



ראש הממשלה
PRIME MINISTER

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Dear Friends,

I send warm greetings to the JINSA gala marking the organization's 40th anniversary.

Since its establishment, JINSA has been a steadfast supporter of the State of Israel and the unique alliance between the United States and the Jewish state. Israel enjoys broad support across the political spectrum in America, as our two countries were founded on the shared values of freedom, diversity and peace. Today we also face the same enemies, including militant Islamic terrorists who seek to impose on the world the tyranny of an early medievalism. The civilized world and the forces of progress will defeat them.

I congratulate tonight's Henry M. "Scoop" Jackson Distinguished Service Award honorees. Scoop Jackson was a powerful defender of freedom and a great friend of Israel and the Jewish people. Your unwavering commitment to the US-Israel alliance continues his legacy.

Israel has never been more powerful than it is today, and with the support of our American friends, we will grow even stronger. I thank you for your moral clarity and staunch defense of our partnership.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Netanyahu