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permanents de la Dominique et de l'Egypte auprès de l'Organisation.

Le 15 juillet 2010



Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of the Commonwealth of Dominica to the United Nations

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt and the Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica have agreed to establish diplomatic relations at the Ambassadorial level as of 07 July 2010.

We kindly request your Excellency to have the enclosed Joint Communiqué circulated to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

Please accept the assurances of our highest consideration.

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Permanent Representative of the Arab Republic of Egypt

to the United Nations

H.E. Mr. Vince Henderson

Permanent Representative of

the Commonwealth

of Dominica

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 Arab Republic of Egypt and the Commonwealth of Dominica

The Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt and the Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica, guided by the mutual willingness to develop friendly relations and cooperation between the two States in political, economic, cultural, humanitarian and other fields, have decided to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level with effect from the date of the signature of the present Joint Communiqué.

The Parties to this agreement agree that their diplomatic relations will be founded on the principles and norms of the United Nations Charter and International Law.

The Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt and the Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica are fully convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations corresponds to the interests of both States and will strengthen international peace and security.

The two Parties further agree that their diplomatic relations should be guided by the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18th April 1961.

Signed in New York on the 7th of July 2010.

For the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt

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H.E. Mr. Maged A. Abdelaziz Ambassador Extraordinary and

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Permanent Representative

For the Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica

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