can be developed as to the subject's activities within the United States and whether the subject is receiving funds from any foreign principal, including the Government of Israel. In this regard, this Division has no objection to your Bureau interviewing anyone else connected with the subject." b7c

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

ENCLOSURE

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Zionist Organization of America (ZOA)

The enclosure to this letter reflected an advertisement captioned, "A Soviet Trap in the Middle East". The article reflected a pictorial map showing military and naval forces of the Arab countries surrounding Israel, which was captioned, "The Arab Deployment for Attack Four June, 1967". The body of the article reflected the following:

"The Soviet Union is forcefully advancing a plan for an imposed peace in the Middle East, and trying to win American support for it. The thrust of this Soviet scheme is to turn the clock back for Israel to June 4, 1967.

"The Kremlin, skilled in the art of double talk and double think, proposes a 'peace plan' which calls for Israel's return to her insecure and unnatural borders of June 4, 1967. The Soviet Union wants Israel to become a sitting duck for renewed onslaught by the Arabs she has massively rearmed with the most sophisticated Soviet offensive weapons.

"The Soviet Union seeks to render Israel defenseless in order to dominate the Middle East, the gateway to Asia and Africa.

"This plan, which only services Soviet imperialism, is detrimental to the interests of the United States. It will not advance the cause of peace.

"The American people want to see a just and lasting peace in the Middle East. Peace cannot be imposed from the outside. Peace can be achieved only by direct negotiations between Israel and her neighbors.

"The Arab states will come to the peace table when they realize that Israel is strong enough to repel attack and make the cost of aggression prohibitive.

"By making this clear to all the parties concerned, the United States will advance the cause of peace."

The article reflected that it was originated from the "Louis D. Brandeis-Zionist District, Zionist Organization of America, Jacques Torczyner, President, 1529 16th St., N.W., Washington, D. C. 20036".

The following information appeared on a cut-out coupon with this article:

"To Louis D. Brandeis-Zionist District  
1529 16th St. N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20036

Zionist Organization of America (ZOA)

" \_\_\_\_\_ I endorse your statement. I would like to help sponsor other advertisements containing this message.

" \_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is my contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

"Name \_\_\_\_\_

"Address \_\_\_\_\_

"\*Make checks payable to ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA"

The files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington, D. C. and New York, New York, reflected no additional pertinent identifiable information in relation to the Zionist Organization of America (ZOA) or \_\_\_\_\_ b7c

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On December 1, 1969, a representative of the ZOA, Washington, D. C., advised that Jacques Torczyner, President of the ZOA, was headquartered at the offices of the ZOA, New York, New York.

Unsuccessful attempts to locate and interview \_\_\_\_\_

On February 17, 1970, a telephonic appointment was made to interview \_\_\_\_\_ b7c

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date February 20, 1970

[redacted] advised of the United States Department of Justice's interest in the Zionist Organization of America (ZOA). He was advised that he need not make any statement; that any statement he made could possibly be used against him in a court of law; that he had the right to discuss the matter with an attorney at this time or any time during or after the interview; and that he could stop the interview at any time he so desired [redacted]

[redacted] was fully aware of these rights, and that both his personal activities and the activities of the ZOA were completely available to the United States Government at any time now or in the future.

He advised that the ZOA was an American organization founded about 75 years ago. The members are in all states of the union [redacted]

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The ZOA publishes a magazine, the "American Zionist" and also maintains a speakers bureau and public affairs conferences [redacted]

On 2/18/70 at New York, New York File# \_\_\_\_\_

by SAS [redacted] and [redacted] wfw b7c Date dictated 2/19/70

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Zionist Organization of America (ZOA)

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[REDACTED]

Zionist Organization of America (ZOA)

[REDACTED] he  
had an extra copy of the Constitution and By-Laws of the  
ZOA, as well as a copy of the magazine called "American  
Zionist" which, if located, would be afforded by mail [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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SAC, New York (2-385)

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Director, FBI (100-341909)

ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
REGISTRATION ACT - ISRAEL

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Reurlet and LHM 2/20/70.

Bufile fails to indicate recontact by your office [redacted] to obtain copies of the constitution and bylaws of ZOA mentioned by him during interview 2/19/70 as possibly being available at a later date.

