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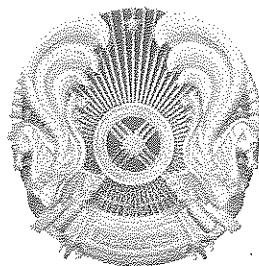
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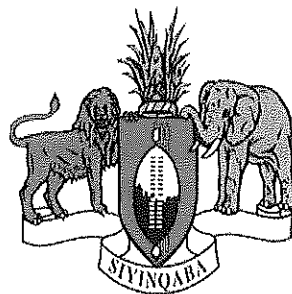
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Le 23 mai 2016



**PERMANENT MISSION
OF THE REPUBLIC OF
KAZAKHSTAN
TO THE UNITED NATIONS**



**PERMANENT MISSION
OF THE KINGDOM OF
SWAZILAND
TO THE UNITED NATIONS**

Excellency,

We have the honor to inform you that the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan and the Government of the Kingdom of Swaziland have decided to establish diplomatic relations between the two countries on 16 May 2016.

We, therefore, kindly request your Excellency to transmit this letter and the Joint Communiqué to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

We take this opportunity to renew to your Excellency the assurances of our highest consideration.

For the Republic of Kazakhstan

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Representative of the Republic of
Kazakhstan to the United Nations

For the Kingdom of Swaziland

H.E. Mr. Zwelethu Mnisi
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Representative of the Kingdom of
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**To His Excellency Mr. Ban KI-MOON
Secretary General of the United Nations
New York**

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**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC
RELATIONS BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN
AND THE KINGDOM OF SWAZILAND**

The Republic of Kazakhstan and the Kingdom of Swaziland, desiring to develop and strengthen relations of friendship and cooperation between the two States and in conformity with principles of equality and sovereignty between States and in full respect of their territorial integrity, have decided to establish diplomatic relations as of the date of signature of this Joint Communiqué, in accordance with the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, dated 18 April 1961, and on the basis of principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations.

In witness thereof, the Undersigned Representatives, Duly authorized by their respective States, have signed this Joint Communiqué in duplicate, each in two original languages Kazakh and English, all texts being equally authentic.


New York, 16 May 2016

For the Republic of Kazakhstan

For the Kingdom of Swaziland



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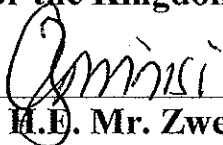
**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC
RELATIONS BETWEEN THE KINGDOM OF SWAZILAND
AND THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN**

The Kingdom of Swaziland and the Republic of Kazakhstan, desiring to develop and strengthen relations of friendship and cooperation between the two States and in conformity with principles of equality and sovereignty between States and in full respect of their territorial integrity, have decided to establish diplomatic relations as of the date of signature of this Joint Communiqué, in accordance with the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, dated 18 April 1961, and on the basis of principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations.

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