

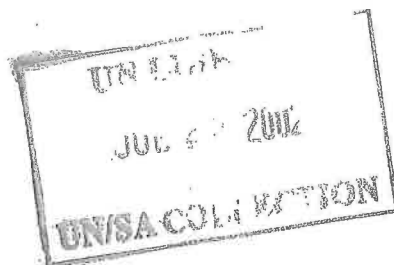
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19 July 2002

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

19 juillet 2002

**Permanent Mission
of the Republic of Seychelles
to the United Nations**

**Permanent Mission
of the Republic of Burundi
to the United Nations**

New York, 15 July 2002

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that the Republic of Seychelles and the Republic of Burundi, in accordance with the purposes and the principles established in the United Nations Charter and with reference to the relevant provisions of the Vienna Conventions that regulate diplomatic and consular relations between states, have decided to establish, as from today, diplomatic and consular relations between them.

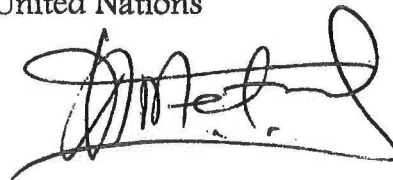
We have the honour, further, to kindly request Your Excellency to transmit this information, with the enclosed Protocol, to the Permanent Missions of all Member States of the United Nations.

We take this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of our highest consideration.

H.E. Mr. Claude Morel
Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative
of the Republic of Seychelles
to the United Nations



H.E. Mr. Marc Nteturuye
Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative
of the Republic of Burundi
to the United Nations



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

JOINT COMMUNIQUE
ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE REPUBLIC OF SEYCHELLES
AND
THE REPUBLIC OF BURUNDI

The Republic of Seychelles and the Republic of Burundi,

Desirous of strengthening the friendly relations existing between the two countries,

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

Desirous also of developing bilateral cooperation in different fields of concern to both countries,

Confirming their commitment to the objectives and principles of the United Nations in consolidating international peace and security,

Have agreed to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level.

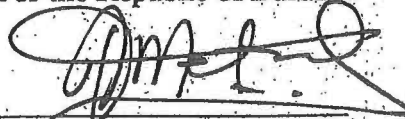
Done in New York, 15 July 2002.

For the Republic of Seychelles



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For the Republic of Burundi



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**ETABLISSEMENT DES RELATIONS DIPLOMATIQUES
ENTRE
LA RÉPUBLIQUE DES SEYCHELLES
ET
LA RÉPUBLIQUE DU BURUNDI

COMMUNIQUE CONJOINT**

La République des Seychelles et la République du Burundi,

Désireuses de renforcer les relations d'amitié et de coopération déjà existantes,

Intéressées par le développement de ces relations sur base du respect mutuel, guidé, par les principes de souveraineté, d'intégrité territoriale et de non ingérence dans les affaires intérieures d'un autre Etat,

Désireuses aussi de développer la coopération bilatérale dans les différents domaines d'intérêt commun,

Confirmant notre engagement aux objectifs et principes de l'Organisation des Nations Unies pour la consolidation de la paix et de la sécurité internationale,

Avons convenu d'établir les relations diplomatiques au niveau des ambassadeurs.

Fait à New York, le 15 juillet 2002

Pour la République des Seychelles

Pour la République du Burundi

**S.E. Monsieur Claude Morel
Ambassadeur Extraordinaire
et Plénipotentiaire
Représentant Permanent de la
République des Seychelles
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