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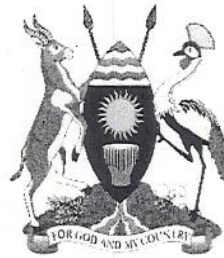
The enclosed communication, available in English, is transmitted to the permanent missions of the States Members of the United Nations at the request of the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of Jamaica and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Uganda.

15 November 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 du Vice-Premier Ministre et Ministre des affaires étrangères et du Commerce international de la Jamaïque et du Ministre des affaires étrangères de l'Ouganda.

15 novembre 2011



New York, 21 September 2011

Excellency,

We have the honor to inform you that the Governments of Jamaica and of the Republic of Uganda have established diplomatic relations as of 21 September 2011.

We request you to transmit the enclosed Joint Communiqué, by which the diplomatic relations were established, to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

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

For Jamaica

For the Republic of Uganda

Honourable Dr. Kenneth Baugh
Deputy Prime Minister and
Minister of Foreign Affairs and
Foreign Trade

Honourable Sam K. Kutesa
Minister of Foreign Affairs
of the Republic of Uganda

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



**Joint Communiqué
On the Establishment of Diplomatic Relations
Between Jamaica
and
the Republic of Uganda**

The Government of Jamaica and the Government of the Republic of Uganda;

Desirous of promoting relations of friendship and cooperation between their respective peoples and countries in the political, economic and cultural fields, both at the national and international levels;

Guided by the purposes and principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations, the 1961 Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, the 1963 Vienna Convention on Consular Relations and other norms of International Law, particularly those pertaining to the mutual respect for independence, sovereign equality, territorial integrity, the promotion of friendly relations, non-interference in the internal affairs of States, and promotion of international peace and security;

Convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations serves the national interests of both States;

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué.

In witness whereof, the undersigned, duly mandated by their respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué.

Done in New York on the 21st day of September 2011.

**For the Government of
Jamaica**

Dr. the Honourable Kenneth Baugh
Deputy Prime Minister and
Minister of Foreign Affairs
and Foreign Trade

**For the Government of
the Republic of Uganda**

Hon. Sam K. Kutesa
Minister of Foreign Affairs