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25 April 2011

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La communication ci-jointe, disponible en anglais est transmise aux missions permanentes des Etats Membres de l'Organisation des Nations Unies à la demande des Représentants permanents du Monténégro et de la Trinité-et-Tobago auprès de l'Organisation.

Le 25 avril 2011



New York, April 15, 2011

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that the Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and the Government of Montenegro have established Diplomatic Relations as of today. Attached is a Joint Communiqué we have signed in English, on behalf of our respective Governments to this effect.

We kindly request Your Excellency to have the text of this letter and the Joint Communiqué be circulated as a United Nations document.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.

For the Government of the Republic of  
Trinidad and Tobago

H.E. Mr. Rodney Charles  
Ambassador Extraordinary and  
Plenipotentiary,  
Permanent Representative of the Republic of  
Trinidad and Tobago to the United Nations

For the Government of Montenegro

H.E. Mr. Milorad Šćepanović  
Ambassador Extraordinary and  
Plenipotentiary,  
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H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon  
Secretary General of the United Nations  
New York



**JOINT COMMUNIQUE**  
**on the establishment of diplomatic relations between Montenegro and the**  
**Republic of Trinidad and Tobago**

The Government of Montenegro and the Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, guided by a shared willingness to develop ties of friendship and cooperation;

Both Governments reaffirming their commitment to the principles of the United Nations and of international law, including the sovereign equality of States, territorial integrity and non interference in the internal affairs of another State;

Both Governments being fully convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations corresponds to the interests of both States and will further strengthen international peace and security;

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations at the Ambassadorial level, on a non-residential basis, in conformity with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961 as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué.

Done in New York this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2011 in duplicate in English, both texts being equally authentic.

**For the Government of Montenegro**

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**For the Government of the**  
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