

Howe, Grace  
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
WASHINGTON



In reply refer to  
VD 811.111 Szpindel, Gitta

July 8, 1947

My dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

I refer to your letter of April 28, 1947 with which you transmitted a copy of a letter addressed to Mrs. Grace Hartley Howe by Mr. Harry Spindel concerning the latter's desire to bring to the United States his mother, Mrs. Gitta Szpindel, his sister, Mrs. Ethel Szwarcberg, and the members of her family.

A communication has been received from the American Consular Officer at Vienna stating that Mrs. Gitta Szpindel has been informed of the procedure she should follow in applying for a visa and that a security clearance in her case has been requested.

The Consular Officer further states that the records of the Legation do not show that inquiries have been received from Mrs. Ethel Szwarcberg and that she has therefore been informed of the procedure to be followed by displaced persons who desire to immigrate into the United States.

Assurance is given that the consular officer concerned will accord the cases in question every possible consideration.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

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