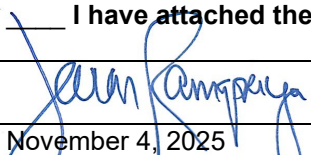


**DISCLOSURE BY NON-ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE
OF TRAVEL EXPENSES SERVING A LEGITIMATE PUBLIC PURPOSE
AS REQUIRED BY 930 CMR 5.08(2)(d)1.**


NON-ELECTED PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION	
Name of non-elected public employee:	Jeevan Ramapriya
Title/ Position	Executive Director
Agency/ Department	Mass. Office of International Trade and Investment
Agency address:	Executive Office of Economic Development 1 Ashburton Place, 21 st Floor Boston, MA 02114
Office phone:	617-973-8543
Office e-mail:	Jeevan.ramapriya@mass.gov
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>
ACTIVITY THAT SERVES A LEGITIMATE PUBLIC PURPOSE	
Describe the activity which is the reason for traveling.	The State of Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs has invited a delegation of New England officials to Israel to participate in briefings and meetings with officials, security experts and civil society organizations, offering a comprehensive view of Israel's current challenges and future prospects. The delegation will have the opportunity to engage with key figures from Israel's world-class innovation hub. With the highest number of startups per capita in the world, this trip will provide a chance to explore opportunities for strengthening innovation and commercial partnerships between Israel and New England.
Describe your participation in the activity.	I will be a participant in the delegation, which will include visits with Israeli officials and visiting with key figures from Israel's world-class innovation hub.
Date, time and location of activity.	December 6 – 12, 2025
Please explain how the activity will promote the interests of the Commonwealth, a county or a municipality.	Israel is Massachusetts' 25 th largest trading partner with over \$553 million worth of goods exchanged in 2024. MOITI has worked with several Israeli companies to expand their operations here in Massachusetts.

	TRAVEL EXPENSES
Identify the person or organization that offered to reimburse, waive or pay your travel expenses.	State of Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Address of person or organization.	9 Yitzhak Rabin Blvd. Kiryat Ben-Gurion JERUSALEM 91035, Israel
Provide information in as much detail as possible:	<i>Itemization and explanation of amounts offered:</i>
Transportation:	<i>Air, train, bus, and taxi fare and rental car hire, etc.</i> Airfare: Estimated at \$1,500 Bus: Estimated at \$500
Lodging:	<i>Overnight accommodations.</i> Hotel: Estimated at \$1,800
Meals:	<i>Breakfast, lunch, dinner, special events.</i> Meals: Estimated at \$1,200 (3 meals per day x 4)
Admission:	<i>Registration, admission, tickets, etc.</i> N/A
Other (please list):	<i>Refreshment, instruction, materials, entertainment, etc.</i>
Total:	Estimated at \$5,000
Write an X beside any statement that applies.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I have attached the relevant itinerary. <input type="checkbox"/> I have attached the relevant agenda.
Employee signature:	
Date:	November 4, 2025

Attach additional pages if necessary.

Complete the disclosure and submit it to your appointing authority.

DETERMINATION BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY

APPOINTING AUTHORITY INFORMATION	
Name of Appointing Authority:	Eric Paley
Agency and Title/Position:	Executive Office of Economic Development, Secretary
Agency address:	One Ashburton Place, Suite 2101, Boston, MA
Office phone:	617-788-3610
Employee who filed the disclosure:	Jeevan Ramapriya
To give approval, check <u>both</u> statements.	<p>Upon consideration of the facts disclosed by the employee above, I find that:</p> <p><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</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Such public purpose outweighs any special non-work related benefit to the employee or the person providing the reimbursement, waiver or payment.</p>
Reason that the employee's travel or attendance will serve a legitimate public purpose:	As stated in disclosure.
Appointing Authority signature:	
Date:	November 5, 2025

Attach additional pages if necessary.

The appointing authority should maintain the disclosure as a public record and give a copy of any signed determination to the employee.