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Le 14 mai 2007



Permanent Mission of the Principality of Andorra to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of Bangladesh to the United Nations

New York, 9 May 2007

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform, Your Excellency, that the Government of the Principality of Andorra and the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh have established diplomatic relations between the two respective countries as of the 9th of May 2007.

We should be grateful if the enclosed Joint Communiqué, which we have signed on behalf of our respective Governments, could kindly be distributed to all Member States of the United Nations.

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

For the Government of the **Principality of Andorra**

H.E. Mr. Julian Vila Coma

Ambassador & Permanent Representative of the Principality of Andorra

to the United Nations

For the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Mr. Muhammad Ali Sorcar Acting Permanent Representative of the People's Republic of Bangladesh to the United Nations

H.E. Mr. BAN Ki-Moon Secretary-General of the United Nations New York



Permanent Mission of the Principality of Andorra to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of Bangladesh to the United Nations

Joint Communiqué on the establishment of Diplomatic Relations between the Principality of Andorra and the People's Republic of Bangladesh

The Government of the Principality of Andorra and the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, guided by mutual desire to initiate and develop ties of friendship and cooperation between the two States in political, trade, economic, cultural, technical and in any other field on the basis of common agreement;

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué, on the basis of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961.

The relations between the two States will be based on the principle and norms among States, respect for their independence, national sovereignty, territorial integrity and non interference in the internal affairs of the States.

The Government of the Principality of Andorra and the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh are convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations between them corresponds to the interests of the two States and contributes to the consolidation of the cooperation among them and of peace in the world.

In witness thereof, as a testimony of this act, the undersigned Representatives, duly authorized by the respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué in Catalan and English, both texts being equally authentic.

Done in New York, May the 9th, 2007

For the Government of the Principality of Andorra

H.E. Mr. Julian Vila Coma
Acting Permanent Representative
of the Principality of Andorra
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For the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

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