



THE PRESIDENT

Jerusalem, 24th July, 2011

Your Majesty,

I was deeply shocked and saddened by the despicable murderous attack, which claimed the lives of so many innocent civilians and youth.

On behalf of the people of Israel and myself I would like to express our heartfelt condolences and sympathies to the people of Norway and to the bereaved families who have lost which is most dear to them. Our thoughts are with them at this difficult time and we pray for the speedy recovery of the wounded.

The people of Israel share in the grief of the people of Norway and stand ready to assist in whatever is needed for the recovery efforts.

Please accept, Your Majesty, the assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read 'Shimon Peres'.

Shimon Peres

His Majesty
King Harald V of Norway