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New York, 21 March 2000

Excellency,

We have the honor to inform Your Excellency that the Republic of Cape Verde and the Republic of the Philippines have established Diplomatic Relations as of today, 21 March 2000. Attached are copies of the Joint Communiqué we have signed on behalf of our respective governments to this effect.

We would greatly appreciate it if you would have the attached Joint Communiqué and the text of this letter circulated to all the Member States as an official document of the United Nations.

For the Republic of Cape Verde:

JOSE LUIS BARBOSA LEAO MONTEIRO

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Permanent Representative of the Republic of Cape Verde to the United Nations For the Republic of the Philippines:

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Permanent Representative of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations

H.E. Mr. Kofi Annan Secretary-General of the United Nations

Joint Communiqué on the Establishment of Diplomatic Relations between the Republic of Cape Verde and the Republic of the Philippines

The Republic of Cape Verde and the Republic of the Philippines, guided by mutual willingness to develop fraternal ties of friendship and cooperation in the political, economic, humanitarian and other fields, have decided to establish diplomatic relations as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué.

The two countries agreed to establish their diplomatic relations in accordance with the Vienna Convention of 18 April 1961 on Diplomatic Relations and relevant principles and norms of the United Nations Charter and International Law.

The Republic of Cape Verde and the Republic of the Philippines are fully convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations corresponds to the interests of the two States and will further strengthen international peace and security.

In witness whereof, the undersigned representatives, duly authorized by their respective governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué in two originals, in the English language, all texts being equally authentic.

Done in New York, on 21 March 2000.

For the Republic of Cape Verde:

For the Republic of the Philippines:

JOSÉ LUIS BARBOSA LEAO MONTEIRO

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