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Oracle's Ellison Remains Biggest Jewish Billionaire on Forbes List



Larry Ellison

(JTA) — Oracle founder Larry Ellison is top ranked among Jewish individuals appearing on the *Forbes* magazine's annual list of world billionaires, coming in at sixth with \$36 billion.

Ellison held the same ranking last year but with \$28 billion.

Casino and hotel magnate Sheldon Adelson, with \$24.9 billion, moved up to No. 14 from 78. Adelson and his family have donated at least \$20 million to a Super PAC supporting GOP presidential hopeful Newt Gingrich. Adelson also is a major

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Energy Bonanza Found Offshore



BY ILAN BEN ZION

Large quantities of oil and natural gas were discovered off the coast of Tel Aviv, Modiin Energy and Adira Energy Corporation

announced on Tuesday.

The find, called the Gabriella field, is 24 kilometers off shore in shallow water. "At a time of soaring oil prices, this is good news... for the Israeli economy, which is trying to diversify its energy sources," Haim Gavrieli, CEO of IDB Holding Corp. Ltd., the parent company of Modiin, told *Globes*.

Modiin intends to start drilling by late 2012 and will produce and market the oil in Israel.

Three-dimensional seismic surveys proved the Gabriella site and the nearby Yitzhak area

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'Azerbaijan Arrests 22 Over Terror Plot Against Israel, U.S.'



Photo: Reuters.

Officials in Azerbaijan announced the arrest of 22 people suspected of plotting attacks on Israeli and U.S. embassies in the capital Baku on behalf of Iran, AFP reported Wednesday.

"Twenty-two citizens of Azerbaijan were arrested by the national security ministry for co-

operating with [Iran]," the Azeri National Security Ministry said according to AFP, connecting the plots to the Iranian Revolutionary Guards.

The arrests mark the second time this year Baku said it made arrests over a foiled terrorist plot involving Iran, the first being in February.

The announcement of these new arrests came a day after Azerbaijani Defense Minister Safar Abiyev met with senior officials in Tehran for talks centered around maintaining good relations, after Tehran expressed dissatisfaction with an arms deal to the tune of \$1.6 Baku made with archenemy Israel.

"We will not allow Azerbaijan's soil to be used against Iran under any conditions," Abiyev

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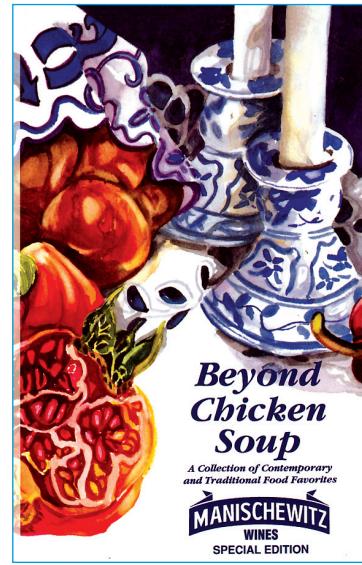


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Jewish Home Opens New Culinary Center

The Jewish Home of Rochester has announced the opening of the Beyond Chicken Soup Culinary Center, a state-of-the-art cooking center for residents of the Jewish Home and their families. The Jewish Home is the only long-term care facility in the area to have a culinary kitchen.

The culinary kitchen will serve many functions. It will reintroduce many residents to the joys of cooking; help rehabilitation patients to relearn skills they will need in order to prepare meals when they return home; provide the opportunity for residents and



their families to cook favorite recipes together; and it will be a venue for cooking classes and demonstrations. Cooking can be very therapeutic in that it fosters reminiscing, manual dexterity, confidence and a sense of pride.

