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DOLE CABLES SHCHARANSKY

WASHINGTON -- Following is the text of a telegram Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole sent to Natan Shcharansky:

I JOIN FREEDOM-LOVING PEOPLE EVERYWHERE IN WELCOMING YOU TO YOUR NEW HOME.

WHILE YOUR RELEASE BRINGS US JOY AND HOPE, IT ALSO REMINDS US OF THE MANY INNOCENT PEOPLE OF ALL FAITHS AND BELIEFS STILL IMPRISONED AND SUPPRESSED BY THE SOVIET STATE. OUR STRUGGLE CANNOT END UNTIL ALL OF THEM JOIN YOU IN FREEDOM.

I LOOK FORWARD TO AN EARLY OPPORTUNITY TO WELCOME YOU PERSONALLY TO THE UNITED STATES AND TO THE SENATE.

PLEASE EXPRESS MY BEST WISHES, AND ELIZABETH'S, TO AVITAL.

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