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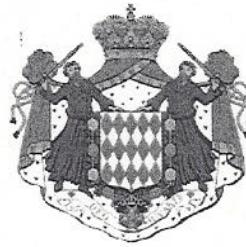
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Le 6 décembre 2011



**Permanent Mission of the Republic
of Palau to the United Nations**



**Permanent Mission of the Principality
of Monaco to the United Nations**

New York, 26 October 2011

Excellency,

I have the honor to inform you that the Government of the Republic of Palau and the Government of the Principality of Monaco have formally established diplomatic relations between the two respective countries as of 26 October 2011.

We should be grateful if the attached Joint Communiqué, together with this note signed on behalf of our respective Governments, be kindly distributed to all Member States of the United Nations.

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

**For the Government of the
Republic of Palau**

H.E. Mr. Stuart Beck
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Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative
of the Republic of Palau
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**For the Government of the
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H.E. Mrs. Isabelle F. Picco

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H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-Moon
Secretary-General of the United Nations
United Nations, New York

JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE PRINCIPALITY OF MONACO
AND
THE REPUBLIC OF PALAU

The Government of the Principality of Monaco and the Government of the Republic of Palau :

Desirous of promoting mutual understanding and strengthening the friendship and cooperation between the two countries ;

Guided by the principles and purposes of the Charter of the United Nations and international law, particularly on the respect for the promotion of international peace and security, equality among States, national sovereignty, independence, international treaties, territorial integrity and non-interference in the internal affairs of States ;

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations, in accordance with the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961, as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué.

In witness thereof, the undersigned Representatives, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué in English and in French, both texts being equally authentic.

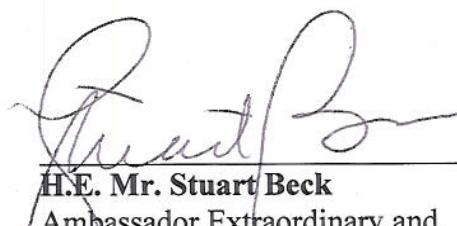
Done in New York on 26 October 2011

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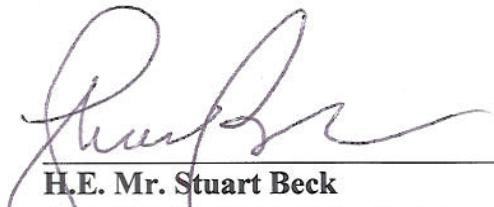
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COMMUNIQUE CONJOINT
PORANT SUR L'ETABLISSEMENT DE RELATIONS DIPLOMATIQUES
ENTRE
LA REPUBLIQUE DES PALAOS
ET
LA PRINCIPAUTE DE MONACO

Le Gouvernement de la République des Palaos et le Gouvernement de la Principauté de Monaco :

Désireux de promouvoir la compréhension mutuelle et le renforcement de l'amitié et de la coopération entre nos deux pays :

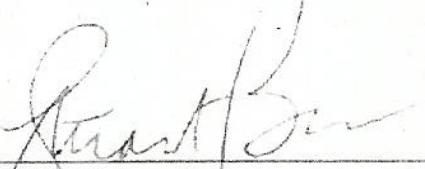
Guidé par les buts et principes consacrés dans la Charte des Nations Unies et le droit international et plus particulièrement sur le respect pour et la promotion de la paix internationale et de la sécurité, l'égalité entre États, la souveraineté nationale, l'indépendance, les traités internationaux, l'intégrité territoriale et la non-ingérence dans les affaires intérieures des États :

Ont décidé d'établir des relations diplomatiques, conformément aux dispositions de la Convention de Vienne sur les relations diplomatiques du 18 avril 1961, à la date de signature du présent communiqué conjoint.

En foi de quoi, les soussignés, représentants dûment mandatés par leur Gouvernement respectif, ont signé le communiqué conjoint en anglais et en français, les deux textes faisant également foi.

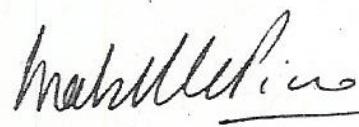
Fait à New York, le 26 Octobre 2011

**Pour le Gouvernement
de la République des Palaos**



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