## THE JERUSALEM CENTER FOR NEAR EASTERN STUDIES Brigham Young University

From the Office of the Director

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

RE: THE MOR ENGINEERING COMPANY

During 1984-87 the construction-engineering firm headed by Eli Rahat erected the 17,000 square meter building of Brigham Young University's Jerusalem Center for Near Eastern Studies on Mt. Scopus. After the building was completed, the construction-engineering firm established the MOR COMPANY, which the University hired to maintain its building and campus.

Since 1987 the Mor Company has managed BYU's Jerusalem Center in a number of ways. It has provided basic maintenance for the buildings and grounds. The Mor Co. supervises the janitors and other cleaners, the gardeners, and other staff who keep the facility clean and functioning properly. Its maintenance staff includes skilled electricians, mechanics, and carpenters as well as general cleaners and gardeners. Visitors often remark that the building looks not 15 years old but rather brand new. The credit for this goes to the Mor Co. and to its supervisors and employees.

As BYU's Jerusalem Center has aged, its building has needed many repairs, upgrades, and modifications. The Mor Co. has been invaluable in helping us to plan and to carry out whatever project has been needed to keep our facility in good repair, in harmony with changing codes, and running smoothly.

The Mor Co. has also provided security to safeguard the campus, adjusting the security systems and personnel according to changing times and situations.

We have thus dealt with the senior management--as well as with the staff--of the Mor Co. for over a decade and a half. I can give assurances that, from top to bottom, the organization consists of individuals of the greatest integrity, competence, and experience. We give the Mor Company the highest recommendation without any reservations.

Respectfully,

Dr. Arnold H. Green, Director