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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 de l'Éthiopie et du Monténégro auprès de l'Organisation.

Le 17 juin 2011



Permanent Mission of
Montenegro
to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of
the Federal Democratic
Republic of Ethiopia
to the United Nations

New York, 10 June 2011

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform Your Excellency that the Government of Montenegro and the Government of the Republic of Ethiopia have established diplomatic relations as of today, 10 June 2011.

We would be grateful if Your Excellency could have this letter and the Joint Communiqué circulated as a document of the United Nations.

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

For the Government of
Montenegro

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Milorad Šćepanović".

H.E. Mr. Milorad Šćepanović
Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of
Montenegro
to the United Nations

For the Government of
The Federal Democratic Republic of
Ethiopia

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H.E. Mr. Tekeda Alemu
Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of
the Federal Democratic Republic of
Ethiopia to the United Nations



JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA
AND
MONTENEGRO

The Government of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia and the Government of Montenegro,

Desiring to develop and strengthen friendly relations and mutually beneficial cooperation between the two states on the basis of equality, mutual respect of sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity and non-interference in their internal affairs;

Convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations between the two countries will help to consolidate international peace and security as well as peaceful coexistence;

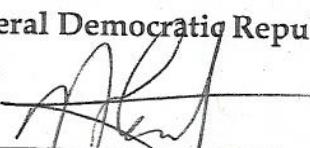
Guided by the principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations and the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961,

Have agreed to establish diplomatic relations at the Ambassadorial level, 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 Montenegrin languages, both texts being equally authentic.

Done in New York on the 10 day of the month of June in the year 2011

For the Government of
The Federal Democratic Republic of
Ethiopia


H.E. Mr. Tekeda Alemu
Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of
the Federal Democratic Republic of
Ethiopia to the United Nations

For the Government of
Montenegro


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**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
MONTENEGRO
AND
THE FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA**

The Government of Montenegro and the Government of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia,

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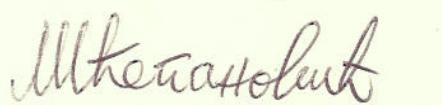
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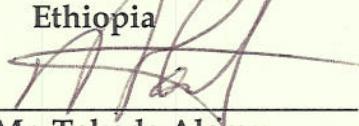
In witness thereof, the undersigned representatives, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué in Montenegrin and English languages, both texts being equally authentic.

Done in New York, 10 June 2011

**For the Government of
Montenegro**


H.E. Mr. Milorad Šćepanović
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and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of
Montenegro
to the United Nations

**For the Government of
The Federal Democratic Republic of
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