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Mrs. E. Roosevelt  
Apartment 15-A  
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Dear Mrs Roosevelt:

I refer to your letter of November 15, requesting that the theater commander concerned be asked to aid the travel of Dr and Mrs Levy to France, Holland, Poland and Palestine.

In accordance with our demobilization program, the Army has been rapidly closing out of France and Holland. It has relinquished control to the countries concerned of requisitioned facilities, whose retention is not necessary for the accomplishment of our occupation mission in Germany; consequently, civilians traveling in these areas must necessarily make their own arrangements for travel, since the Army has neither personnel nor facilities to offer.

Concerning travel in Palestine and Poland, the Army has no facilities in these areas and all arrangements for travel must be completed by Dr and Mrs Levy.

However, if Dr and Mrs Levy intend to visit or transit the American occupied zone in Germany, arrangements have been completed with the State Department wherein all civilians, whose travel is approved by the State Department, will be assured of Army assistance.

I regret that the reduction of operations and facilities precludes any assistance by the Army other than in the American occupied zone in Germany.

Sincerely yours,

*RLV P P*  
Secretary of War



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