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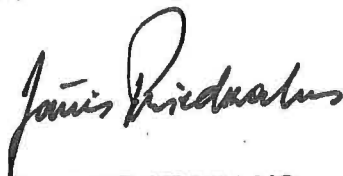
New York, 10 September 1998

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that as of 10 September 1998 the Republic of Latvia and the Republic of Malawi have established diplomatic relations at the Ambassadorial level.

We kindly request Your Excellency to have the enclosed text of the Protocol circulated as an official document of the United Nations to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

Accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.



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His Excellency
Mr. Kofi Annan
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New York

PROTOCOL

ON ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF LATVIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF MALAWI

The Republic of Latvia and the Republic of Malawi, guided by the principles of the Charter of the United Nations, based on the principles of international law, and desirous of promoting relations of friendship and cooperation for mutual benefit between the two nations,

HAVE DECIDED to establish diplomatic relations at the Ambassadorial level.

These relations will be developed in conformity with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961.

This Protocol shall enter into force from the date of signature.

Done in New York on 10 September 1998 in duplicate, each in Latvian and English languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government of the
Republic of Latvia



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For the Government of the
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