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10 July 2008

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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'Arménie et des Comores auprès de l'Organisation.

Le 10 juillet 2008

PERMANENT MISSION OF
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TO THE UNITED NATIONS

PERMANENT MISSION OF THE UNION
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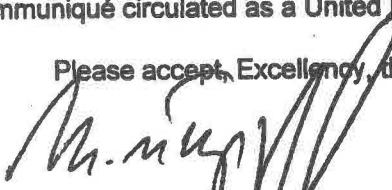
New York, July 2, 2008

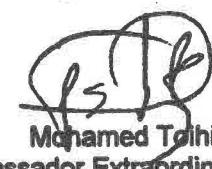
Excellency,

We have the honor to inform you that the Republic of Armenia and the Union of the Comoros established diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level as of today, July 2, 2008. Attached is the Joint Communiqué signed on behalf of our respective Governments to this effect.

We kindly request Your Excellency to have the text of this letter and the enclosed Communiqué circulated as a United Nations document.

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


Armen Martirosyan
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative
of the Republic of Armenia
to the United Nations


Mohamed Tolihiri
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative
of the Union of the Comoros
to the United Nations

His Excellency
Mr. Ban Ki-moon
Secretary General of the United Nations
New York

**JOINT COMMUNIQUE
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF
DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN
THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA AND THE UNION OF THE COMOROS**

The Republic of Armenia and the Union of the Comoros,

Desirous of strengthening the friendly relations existing between the two countries and promoting mutually beneficial cooperation in different fields,

Committed to developing relations between the two countries on the basis of mutual respect and on the basis of the principles of sovereignty, territorial integrity and non-interference in the internal affairs of other State,

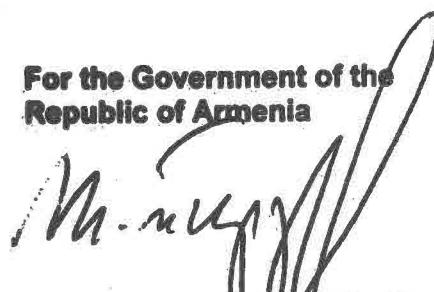
Guided by the principles and purposes of the Charter of the United Nations and the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of April 18, 1961,

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level with effect from the date of signature of the present Joint Communiqué,

In witness thereof, the undersigned Plenipotentiaries, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed the Joint Communiqué.

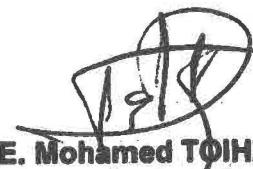
Done in New York, on July 2, 2008 in Armenian and English languages, the two texts being equally authentic.

**For the Government of the
Republic of Armenia**



**H.E. Armen MARTIROSYAN
Ambassador and Permanent
Representative of Armenia
to the United Nations**

**For the Government
of the Union of the Comoros**



**H.E. Mohamed TOIHIRI
Ambassador and Permanent
Representative of Comoros
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