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Dear Governor Haley,

On behalf of The Jewish Center, a landmark synagogue and Center for Jewish Life and Learning in New York City, I am pleased to invite you to address the Manhattan community as our 2017 Samuel and May Rudin Scholar-in-Residence.

The Samuel and May Rudin Lecture Series was founded by Jack Rudin in memory of his beloved parents. This series invites the New York City community to hear our nation's most prominent leaders and public officials on issues of critical importance to contemporary society and values. As a public service to our community, an outstanding group of speakers has honored us by participating. Most recently, we have had the pleasure of hosting Senator Joseph Lieberman; Senator Cory Booker; Attorney General John Ashcroft; David Brooks; and General Colin Powell. We would be honored if you would join us.

As 2017 marks our Center's centennial, we are opening up a conversation about this historic bond between the United States and Israel and the future of our relationship. As Governor of South Carolina you have served your state with distinction. Now, as our Ambassador to the United Nations you will play an essential role in this country's foreign relations with Israel, the nations of the Middle East and beyond. We are certain that your presentation would be an inspiring and enlightening opportunity for our community.

We are targeting a weeknight in March for this event, but we can certainly be flexible to accommodate your schedule. We typically host a private reception around 7PM followed by the presentation. Please let me know what date might work best and we will plan accordingly. Of course, please feel free to call me if I might be of any help.

Respectfully Yours,

Yosie Levine
Rabbi