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DATE	TO	FROM	DESCRIPTION
03/31/76	NN Moiseev	B. Rosen	Rosen informs Moiseev he will no longer cooperate Soviets because Benjamin Levich denied exit visa.
03/31/76	GI Marchuk	B. Rosen	Same letter to Marchuk as to Moiseev
04/01/76	C.M. Foust	A.H. Kassof	Kassof addresses problem of cooperation with USSR. Heand his colleagues at IREX concerned with issue but does not believe IREX is the proper forum for taking action. He believes it should be taken up with USSR officials.
04/13/76	A. Dragt	C.M. Foust	Foust, Prof Physics UMD sends letter from Kassof.
04/19/76	Physicists	Chertoff	Encloses appeal from French Comm. for Mark Azbel to USSR
04/ /76		CCS News	Contains text of Minker's SIGART, Nov. 11 summary of IJCAI'75
04/24/76	JM	Manekofsky	Irene Manekofsky, President of Washington Committee for Soviet Jewry sends list of 6 scientists from Novosibirsk who were not permitted to emigrate. JM sends Sandy Wall list.
05/12/76	Dr. Kassof	Alex Dragt	Letter to IREX indicating several faculties at UMD do not wish to cooperate in international exchange with USSR due to human rights. Signed by Dragt, Minker, Adler, Goldhaber Vanderslice. Invitation by Physics to Levich. 04/13/76 letter Clifford Foust (History - UMD) to Dragt. He passed letter regarding frustration over Levich to Kassof (IREX). Kassof letter to Foust 05/01/76 believes better to contact USSR - not IREX.

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05/17/76	Ben Rosen	N.N. Moiseev	Believes that he and majority of his colleagues consider Levich's behavior as reprehensible and irresponsible. Ben can't decide if irony in next to last paragraph is intentional.
05/20/76	Guriy I. Marchuk	N.S. Wall	Re meeting with Dragt and Minker April 23, 1976. Encouraged by his interest in exchange of scientists. Marchuk had asked if scientists in Novosibirsk were having problems since he knew of none. Sandy sent him a list of 6 Novosibirsk scientists including addresses who wish to emigrate. Wall made the case for freedom to emigrate.
06/04/76	Ovsei Gelman	JM	Gelman in Israel. Apologizes did not write sooner. Tells him JM organized writing campaign for him to Chavachanidze. A few weeks after letters written he was released. Perhaps it helped. Pleased he is now free and in Israel where there is no anti-semitism.
06/08/76	AH Kassof, IREX	UMD Chairs	Vanderslice, Adler, Minker, Goldhaber, Dragt, Landsberg inform IREX they object to Soviets who send lists of scientists to participate in exchange and do not honor requests for scientists - e.g. Levich invited by Physics Dept., but not given permission to come to U.S.
11/11/76	JM	J. Biegeleisen	in Chemistry at U. Rochester. Asks if JM can help find job for emigrated USSR applied mathematician Dr. Vladimir Staroselsky residing in Rome. Sends vitae. JM asks Saul Gass for comments. 11/23/76 letter from Gass to JM suggests George Dantzig be contacted. JM asks Biegeleisen to contact Dantzig.
11/18/76	Alex Dragt	Frank Kerr	Re note from CS faculty disassociating themselves from June 8 letter re IREX. Kerr did not approve of June 8 IREX letter.