Katz Award 2014

Like all of humanity, the Jewish people are living in an environment and era of rapid changes in all spheres of life. We witness almost daily renewal of technological developments and scientific breakthroughs in areas that habitually affect our lives such as medicine, food, environment and more. As individuals we face such innovations; as a collective, a nation, the questions and challenges that surface require clarification and answers.

This is heart of the Katz Award - bestowed upon individuals and enterprises engaged in the application of Halacha - Jewish law in modern life – in the creation of written work and practical endeavors.

The Katz Award was established in 1975 by Marcos and Adina Katz, in memory of Golda Katz, the Katz family matriarch.

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May 27, 2014

Reception at the President's Residence with Mr. Shimon Peres, President of the State of Israel, for the recipients, Award Committee members and the Founders.

Award Ceremony in the presence of the Knesset Chairman, Mr. Yuli Edelstein, at the King David Hotel.

Best regards, Meirav Catriel Shtarker Executive Director, Katz Award

