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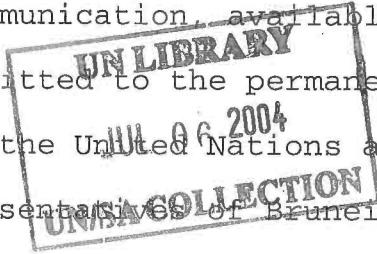
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1 July 2004

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La communication ci-jointe, disponible en anglais et en espagnol, est transmise aux missions permanentes des Etats Membres de l'Organisation des Nations Unies à la demande des Représentants permanents du Brunei Darussalam et du Guatemala auprès de l'Organisation.

1er juillet 2004

**PERMANENT MISSION OF  
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM TO THE  
UNITED NATIONS**

**PERMANENT MISSION OF  
GUATEMALA TO THE  
UNITED NATIONS**

*New York, June 30, 2004*

*Excellency,*

We have the honour to inform Your Excellency that the Government of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam and the Government of Guatemala have established diplomatic relations, as of today, **30 June 2004**.

We, therefore, kindly request Your Excellency that the enclosed Joint Communiqué which we signed on behalf of our respective Governments, be circulated to all Member States as a document of the United Nations.

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

**For the Government of His Majesty the  
Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of  
Brunei Darussalam**

*[Signature]*

**His Excellency  
Mr. Shofry Abdul Ghafor  
Ambassador Extraordinary and  
Plenipotentiary  
Permanent Representative of  
Brunei Darussalam to the  
United Nations**

**For the Government of  
Guatemala**

*[Signature]*

**His Excellency  
Mr. Gert Rosenthal  
Ambassador Extraordinary and  
Plenipotentiary  
Permanent Representative of  
Guatemala to the  
United Nations**

**His Excellency Mr. Kofi Annan  
Secretary-General of the United Nations  
New York.**

**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ  
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS  
BETWEEN  
GUATEMALA  
AND  
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM**

*The Government of Guatemala and the Government of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam, desirous of promoting relations of friendship and cooperation in conformity with the interest and desire of the two peoples, have decided to establish diplomatic relations between the two countries at Ambassadorial level as from 30 June 2004.*

*The two Governments have agreed to develop friendly relations and cooperation between the two countries on the basis of the principles and the objectives enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations and the norms of the International Law.*

*Done in New York on 30 June 2004, in duplicate in English and Spanish, texts being equally authentic.*

*For the Government of  
Guatemala*

*For the Government of His Majesty the  
Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of  
Brunei Darussalam*

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*His Excellency Mr. Gert Rosenthal  
Ambassador Extraordinary and  
Plenipotentiary  
Permanent Representative of  
Guatemala to the United Nations*

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*His Excellency Mr. Shofry Abdul Ghafor  
Ambassador Extraordinary and  
Plenipotentiary  
Permanent Representative of  
Brunei Darussalam to the United Nations*

**COMUNICADO CONJUNTO  
SOBRE EL ESTABLECIMIENTO DE RELACIONES DIPLOMÁTICAS  
ENTRE  
GUATEMALA  
Y  
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM**

*El Gobierno de Guatemala y el Gobierno de Su Majestad el Sultán y Yang Di-Pertuan de Brunei Darussalam, deseosos de promover las relaciones de amistad y cooperación de acuerdo con los intereses y deseos de sus pueblos, han decidido establecer relaciones diplomáticas entre ambos países al nivel de Embajadores a partir de 30 Junio 2004.*

*Los dos Gobiernos han decidido desarrollar las relaciones de amistad y cooperación entre ambos países sobre la base de los principios y los objetivos contenidos en la Carta de las Naciones Unidas y en las normas del Derecho Internacional.*

*Firmado en Nueva York el 30 Junio 2004, en duplicado en español e inglés, siendo ambos textos igualmente auténticos.*

**Por el Gobierno de  
Guatemala**

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**Su Excelencia Sr. Gert Rosenthal  
Embajador Extraordinario y  
Plenipotenciario  
Representante Permanente de  
Guatemala ante las Naciones Unidas**

**Por el Gobierno de Su Majestad  
el Sultán y Yang Di-Pertuan  
de Brunei Darussalam**

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**Su Excelencia Sr. Shofry Abdul Ghafor  
Embajador Extraordinario y  
Plenipotenciario  
Representante Permanente de  
Brunei Darussalam ante las  
Naciones Unidas**