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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 Djibouti et de la Lituanie auprès de l'Organisation.

11 juin 1999

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

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

Wednesday 09 June 1999

Excellency,

**We have the honour to inform you that as from today, 09 June 1999,
diplomatic relations have been established between the Government of the
Republic of Djibouti and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.**

**We kindly request Your Excellency to circulate the enclosed joint
communiqué in English language to the Members States for their
consideration.**

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


**For the Government of the
Republic of Djibouti**

Mr. ROBLE OLHAYE

**Ambassador Extraordinary &
Plenipotentiary
to the United Nations**


**For the Government of the
Republic of Lithuanian**

Dr. OSKARAS JUSYS

**Ambassador Extraordinary &
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to the United Nations**

JOINT COMMUNIQUE
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE REPUBLIC OF DJIBOUTI
AND
THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

The Government of the Republic of Djibouti and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, guided by mutual willingness to develop friendship and cooperation between the two States in political, trade, economic and other fields, have decided to establish diplomatic relations as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué.

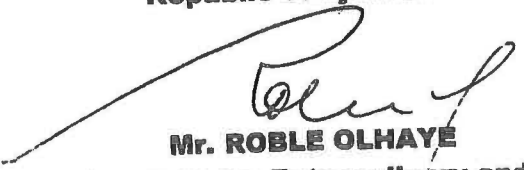
The two countries have agreed to establish diplomatic relations based on the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of April 18, 1961, principles and purposes of the United Nations Charter and principles and norms of the International Law.

The Government of the Republic of Djibouti and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania are fully convinced that the establishment of diplomatic relations corresponds to the interests of both states and will further strengthen international peace and security.


In witness whereof, the undersigned Plenipotentiaries have signed this Joint Communiqué in English language.

Done in New York, Wednesday 09 June 1999

**For the Government of the
Republic of Djibouti**


Mr. ROBLE OLHAYE
**Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative
to the United Nations**

**For the Government of the
Republic of Lithuania**


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