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La communication ci-jointe, disponible en anglais est transmise aux missions permanentes des États Membres de l'Organisation des Nations Unies à la demande des Représentants permanents du Népal et de Sainte-Lucie auprès de l'Organisation.

Le 27 août 2019



New York, 27 August 2019

Excellency,

We have the honor to inform you that the Government of Nepal and the Government of Saint Lucia have established diplomatic relations as of today 27 August 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

H.E. Amrit Bahadur Rai
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative of Nepal to the
United Nations, New York

For the Government of Saint Lucia

H.E. Cosmos Richardson
Ambassador Extraordinary and
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H.E. Mr. António Guterres
Secretary-General of the United Nations
New York



JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF SAINT LUCIA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF NEPAL

The Government of Saint Lucia and the Government of Nepal,

Desirous to promote mutual understanding and strengthen friendship and cooperation between the two 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 at the Ambassadorial level 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, the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations of 24 April 1963, and based on the principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations.

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

Done in New York on 27 August 2019

For the Government of Saint Lucia

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