Funds for the culinary center came from the sale of the "Beyond Chicken Soup Cookbook," a collection of recipes from members of the Jewish Home Auxiliary and the Rochester community. The cookbook was published in 1995 after years of hard work by the Jewish Home Auxiliary, and is currently sold at

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Energy Production Revolution Begins in Mideast

BY JAMES ROSEN

Scenes of carnage and upheaval have been playing out for so many decades in the Middle East — car bombings, terrorist attacks, wars, intifadas, and the slightly more optimistic images associated with the Arab Spring — that they are by now well familiar.

But there is another revolution in the Mideast, presently underway, that is not being televised. It centers on the all-important area of energy produc-



tion, and it might be called, "the Battle for Leviathan."

At issue is the recent discovery of huge untapped natural gas fields in the Levant Basin, the section of the eastern Mediterranean Sea that abuts Israel to the East, and Cyprus to the North.

The U.S. Geological Survey estimates that this underwater area holds 123 trillion cubic feet of recoverable natural gas. In simpler terms: That's equal to

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Israel Develops Its Own Bunker Buster

(DEBKAfile) — Israel has developed an improved precision, bunker-burrowing weapon which Israeli Military Industries unveiled on March 6. The 500-pound MPR-500 is an electro-optical (laser-guided) bomb that can penetrate double-reinforced concrete walls or floors without breaking apart.

The bomb was shown in action penetrating four reinforced concrete walls with fragmentation from the explosion limited to a radius of less than three meters.

The new weapon is designed as an upgrade for the U.S. Mk82 in Israel Air Force stocks. "The lethality, precision... and relatively low weight of the new weapon," say its manufacturers, "enable its use against multiple targets in a single pass."

After blowing the first hole in the targeted underground site, the next bombs continue to extend and deepen it.



MPR-500 Made by Israel's Military Industries.

The MPR-500 bridges an operational gap between the 250-pound U.S. GBU-39 small-diameter bomb, 1,000 of which were approved for sale to Israel, and the 5,000-pound GBU-28 American super-bunker buster. DEBKAfile notes: The IMI's presentation of the MPR-500 took place at the height of Israel's argument

with the Obama administration over the need for a near-term strike on Iran's nuclear sites — especially those Tehran is busy transferring to fortified underground bunkers.

It attracted little attention because on the same day, Iran was invited by the Six Powers for nu-

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Legal Notices ...

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF THE SPENCER/PALMER GROUP, LLC

Name: **The Spencer/Palmer Group, LLC** (the "LLC"). Date Filed: February 10, 2012. County of Office: Monroe. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The street address of the principal business location and the address to which process shall be mailed is *c/o* the LLC, 19 Wind Tree Circle, Pittsford, New York 14534. Purpose: Any lawful business not statutorily prohibited.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: **Chatham Housing and Environmental LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on February 14, 2012. New York office location: Monroe County. Principal business location: 265 Village Landing, Fairport, New York 14450. SNNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SNNY shall mail a copy of any such process to: 144 Village Landing #222, Fairport, New York 14450. LLC is to be managed by one or more members. LLC is organized to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Limited Liability Company Law.

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF FORUS JACKSONVILLE, LLC

Name: **Forus Jacksonville, LLC** (the "LLC"). Date Filed: February 15, 2012. County of Office: Monroe. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The street address of the principal business location and the address to which process shall be mailed is *c/o* the LLC, 415 Park Avenue, Rochester, New York 14607. Purpose: Any lawful business not statutorily prohibited.

Notice of Formation

Yolickity, LLC filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State (NYSS) on January 18, 2012. Principal office: Monroe County at 944 Hard Rd, Webster, NY 14580. NYSS designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The NYSS shall mail process to the LLC at its principal office. Purpose: any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF ROC CITY DIRECT LLC

Roc City Direct LLC (RCD) filed Articles of Organization with the NY Department of State (DOS) on February 17, 2012. RCD's principal office is in Monroe County, NY. RCD's principal business location is 145 Applewood Dr., Rochester, New York 14612. The DOS has been designated as RCD's agent upon whom process against RCD may be served and RCD's post office address to which the DOS shall mail a copy of any process against RCD served upon the DOS is 145 Applewood Dr., Rochester, New York 14612. The purpose of RCD's business is to engage in any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

