ראש העיר MAYOR OF JERUSALEM

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Dear Friend,

Dr. Willem Sandberg will be 70 years young in October of this year.

For the last four years he has been connected with the Israel Museum here in Jerusalem as Chairman of the Executive Committee and as Artistic Advisor. His contribution to our new and still growing institution has been invaluable and we would like to show our appreciation in a way that will please this very modest and exceptional man.

Therefore, some of us here thought that we would like to present him with an album containing expressions of appreciation from his many friends throughout the world, and your name was of course among those that came to mind first.

Would you therefore be good enough to let us have a few lines, not more than about 200 words stating "What Sandberg means to me" or something in a similar vein. Even a word or a line from you will be appreciated.

Your letter, possibly written by hand, should not be addressed to anybody but be written on blank or personal stationery and sent to me between two pieces of cardboard and not folded.

They will be printed in book form in a very limited edition for his friends and admirers. We hope to mount the originals for presentation to Dr. Sandberg.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Yours sincerely

Feddy Kollek

Chairman of the Board, Israel Museum Jerusalem