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Sec. Gen.'s trip to Syria 1956

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Corresp. Sec. Gen. — Rafik Asha (Perm. Repr. of
Syria to the UN)

Very truly yours,

Rafik Asha

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Permanent Representative of
Syria to the
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H.E. Mr. Dag Hammarskjöld
Secretary-General
United Nations,
New York



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TO THE UNITED NATIONS
NEW YORK

Mr. Gordon

TO	Mr. Gordon
BY	Mr. Gordon
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Dear Mr. Hammarskjold,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 5 January 1956 in which you were kind enough to inform me of your travel plans and your visit to my country on Friday 27 January 1956.

I have already communicated the contents of your letter to my Government and I am sure that you and your party will be most cordially welcomed by the Syrian Government.

In expressing to Your Excellency my good wishes for a most pleasant journey, please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.

Very truly yours,

Rafik Asha
Permanent Representative of
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5 January 1956

Dear Mr. Asha,

My travel plans for my visit to your country have now been finalized.

I shall be arriving in Damascus from Beirut on Friday, 27 January at 3.20 p.m., and shall depart for Baghdad on Saturday, 28 January at 8.15 a.m. I shall be travelling by special United Nations plane.

I shall be accompanied by Mr. Ahmed S. Bokhari, Under-Secretary for Public Information, Mr. Henry Labouisse, Director, United Nations Relief and Works Agency, Mr. George Khouri, Chief, Public Information Division, United Nations Relief and Works Agency, and Mr. William Ranallo, my personal aide.

I should appreciate it if you would transmit this information to your Government.

I look forward with great pleasure to the opportunity of visiting your country and of meeting with the officials of your Government.

Very sincerely yours,

Dag Hammarskjold,
Secretary-General

Mr. Rafik Asha,
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