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Le 17 juillet 2013



The Permanent Mission of
the Republic of Armenia
to the United Nations



The Permanent Mission of
the Republic of Uganda
to the United Nations

New York, 28 June 2013

Excellency,

We have the honor to inform you that the Governments of the Republic of Armenia and of the Republic of Uganda have established diplomatic relations as of 28 June 2013.

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.

H.E. Mr. Garen Nazarian
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of
the Republic of Armenia
to the United Nations

H.E. Richard Nduhuura
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of
the Republic of Uganda
to the United Nations

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



**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS**

**BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA AND
THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA**

The Republic of Uganda and the Republic of Armenia;

Desirous to promote mutual understanding and strengthen friendship and cooperation between the two countries;

Guided by the principles and purposes of the United Nations Charter and international law;

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations with effect from the date of the signature of this Joint Communiqué under the terms of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961 and the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations of 24 April 1963;

In witness whereof, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed the Joint Communiqué in two original copies in English and Armenian languages, all texts being equally authentic.

Done in New York on 28 June, 2013

FOR THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

FOR THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

H.E. Ambassador **Richard Nduhura**
Permanent Representative to
the United Nations

H.E. Ambassador **Garen Nazarian**
Permanent Representative to
the United Nations