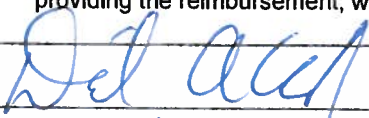


**DISCLOSURE BY ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE  
OF TRAVEL EXPENSES SERVING A LEGITIMATE PUBLIC PURPOSE  
AS REQUIRED BY 930 CMR 5.08(2)(d)2.**

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STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION	
Name of elected public employee:	Daniel A. Wolf
Title/ Position	State Senator, Cape and Islands
Agency/ Department	State Senate
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Write an X to confirm each statement.	<p>I am filing this disclosure because:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I am going to engage in an activity that serves a legitimate public purpose, i.e., it is intended to promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality; and</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A non-public entity (but not a lobbyist) has offered to reimburse, waive or pay travel expenses and costs worth more than \$50.</p>
<b>ACTIVITY THAT SERVES A LEGITIMATE PUBLIC PURPOSE</b>	
Describe the activity which is the reason for traveling.	Community Leaders Study tour with the Jewish Community Relations Council of Greater Boston.
Describe your participation in the activity.	Member of the aforementioned group tour; will visit various educational and historical sites.
Date, time and location of activity.	3 December 2015 - 13 December 2015
Please explain how the activity will promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality.	Israeli technology, especially technology around water infrastructure, is playing a major role influencing policy. I look forward to meeting with global leaders on this and learning more about their technology.

	<b>TRAVEL EXPENSES</b>
Identify the person or organization that offered to reimburse, waive or pay your travel expenses.	Jewish Community Relations Council of Greater Boston
Address of person or organization.	126 High Street Boston, MA 02110
Provide information in as much detail as possible:	<b>Itemization and explanation of amounts offered:</b>
Transportation:	Air, train, bus, and taxi fare and rental car hire, etc. \$ 1,315.36
Lodging:	Overnight accommodations. See other
Meals:	Breakfast, lunch, dinner, special events. See other
Admission:	Registration, admission, tickets, etc. See other
Other (please list):	Refreshment, instruction, materials, entertainment, etc. Ground transportation, food, driver, guide, hotel, speakers, site visits: \$ 4,135.00
Total:	\$ 5,491.36
Write an X beside any relevant statement.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I have attached the relevant itinerary. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I have attached the relevant agenda.
For the exemption to apply, check off <u>both</u> statements.	Having disclosed the facts above, I determine that: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Acceptance of the reimbursement, waiver or payment of travel expenses will serve a legitimate public purpose i.e., it will promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality; AND <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Such public purpose outweighs any special non-work related benefit to me or to the person providing the reimbursement, waiver or payment.
Employee signature:	
Date:	17 November 2015

Attach additional pages if necessary.

Elected state or county employees – file with the State Ethics Commission.

Members of the General Court – file with the House or Senate clerk or the State Ethics Commission.

Elected municipal employee – file with the City Clerk or Town Clerk.

Elected regional school committee member – file with the clerk or secretary of the committee.

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**Day One: Thursday, December 3, 2015**

## DEPARTURE

- 8:15 p.m. Depart the U.S.A.

Overnight: Flight

**Day Two: Friday, December 4, 2015**

## ARRIVAL

- 2:15 p.m. Arrive at Ben Gurion International Airport on El Al flight LY 016.
- Welcome by our representative and assistance with arrival formalities.
- Meet with **Mike Hollander**, your tour educator, and depart the airport for **Jerusalem**.
- **Welcome to Jerusalem** - ברוכים הבאים: Enter the vibrant and colorful ancient city of Jerusalem, and experience the convergence of the old and the new.
- Check into the hotel.
- 7:00 p.m. **Home Hospitality Shabbat dinner** with **Ruti and Yossi Yudkovitz**.

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Jerusalem

**Day Three: Saturday, December 5, 2015**  
**THE LAYERS OF JERUSALEM**

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- 8:30 a.m. *Israeli Society @ 2015*: Dialogue with scholar **Paul Liptz** of Tel Aviv University and the Hebrew Union College, at the hotel.
- Walking tour through the **Old City**, for guided visits to the **Cardo**, and the First Temple Period **Broad Wall** in the Jewish Quarter. Continue to the Christian Quarter, part of the **Via Dolorosa**, the **Church of the Holy Sepulchre**, high perches and deep caverns.  
1:00 p.m. Lunch on your own in the Old City.
- Visit the renewed **Israel Museum**, one of the most creative and innovative museums in the world with a wide and eclectic collection, ranging from Judaica and archaeology to Renaissance and contemporary Israeli art, concluding with a visit to the Dead Sea Scrolls and the Shrine of the Book and the Second Temple Period Model of Jerusalem.
- 6:00 p.m. *The Labyrinth of Israeli Politics*: Dialogue with **Prof. Reuven Hazan** of the Political Science Department at Hebrew University, at the hotel.
- Dinner on own.

