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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 la République de Chypre et la République du Soudan du Sud auprès de l'Organisation.

18 décembre 2021



24 September 2021

Excellency,

We have the honour to inform you that the Government of the Republic of Cyprus and the Government of the Republic of South Sudan have established diplomatic relations as of today, 24 September 2021. Attached is a Joint Communiqué in the English language we have both signed on behalf of our respective governments to this effect.

We kindly request your Excellency to have the text of this letter and the Joint Communiqué circulated as a United Nations Document.

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

For the Republic of Cyprus

H.E. Nikos Christodoulides
Minister of Foreign Affairs of the
Republic of Cyprus

For the Republic of South Sudan

Hon. Deng Dau Deng
Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs and
International Cooperation of the
Republic of South Sudan

To His Excellency Mr. António Guterres
Secretary-General of the United Nations
New York



JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN
THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS
AND
THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN

The Republic of Cyprus and the Republic of South Sudan,

Desiring to develop mutually beneficial relations and co-operation between the two countries,

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

Reaffirming their adherence and commitment to the promotion of international peace and security, respect for the sovereignty, territorial integrity and independence of States, and non-interference in their internal affairs,

Have agreed to establish diplomatic relations, at the ambassadorial level, in accordance with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961, with effect from the date of signature of the present Joint Communiqué.

Done at New York, this 24th day of September 2021, in two originals, each in the English language.

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