The Professional Auto Spa, LLC filed articles of organization with the New York Department of State on February 9th, 2012. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the company upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process shall be mailed to 41 Pine Brook Circle, Penfield NY 14526. Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SHOREWATER GROUP I, LLC

Shorewater Group I, LLC filed Articles of Organization with NYS on February 15, 2012. Its principal office is in Monroe County, New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as its agent and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it is *c/o* the Company, 1761 SE 7th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SHOREWATER GROUP II, LLC

Shorewater Group II, LLC filed Articles of Organization with NYS on February 15, 2012. Its principal office is in Monroe County, New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as its agent and the post office address to which the Secretary of

State shall mail a copy of any process against it is *c/o* the Company, 1761 SE 7th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SHOREWATER GROUP III, LLC

Shorewater Group III, LLC filed Articles of Organization with NYS on February 15, 2012. Its principal office is in Monroe County, New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as its agent and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it is *c/o* the Company, 1761 SE 7th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SHOREWATER GROUP IV, LLC

Shorewater Group IV, LLC filed Articles of Organization with NYS on February 15, 2012. Its principal office is in Monroe County, New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as its agent and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it is *c/o* the Company, 1761 SE 7th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **HAMMOND HOMES, LLC**. Arts. of Organization filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on January 27, 2012. Office location: Monroe County. SNNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNNY shall mail a copy of process to 247 Judy Ann Drive, Rochester NY 14616. Anthony B. Iacovangelo, Esq., Gallo & Iacovangelo, LLP, Ste. 700, 39 State Street, Rochester, NY 14614 registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: **AAA 24/7 Locksmith Service, LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on February 22, 2012. New York office location: Monroe County. Principal business location: 291 West Squire Drive, Apt. 5, Rochester, New York 14623. SNNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SNNY shall mail a copy of any such process to: *c/o* Davidson Fink, LLP, 28 East Main Street, Suite 1700, Rochester, New York 14614. LLC is to be managed by one or more members. LLC is organized to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Limited Liability Company Law.

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

The name of the limited liability company is **O'SULLIVAN & SONS, LLC** (the "LLC"). The Articles of Organization were filed with the NYS Secretary of State ("SOS") on February 17, 2012. The office of the LLC is located in Monroe County. The street address of the principal business location is 43 Birch Crescent, Rochester, NY 14607. The SOS has been designated as agent for the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address to which the SOS shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him or her is 43 Birch Crescent, Rochester, NY 14607. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful business activity which a limited liability company may organize under Section 203 of New York Limited Liability Company Law.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Name: **East Side West Side Properties, LLC** (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the Secretary of State NY ("SSNY") on January 13, 2012. Its office location is to be in Monroe County, State of NY. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is: PO Box 24446, Rochester, NY 14624. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION of Bentivegna Properties II, LLC. Art. of Org filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 2/23/12. Office location: Monroe County. SNNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNNY shall mail copy of process to 883 Lake Ave, Rochester, NY 14613. Purpose: any lawful activities.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

Morgan Ellicott Holdings LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 1/24/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

Morgan Britton Holdings LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 2/9/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

Southpoint Cove LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 2/17/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

550 East Ave Holdings LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 2/27/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

Morgan DeVille LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 2/16/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

Morgan DeVille Realty LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 2/24/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

Rugby Square LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on 1/30/12. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 1170 Pittsford Victor Rd, Pittsford, NY 14534. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION

JGTD Enterprises LLC has filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State on January 18, 2012. Its office is located in Monroe County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process will be mailed to The LLC, 23 Bronson Way, Penfield, New York 14526. The purpose of the LLC is any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION ANTHONY M. CAPONE ENTERPRISES, LLC

NOTICE OF FORMATION of Bentivegna Properties II, LLC. Art. of Org filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 02/23/2012. Office location: Monroe County. SNNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNNY shall mail copy of process to 883 Lake Ave, Rochester, NY 14613. Purpose: any lawful activities.