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Jerusalem

**Day Four: Sunday, December 6, 2015**

**GEOPOLITICS FROM THEORY TO FACT**

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- 8:00 a.m. *Is the Two State Solution Still Viable?* Meet with **Gershon Baskin**, founder of the Israel/Palestine Center for Research and Information (IPCRI), at the hotel.
- 9:30 a.m. Depart the hotel.
- 10:00 a.m. Meet with **Shuli Dichter**, Executive Director of the Hand in Hand organization, and visit the **Yad BeYad** (Hand in Hand) **Bilingual School**, dedicated to bringing together Jewish and Arab children in a positive and natural learning environment.
- 11:15 a.m. *Settlements and settlers*: Drive to the **Etzion Bloc** and meet with **Shani Abrams Simkovitz**, Director at Gush Etzion foundation.
- Drive to **Bethlehem**.
- 1:30 p.m. Lunch at the **Tent Restaurant** in Bethlehem & meet with journalist **Rami Nazzal**.
- 2:30 p.m. Meet with political leaders in Bethlehem, possibly **Mayor Vera Barum**, and **Ziad Abu- Amr**, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Culture or with political community leaders. (TBC)
- 4:00 p.m. Drive through the city of **Bethlehem**, site of Jesus's birth and the Church of the Nativity.
- Return to Jerusalem and to the hotel.
- 6:00 p.m. Group discussion at the hotel.
- Dinner on own.

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Jerusalem

**Day Five: Monday, December 7, 2015 | Hanukah**  
**MEMORIES FOR THE FUTURE & REALITY ON THE GROUND**

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- 8:00 a.m. *The Memory of the Holocaust in Contemporary Israeli Society*: Dialogue with Holocaust scholar, **Dr. Rachel Korazim**.
- 9:30 a.m. Guided visit through **Yad Vashem**, the Jewish National Memorial to the six million Jewish victims of the Holocaust, including:
  - The Historical Museum
  - The Children's Memorial
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch on your own, en route.
- 1:00 p.m. *The Geopolitics of Jerusalem* - וירושלים: ובליבה חומה - Travel through the city of Jerusalem exploring some of the political and diplomatic complexities of recent years; drive around the seam zone, with an in-depth study seminar on the ramifications of current developments with **Col. (Res.) Danny Tirza**, one of the seam zone's designers.
- 3:30 p.m. Visit **SifTech**, the Jerusalem Entrepreneurship Club, located in the **JVP Media Quarter** and gain insight into the world of Israeli startups and meeting with members.
- 7:00 p.m. *Jerusalem: Challenges and Achievements*: **Dinner** at the **Piccolino** Restaurant, with members of the Yerushalmim movement, *a civic organization aiming to build Jerusalem as a vibrant, pluralistic and inclusive city*, and **Jerusalem activists**.  
(names TBC)

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Jerusalem

**Day Six: Tuesday, December 8, 2015**  
**BUILDING A SHARED SOCIETY**

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- Check out of the hotel.
- 8:00 a.m. *Ethics & Dilemmas in the Field*: Dialogue with **Col. Benzi Gruber**, Deputy Commander of an Armored Corps brigade, at the hotel.
- 10:00 p.m. Take a VIP tour of the **Knesset** (Israel's parliament) and meet with **MK Roy Folkman** from Kulanu Party and **MK Anat Berko**, form **Likud Party** to discuss current political issues.
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch on your own.
- Drive north along the **Trans-Israel Highway** for a close-up view of the 'Security Barrier' along the seam zone between Israel and the Palestinian Territories.
- 2:30 p.m. *Living as a Minority in the Jewish State*: Meet with **Professor Dalia Fadila**, President of the Technology and Science College of Baqa al Garbia, for a tour of the campus and conversation on the reality of Arabs living in Israel, success and challenge and what it means to be the first Arab woman to be nominated president of an institution of higher education in Israel.
- Stop on the top of **Mount Carmel** for a panoramic view of Haifa Bay.
- Check into the hotel in **Haifa**.
- 7:00 p.m. Processing session over a private **dinner** at the **Fatush Restaurant** in Haifa.

