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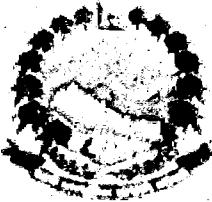
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15 May 2019

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Le 15 mai 2019



**PERMANENT MISSION OF NEPAL  
TO THE UNITED NATIONS**



**PERMANENT MISSION OF THE KINGDOM OF THE  
ESWATINI TO THE UNITED NATIONS**

New York, 09 May 2019

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that the Government of Nepal and the Government of the Kingdom of Eswatini have established diplomatic relations as of today, 09 May 2019.

We would be grateful if Your Excellency could have this letter and the Joint Communiqué circulated as a document of the United Nations.

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

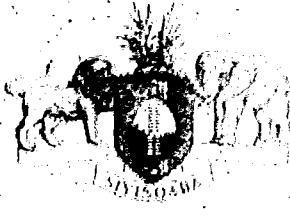
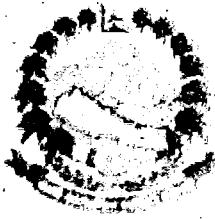
**For the Government of Nepal**

**For the Government of the Kingdom of Eswatini**

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**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ  
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS  
BETWEEN**

**THE GOVERNMENT OF NEPAL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF ESWATINI**

The Government of Nepal and the Government of the Kingdom of Eswatini,

Desirous to promote mutual understanding and strengthen friendship and cooperation between their countries,

Guided by the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law, particularly the respect and promotion of international peace and security, equality among States, due respect for national sovereignty and territorial integrity, independence and international treaties, and non-interference in internal affairs of States,

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations with effect from the date of signature of the present Joint Communiqué under the terms of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961 and the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations of 24 April 1963.

In witness thereof, the undersigned Ministers, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed the Joint Communiqué in two originals, in English and Nepali, all texts being equally authentic.

Done in New York, on 09 May 2019

**For the Government of Nepal**

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