Culinary Center

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the Home's gift shop and Leo's Deli. Since first published, proceeds from the sale of the cookbook have reached over \$150,000.

The grand opening of the Be-

yond Chicken Soup Culinary

Center will take place on Tuesday, March 27, from 4-6 p.m. Celebrity Chef Dan Eaton from YNN's Cooking at Home will conduct cooking demonstrations at 4:30 and 5:15. *

Bunker Buster

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clear negotiations, Tehran sent out its own invitation to U.N. nuclear inspectors to visit the suspect military site of Parchin (about which Iran has been hedging since) and the British cabinet received a top-secret intelligence briefing on the likelihood of an Israeli attack.

The Israeli Air Force is also reported to be planning to enlarge its Boeing-707 based aerial refueling tanker fleet, another key

component in Israel's ability to carry out an aerial strike against a target as distant as Iran. The expanded tanker fleet, by providing nearly 2 million pounds of fuel, would allow dozens of Israel F-15 and F-16 warplanes to carry more weapons on this mission.

Israeli officials have consistently challenged the claims of some experts that they lack the military capacity for a successful strike against Iran's nuclear facilities. *

Billionaire

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giver to Birthright Israel.

New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg was the next Jewish person at 20th, with \$22 billion — like Ellison, \$8 billion richer than last year — followed by George Soros at 22nd, up from 35th with \$20 billion.

Google co-founders Sergey Brin and Larry Page were tied for 24th with \$18.7 billion each.

Other Jews to make the top 100 included Facebook founder Mark Zuckerberg at 35th with \$15.5 billion; Brazilian banking and investment mogul Joseph Safra at 52 with \$13.8 billion; Russian steel magnate Roman Abramovich at 68 with \$12.1 billion; and U.S. businessman Ronald Perelman at 69 with

\$12 billion.

Thirteen Israelis made the list, down from 16 last year. Eyal and Idan Ofer became the two newest Israelis on the list, inheriting their fortunes from their father, shipping magnate Sammy Ofer. Israel's richest man died last June after coming in 79th last year with 10.3 billion. Idan Ofer entered the list at 161st with \$6.2 billion and Eyal Ofer was No. 173 with \$5.8 billion.

Carnival Cruise CEO Micky Arison dropped from 62nd to 223rd with \$4.7 billion, just months after one of his cruise ships sank near Italy.

Mexican telecom businessman Carlos Slim Helu and his family topped the list with \$69 billion. *

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could potentially yield as much as 232.2 million barrels of oil, 128.4 million barrels from Gabriella alone, Globes reported. The Gabriella and Yitzhak licenses could also yield up to 1.8 trillion cubic feet of natural gas.

Since 2010, an estimated 25

trillion cubic feet of natural gas reserves have been discovered in two other fields, the Tamar and the Leviathan, off the coast. Despite years of searching and drilling, however, no commercially viable quantities of oil have been found until now. *

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Azerbaijan

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was quoted by the ISNA news agency as saying after meeting his Iranian counterpart Ahmad Vahidi in Tehran, in an apparent attempt to soothe Iranian nerves jittery over neighboring Azerbaijan's increasingly close ties with Israel.

Iran accused Azerbaijan of allowing Mossad agents to operate from Azeri territory in order to gather intelligence on the Islamic Republic.

On February 21, Baku announced it had arrested a number of people with links to Iran and Lebanese Hezbollah that

were planning to attack foreign citizens in the Eurasian nation, though reports did not identify Israeli or U.S. targets.

The state TV report said the suspects had bought weapons including firearms and explosives, and had gathered intelligence on potential targets. The suspects had links to Iran's intelligence agency and to Lebanese Hezbollah.

According to reports, one of those arrested was an Iranian member of the Quds Force. *

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