



PROTOCOL

On the Establishment of Diplomatic Relations Between the Republic of Malta and the Republic of Madagascar

In order to develop their relations on the basis of the principles of mutual respect for sovereignty, equality, territorial integrity, non-interference in each other's internal affairs, the peaceful settlement of disputes with the purposes and principles established in the United Nations Charter, and with the relevant provisions of the 1961 Vienna Convention that regulates diplomatic relations between States.

The Republic of Malta and the Republic of Madagascar have decided to establish diplomatic relations at Ministerial level as from the date of this Protocol.

Both Parties have agreed that the provisions of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961 shall apply to diplomatic relations between them.

Signed in New York on 22 September 2021 in two originals in the English and French languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Republic of Malta

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