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Le 20 février 2018



Permanent Mission of Romania to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of Palau to the United Nations

New York, 16 February 2018

Excellency,

We have the honor to inform you that Romania and Palau have established diplomatic relations today, 16 February 2018.

We, therefore, would be grateful if Your Excellency would have this letter and the enclosed Joint Communique circulated as a document of the United Nations.

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

For the Government of Romania,

H.E. Mr. los Jinga

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Permanent Representative of Romania to the United Nations For the Government of Palau,

H.E. Ms. Ngedikes Olai Uludong Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Permanent Representative of Palau to the United Nations

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





## JOINT COMMUNIQUE

## on the establishment of diplomatic relations

## between

## Romania and Palau

Romania and Palau,

Desirous of strengthening the relations of friendship and cooperation between the two countries,

On the basis of the principles and purposes of the Charter of the United Nations and international law, particularly on international peace and security, equality among states, national sovereignity, independence, respect for 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.

Done in New York, on February 16, 2018, in two original copies in English language.

For Romania,

H.E. Mr. Jon Jinga

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Permanent Representative of Romania to the United Nations For Palau,

H.E. Ms. Ngedikes Olai Uludong

Ambassador Extraordinary and

Plenipotentiary Permanent Representative of Palau to the United Nations