Overnight: Colony Hotel, Haifa

**Day Seven: Wednesday, December 9, 2015**  
**HAIFA TO TEL AVIV**

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- Check out of the hotel.
- 10:30 a.m. Visit the **Technion** for a tour of the campus and visits to projects of interest, representing Israel's spirit of innovation.
- 12:00 p.m. Drive along the **Lebanese Border** for powerful overviews and insight into the strategic realities facing Israel in that region, with **Avi Melamed**, an independent Middle East strategic intelligence analyst.
- **Lunch** en route.
- 2:00 p.m. Meet with **Yona Yahav**, Mayor of Haifa, at the Municipality Building
- 2:45 p.m. Visit the **Rambam Medical Center**.
- 5:00 p.m. Possible meeting at **Argo-ReWalk** in Yokenam, *ReWalk is a wearable robotic exoskeleton that provides powered hip and knee motion to enable individuals with spinal cord injury (SCI) to stand upright, walk, turn, and climb and descend stairs. (TBC)*
- Depart for **Tel Aviv**, known as the "city that never sleeps," with its centers of culture, recreation and national history, great beaches and fine stores.
- Check into the hotel.
- Dinner on own.

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv



**Day Eight: Thursday, December 10, 2015**  
**INNOVATION IN ISRAELI SOCIETY**

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- 8:30 a.m. *Israel, A Start-Up – Is the Party Over or Is it Just Beginning?* Dialogue with **Elan Zivotofsky** General Partner and head of **OurCrowd DealFlow**, one of Israel's leading high-tech venture capitalists.
- 11:00 a.m. Visit the **Palmachim desalination plant** - one of the ten largest seawater RO plants in the world and hear from specialist about innovations in that field.
- **Lunch** en route.
- 2:00 p.m. *Local Leadership Challenges and Achievements*: Meet with **Eytan Schwartz**, Senior Advisor for International Affairs to Tel Aviv-Yafo's Mayor Ron Huldai at the **Tel Aviv Municipality**.
- 3:30 p.m. *Innovation in Tel Aviv*: Visit the **SOSA hub** (South of Salame) is a community comprised of leaders from all walks of the entrepreneurial ecosystem who believe in propelling innovation through constant personal interactions.
- 7:00 p.m. Dinner at **Goshen**, an upscale grill restaurant located on the historic Nachalat Binyamin Street, together with Representative of **The Aguda**, The Israeli National LGBT Task Force. (TBC)

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv

## Day Nine: Friday, December 11, 2015

### CHALLENGES IN THE SOUTH

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- Drive to the South.
- 9:30 a.m. *Living on the Edge*: Visit **Moshav Netiv Ha'asarah**, located on Israel's border with the Gaza Strip, for an insight into the security complexities of Israel's withdrawal from Gaza while trying to create a thriving home, including a dialogue with a resident.
- Return to Tel Aviv.
- **LaDa'at Ethnic Tasting Tour** through Tel Aviv's famous **Levinsky Market**, where you'll find a combination of foods and sweets from all over the Mediterranean and hear the unique stories of the individuals who sell them.
- **Lunch** en route.
- Visit the **Old City of Jaffa**, ascend from the old port through the renovated alleyways to the Jaffa Overlook for an introduction to Tel Aviv at the place where it all began.
- Visit the **Nachalat Binyamin** pedestrian mall, with its bi-weekly crafts fair and eateries. Alongside is the colorful Carmel open-air market and across the way Sheinkin St., with its hip cafés and funky chic shopping.
- Possible **Kabbalat Shabbat service** in Tel Aviv.
- 7:00 p.m. **Shabbat dinner** at the hotel.

Overnight: Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv

## Day Ten: Saturday, December 12, 2015

### SHABBAT AT THE DEAD SEA

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- Drive to the **Dead Sea basin**.
- Ascend by cable-car to **Masada**, Herod's mountain palace and the site of the Jewish Zealots' last stand against the Roman legionnaires. Discuss Masada's role as a symbol of Jewish defence and its current significance in modern Israel.
- Float in the **Dead Sea**, use the spa facilities of the Crowne Plaza Dead Sea Hotel and enjoy a buffet **lunch**.
- Return to Tel Aviv.
- Late check-out from the hotel.
- 7:15 p.m. Enjoy a **festive farewell dinner** and the elegant atmosphere at **Liliyot**, which offers an attractive menu mixing Mediterranean and Californian cuisine. *Liliyot works together with the Elem Association, employing youth with difficulties and donating part of their profits to the association.*
- 8:45 p.m. Transfer to Ben Gurion International Airport.

Overnight: Flight

## Day Eleven: Sunday, December 13, 2015

### RETURN

- 12:05 a.m. Departure flight to the U.S.A. on El Al flight LY 015.
- 5:30 a.m. Arrive in Boston.

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