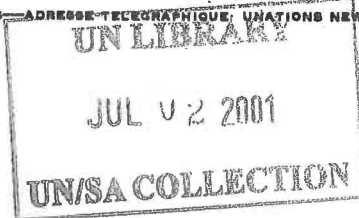


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**New York, 25 June, 2001**

**Excellency,**

**We have the honour to inform Your Excellency that today the Governments of the Republic of Moldova and the Republic of Mauritius have established diplomatic relations. Therefore, we would like to request Your Excellency to circulate the attached Joint Communique as a United Nations Document.**

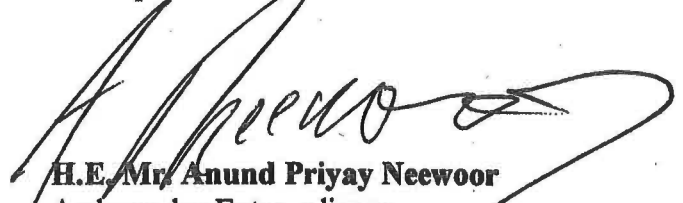
**Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.**

**For the Government of  
the Republic of Moldova**



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**For the Government of  
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**JOINT COMMUNIQUE ON THE ESTABLISHMENT  
OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE  
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA AND THE REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS**

The Government of the Republic of Moldova and the Government of the Republic of Mauritius desirous of promoting relations of friendship and cooperation for mutual benefit between the two nations on the basis of equality, mutual respect of each others' sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity as well as non-interference in the internal affairs of each other,

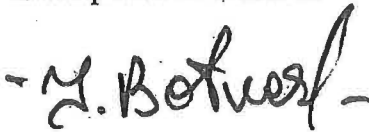
Guided by the principles of the Charter of the United Nations and the principles of international law,

Have decided to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level as from the date of signature of this Communique.

These relations will be developed in conformity with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 1961.

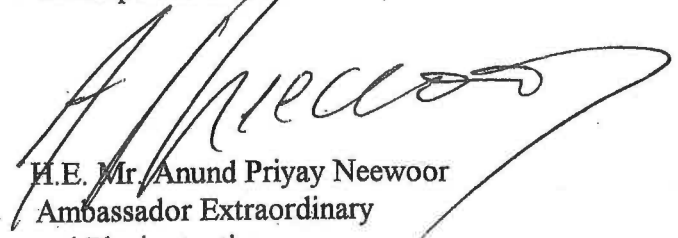
Done in New York, on 25 June 2001, in duplicate, each in English and Moldovan languages, both texts being equally authentic.

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