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7 July 1992

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

7 juillet 1992

PERMANENT MISSION OF THE  
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New York, July 6th, 1992.

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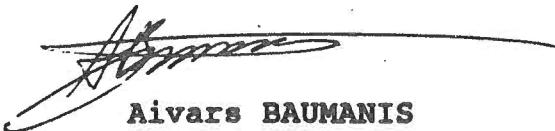
We have the honour to inform you that, as from today, diplomatic relations have been established between the Government of the Republic of Latvia and the Government of Uruguay

We, therefore, kindly request Your Excellency to transmit the enclosed joint statement, both in Spanish and in English, which we have signed on behalf of our respective Governments, to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

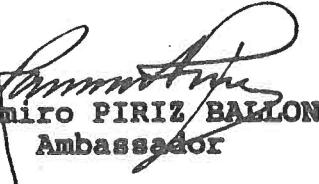
Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.

For the Government of the  
Republic of Latvia

For the Government of  
Uruguay



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JOINT STATEMENT

The Government of the Republic of Latvia and the Government of the República Oriental del Uruguay in accordance with the interests and desires of both peoples have decided to establish diplomatic relations at ambassadorial level as of July 6th 1992.

Both Governments have agreed to develop the friendly relations existing between the two countries based on the principles of mutual respect of their sovereignty and territorial integrity, non aggression, non intervention in the internal affairs, equality and mutual benefit and pacific coexistence.

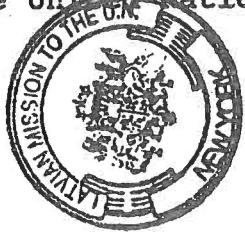
The Government of the Republic of Latvia and the Government of the República Oriental del Uruguay have agreed to exchange non resident ambassadors in accordance with international law and practice.

New York, July 6th, 1992

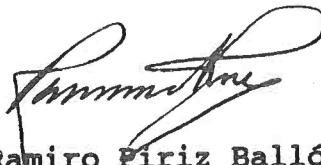
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MISION PERMANENTE  
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MISION PERMANENTE DE LA  
REPUBLICA DE LETONIA  
ANTE LAS NACIONES UNIDAS

**COMUNICADO CONJUNTO**

El Gobierno de la República Oriental del Uruguay y el Gobierno de la República de Letonia, en conformidad con los intereses y los deseos de los dos pueblos, han decidido establecer relaciones diplomáticas a nivel de embajador, a partir de esta fecha.

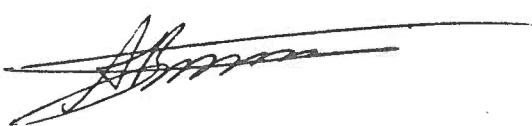
Los dos Gobiernos han convenido en desarrollar las relaciones amistosas entre los dos países sobre la base de los principios de respeto recíproco a la soberanía y la integridad territorial, no agresión, no intervención en los asuntos internos de un país por parte de otro, igualdad y beneficio mutuo y coexistencia pacífica.

El Gobierno de la República Oriental del Uruguay y el Gobierno de la República de Letonia han convenido asimismo, de conformidad con el derecho y la práctica internacionales, designar Embajadores concurrentes.

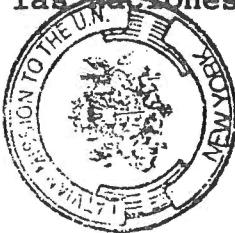
Nueva York, 6 de julio de 1992

POR EL GOBIERNO DE LA  
REPUBLICA ORIENTAL DEL  
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