[redacted]

Bureau feels current constitution and bylaws of ZOA would be of assistance to Department of Justice in reaching a determination as to whether ZOA should be required to register as a foreign agent.

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[redacted] obtain [redacted] copies of constitution and bylaws of ZOA previously mentioned. [redacted] submit results of contact in form suitable for dissemination. Bureau thereafter will seek Department of Justice views in this matter regarding registration by subject and [redacted]

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NOTE:

Investigation of ZOA instituted at request of Department of Justice as result of publication of advertisement by ZOA which denounced Russian plan for Middle East and solicited contributions to be paid to ZOA [redacted]

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_
- Walters \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
- Felt \_\_\_\_\_
- Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- oyars \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Room \_\_\_\_\_

[redacted] would send New York Office copies of material mentioned herein. We have not received this data to date and it could be of use to Department in determining whether registration should be required.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

# Memorandum

TO : Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: APR 28 1970

FROM : *ging*  
J. Walter Yeagley  
Assistant Attorney General  
Internal Security Division

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SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
REGISTRATION ACT - ISRAEL

Reference is made to your memorandum dated February 20, 1970, and captioned "Zionist Organization of America (ZOA), Registration Act - Israel," in which [redacted] is reported on page 6 thereof as having advised in the course of an interview with Bureau Agents that he believed that he had an extra copy of the constitution and by-laws of ZOA as well as a copy of the magazine, American Zionist, which, if located, he would forward by mail [redacted]

Since copies of this material would be of assistance to us in reaching a determination whether subject is required to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act, it is requested that [redacted]

[redacted] a further attempt be made to obtain this material and that it be forwarded to us.

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**NAT. SEC.**

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*4/29/70  
rec to NY via [redacted]  
Remarks: See Bulat 4/3/70  
Expedite investigation &  
submit results in form  
for dissemination  
EWA: [redacted]*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341909)

DATE: 6/22/70

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (2-385) (P)

SUBJECT: ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (ZOA)  
RA - ISRAEL

Re New York letter 2/20/70, and Bureau letter

4/3/70.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and four copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above at New York. One copy is enclosed for WFO, in view of their overall interest in the ZOA and their local district activities.

No information possibly pertinent to the ZOA as furnished by asterisk sources has been included in view of the faint possibility of prosecution in this matter.

Numerous unsuccessful attempts were made to contact [redacted] to the obtaining of ZOA's constitution until finally successful on 6/16/70. b7D

The newspaper clipping from "Action" was included in its entirety because of the extremely complex nature of financial support to the State of Israel and the numerous individuals and organizations involved therein. Any attempt at extracting or summarizing the information could lead to possible distortion and in view of the fact that this matter is in the sensitive Israeli field, it is believed more apropos to set forth the complete financial inter-involvement of Israeli fund organizations. W

The original and only copy of the Constitution of the ZOA is herewith enclosed for the Bureau should the Bureau desire to transmit same to the department. No copy being retained by the New York Division except that in the enclosed LHM.

- (2) - Bureau (Encls. 6) (RM)
- 1 - Washington Field (2-129) (Encls. 1) (INFO) (RM)
- 1 - New York

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SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR  
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

by routing slip for info. Date 7/21/70  
Copy to: CIA/State/...  
AAE (ISD) etc. [unclear]  
[unclear] to [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]



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The Bureau is requested to present the facts of instant matter to the Department for an opinion as to whether any of the activities of the ZOA possibly fall within the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

New York will await Departmental decision as to the vulnerability of the ZOA under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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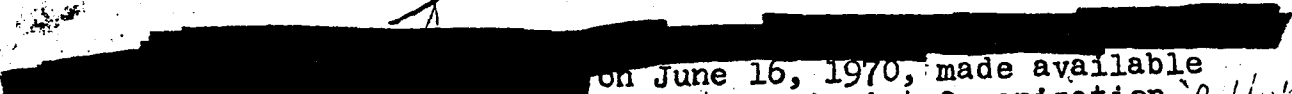
New York, New York

June 22, 1970

Please Refer to

Zionist Organization of America  
Registration Act - Israel

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On June 16, 1970, made available  
a booklet entitled "Constitution of the Zionist Organization  
of America" as amended by the 71st Annual National Zionist  
Convention, September 12-15, 1968, in Washington, D.C. A  
copy of this pamphlet is as follows:

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