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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 la Croatie et des Seychelles auprès de l'Organisation.

9 octobre 1997

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

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

**30 September 1997**

**Excellency,**

**We have the honour to inform Your Excellency that as from today, 30 September 1997, diplomatic relations have been established between the Government of the Republic of Croatia and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles.**

**We, therefore, kindly request Your Excellency to circulate the enclosed Joint Communique to the Member States of the United Nations for their information.**

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

**For the Government of the  
Republic of Croatia**

**For the Government of the  
Republic of Seychelles**



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**JOINT COMMUNIQUE**  
**ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS**  
**BETWEEN**  
**THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA**  
**AND**  
**THE REPUBLIC OF SEYCHELLES**

The Government of the Republic of Croatia and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles, desirous to promote and strengthen relations of friendship and cooperation between the two countries, have decided to establish diplomatic relations at the Ambassadorial level as from 30 September 1997, in accordance with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 1961.

In establishing diplomatic relations, the two countries reiterate their adherence to the principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations.

Done at New York, on 30 September 1997 in duplicate, in Croatian and English, all texts being equally authentic.

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