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Good afternoon,

This morning on Twitter, George Deek, the Ambassador of Israel to Azerbaijan, [praised](#) Elin Suleymanov, the Ambassador of Azerbaijan to the United States, for “the Israeli-Azerbaijani close relations” and called Ambassador Suleymanov’s unwavering belief in their friendship “heart-warming.” Ambassador Deek said Israelis love to visit Azerbaijan because of the country’s tolerance and “utter rejection of hate and antisemitism.”



**George Deek** ✓  
@GeorgeDeek



My friend Amb [@ElinSuleymanov](#) deserves credit for the Israeli-Azerbaijani close relations. His unwavering belief in our friendship is heart-warming. A friendship rooted in shared belief in tolerance, and utter rejection of hate and antisemitism. No wonder Israelis love to visit Az

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

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