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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 de l'Erythrée et de l'Ukraine auprès de l'Organisation.

21 décembre 1993

20 December 1993

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that Ukraine and Eritrea have agreed to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level as of 20 December 1993.

We kindly request your Excellency to have the enclosed Joint Communique circulated to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

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



Victor H. Batiouk
Ambassador
Permanent Representative
of Ukraine to the United
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H.E. Mr. Boutros Boutros-Ghali
Secretary-General of the United
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**Protocol
on the establishment of diplomatic relations
between Ukraine and Eritrea**

Ukraine and Eritrea desiring to develop between them the relations of friendship and cooperation, have decided to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level effective from the date of signature of this Protocol.

Both Sides have agreed to develop their relations on the basis of the principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations.

Done at New York, on 20 December 1993, in two copies, in Ukrainian and English languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For Ukraine



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For Eritrea



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