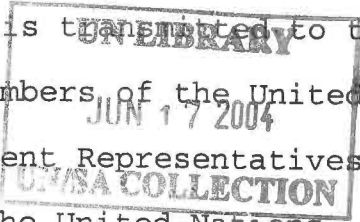


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**PERMANENT MISSION OF  
THE REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA  
TO THE UNITED NATIONS**

**PERMANENT MISSION OF  
THE REPUBLIC OF HONDURAS  
TO THE UNITED NATIONS**

**Excellency,**

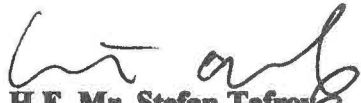
We have the honour to inform you that the Government of the Republic of Bulgaria and the Government of the Republic of Honduras have established diplomatic relations as of May 7, 2004.

We, therefore, kindly request your Excellency to have the enclosed Joint Communiqué that has been signed on behalf of our respective Governments, along with the text of this letter, circulated to all Member States as an official document of the United Nations.

We take this opportunity to renew to your Excellency the assurances of our highest consideration.

**New York, May 20, 2004**

**For the Government of  
the Republic of Bulgaria**



**H.E. Mr. Stefan Tafroy  
Permanent Representative  
of the Republic of Bulgaria  
to the United Nations**

**For the Government of  
the Republic of Honduras**



**H.E. Mr. Manuel Acosta Bonilla  
Permanent Representative  
of the Republic of Honduras  
to the United Nations**

**H.E. Mr. Kofi Annan  
Secretary-General of the United Nations  
New York**

## **JOINT COMMUNIQUE**

**on the Establishment of Diplomatic Relations  
between  
the Republic of Bulgaria and the Republic of Honduras**

**The Government of the Republic of Bulgaria and the Government of the Republic of Honduras,**

Desirous of further developing relations of friendship and cooperation between the two countries on the basis of mutual respect for the principles of sovereignty, territorial integrity and non-interference in the internal affairs of States, in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations,

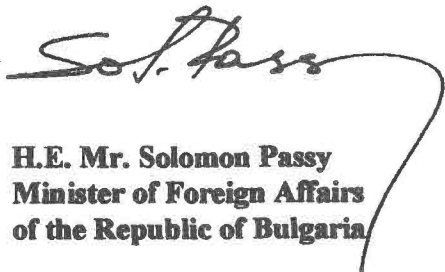
Interested in developing bilateral cooperation in different fields of concern to both countries,

Hereby agree to the establishment of diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level between the two countries in accordance with the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961, as from the date of signing of this Joint Communiqué.

In witness whereof, the undersigned representatives, being duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué.

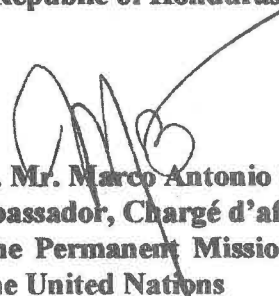
Done in New York on May 7, 2004, in duplicate, in English, Bulgarian and Spanish.

**For the Government of  
the Republic of Bulgaria**



**H.E. Mr. Solomon Passy  
Minister of Foreign Affairs  
of the Republic of Bulgaria**

**For the Government of  
the Republic of Honduras**



**H.E. Mr. Marco Antonio Suazo  
Ambassador, Chargé d'affaires, a.i.  
of the Permanent Mission of Honduras  
to the United Nations**

**COMUNICADO CONJUNTO**  
**de**  
**Establecimiento de Relaciones Diplomáticas**  
**entre**  
**la República de Honduras y la República de Bulgaria**

**El Gobierno de la República de Honduras y el Gobierno de la República de Bulgaria,**

Deseosos de desarrollar las relaciones de amistad y cooperación entre los dos países, sobre base del respeto mutuo, los principios de soberanía, integridad territorial y la no interferencia en los asuntos internos de los Estados, de conformidad con la Carta de las Naciones Unidas,

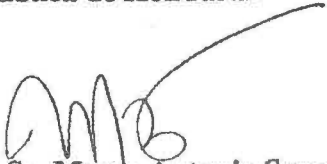
Interesado en el desarrollo de cooperación bilateral en los diferentes areas de interés para ambos países,

Por el presente, acordamos el establecimiento de relaciones diplomáticas, a nivel de Embajadores, entre los dos países, de acuerdo con las disposiciones de la Convención de Viena sobre Relaciones Diplomáticas del 18 de abril, 1961, a la fecha de la firma de este Comunicado Conjunto.

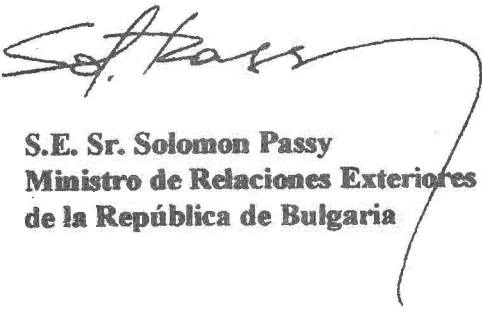
En testimonio de lo cual, los representantes que firman, habiendo sido debidamente autorizados por sus respectivos Gobiernos, han firmado el presente Comunicado Conjunto.

Dado en Nueva York el 7 de mayo, 2004, en duplicado, en inglés, español y bulgaro.

**Por el Gobierno de la  
República de Honduras**

  
**S.E. Sr. Marco Antonio Suazo**  
**Embajador, Encargado de negocios, a.i.**  
**de la Misión Permanente de Honduras**  
**ante las Naciones Unidas**

**Por el Gobierno de la  
República de Bulgaria**

  
**S.E. Sr. Solomon Passy**  
**Ministro de Relaciones Exteriores**  
**de la República de Bulgaria**