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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 Chypre et du Honduras auprès de l'Organisation.

11 février 2005

Permanent Representative
of the Republic of Honduras
to the United Nations

Permanent Representative
of the Republic of Cyprus
to the United Nations

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform your Excellency that the Government of the Republic of Honduras and the Government of the Republic of Cyprus have established diplomatic relations as of today, 7 February 2005.

We therefore kindly request your Excellency's assistance in transmitting the enclosed Joint Communiqué, which we signed on behalf of our respective Governments, to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

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

New York, 7 February 2005

For the Government
of the Republic of Honduras

For the Government
of the Republic of Cyprus



H.E. Mr. Manuel Acosta Bonilla
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Plenipotentiary,
Permanent Representative
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Mr. Kofi Annan
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New York

**COMUNICADO CONJUNTO
SOBRE EL ESTABLECIMIENTO DE RELACIONES DIPLOMATICAS
ENTRE LA REPUBLICA DE HONDURAS Y LA REPUBLICA DE CHIPRE**

El Gobierno de la República de Honduras y el Gobierno de la República de Chipre:

Con el propósito de promover un entendimiento mutuo y fortalecer la amistad y cooperación entre sus dos pueblos,

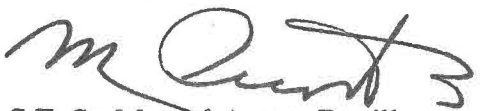
Sobre la base de los principios y disposiciones de la Carta de las Naciones Unidas y el derecho internacional, en particular sobre el respeto y promoción de la paz y seguridad internacionales, la igualdad entre los Estados, la soberanía nacional, la independencia, los tratados internacionales, la integridad territorial y la no interferencia en los asuntos internos de los Estados,

Han decidido establecer relaciones diplomáticas al nivel de Embajadores, de acuerdo con lo establecido en la Convención de Viena sobre Relaciones Diplomáticas, de 18 abril de 1961, a partir de la fecha de suscripción de este Comunicado Conjunto.

En consecuencia, los suscritos representantes, debidamente autorizados por sus respectivos gobiernos, han firmado el presente Comunicado Conjunto en duplicado, en idiomas Español y Inglés, siendo ambos textos igualmente auténticos.

Nueva York, 7 de febrero 2005

Por el Gobierno
de la República de Honduras



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Por el Gobierno
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JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS AND THE REPUBLIC OF HONDURAS

The Government of the Republic of Cyprus and the Government of the Republic of Honduras,

With the purpose to promote mutual understanding and strengthen the friendship and cooperation among their two peoples,

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

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations at ambassadorial level, in accordance with the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of April 18, 1961, as of the date of the signing of this Joint Communiqué.

In witness thereof, the undersigned representatives, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué in duplicate in English and Spanish languages, both texts being equally authentic.

New York 7 February 2005.

For the Government
of the Republic of Cyprus



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