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Reference is made to telegram No. 5598, dated September 9, 1943, from the Legation.

The following is from Treasury.

Subject to the conditions set forth in the following telegrams: No. 1889 of August 7; No. 2077 of August 26; and No. 2182 of September 4, 1943, from the Department, The Legation is authorized by the Treasury Department - notwithstanding General Ruling No. 11 - to issue to the World Jewish Congress and its agents an appropriate license to undertake such transactions as may be necessary for the purpose of evacuating Jewish refugees from France and Rumania.

When the World Jewish Congress has been advised by Reigner as to what method is to be used in financing the transaction and the initial amount which will be required to carry out the transaction, the Treasury Department will consult with the World Jewish Congress with respect to authorization from the World Jewish Congress to Reigner to proceed with arrangements. After such authorization has been granted, the Treasury will then arrange for the transmittal of World Jewish Congress funds which are required by Reigner to consummate the transaction.

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