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TO THE UNITED NATIONS

10th August, 1989

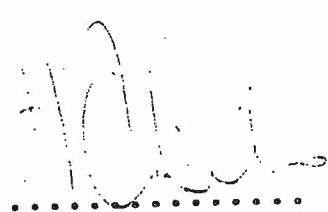
Excellency,


We have the honour to present our compliments to you and to request your kind assistance in having the following text of the joint communique on the establishment of diplomatic relations between the Government of Ghana and the Government of the Republic of Maldives, which is published simultaneously today by the two Governments, circulated as a United Nations document:

"The Government of Ghana and the Government of the Republic of Maldives, guided by the principles enunciated in the Charter of the United Nations and being desirous to establish relations of friendship and mutually beneficial co-operation, have decided to establish diplomatic relations between the two countries at ambassadorial level with effect from Thursday, 10th August, 1989.

For the Government  
of Ghana

For the Government of  
the Republic of Maldives

  
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AMBASSADOR AND PERMANENT  
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