

February 1, 2012

Re: TRANSMISSION OF DOCUMENTS REGARDING EUCLIDE AND GRADUATES

Your Excellency, Dear Ambassador Rice,

We, the undersigned Permanent Representatives of the Central African Republic and of the Union of the Comoros, would be grateful if you could relay the information contained in this letter to the appropriate official at your Permanent Mission for filing and transmission.

Comoros and the Central African Republic are among EUCLID's Participating States, EUCLID being an intergovernmental international organization with a university charter, headquartered in the Central African Republic. The constitutive text is now published in the United Nations Treaty Series (10/2011) under reference I-49006/49007. We are also attaching for information a recent Note Verbale issued by Office of Prime Minister Touadéra.

In view of the current enrollment and near graduation of several government-sponsored students serving in the United States (including Nelly Gicho-Niyonzima, Burundi (wife of the Permanent Representative); Omari Williams, St Vincent (Deputy Chief of Mission in Washington); Elizabeth Foray, Sierra Leone (Information Attaché in Washington), we would be grateful if your Permanent Mission could transmit this letter and information to your UNESCO Commission and Department of International Organization Affairs at the Department of State so that it may be on file for US-based evaluation agencies that EUCLID (Pôle Universitaire Euclide / Euclid University) is duly chartered to confer degrees by its Participating States and

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enjoys full academic accreditation according to its constitutive mandate under international law (Article I).

EUCLIDE is listed by UNESCO/IAU as one of the world's 5 "international universities" since May 2011 but the World Higher Education Database (WHED) used by some agencies does not include "international universities" which is why additional such additional communication may be warranted.

Thanking you in advance for your favorable consideration of this matter, we avail ourselves of this opportunity to renew the assurances of our all our consideration.



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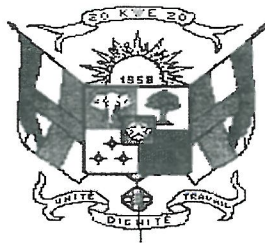
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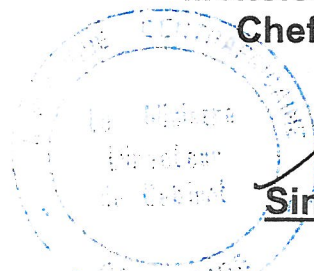
NOTE VERBALE

La Primature de la République Centrafricaine présente ses compliments à l'Association Africaine des Universités et à l'Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie, et souhaite par la présente exprimer le soutien de Son Excellence, Monsieur le Premier Ministre, Chef du Gouvernement, le Professeur **Faustin Archange TOUADERA**, lequel a suivi le dossier EUCLIDE depuis 2005, à la candidature d'EUCLIDE au statut de membre de ces deux associations.

EUCLIDE, une université intergouvernementale accréditée au service de 11 gouvernements, est d'une grande importance pour le rayonnement international de la République Centrafricaine et de sa Capitale, Bangui.

La Primature de la République Centrafricaine saisit cette occasion pour renouveler ses compliments à l'Association Africaine des Université et à l'Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie.

**Le Ministre,
Directeur de Cabinet de Son Excellence,
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NOTE VERBALE

The Office of the Prime Minister of the Central African Republic presents its compliments to the Association of African Universities and to the AUF (Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie) and would like to hereby express the support of his Excellency the Prime Minister **Faustin Archange Touadéra**, who has followed the EUCLID file since 2005, to EUCLID's application to the status of member of these two associations.

EUCLID, an accredited intergovernmental university in the service of 11 governments, is of great importance to the international influence of the Central African Republic and its capital Bangui.

The Office of the Prime Minister of the Central African Republic takes this opportunity to renew its compliments to the African Association of Universities and the Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie.

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New York, February 22nd, 2012

Excellency, Dear Ambassador Rice,

Having taken note of the joint letter sent by my colleagues of the Permanent Missions of Central African and Comoros, I would likewise be grateful if you could transmit the EUCLID-related information to the appropriate officials.

Burundi is a EUCLID Participating State, and I am also attaching for information a copy of the instrument signed by Minister of Foreign Affairs Augustin Nsanze in 2010.

In view of the imminent graduation of a Burundi-sponsored student residing in the United States, (my wife Nelly Gicho-Niyonzima as indicated in the joint letter), I deem it useful to have it on file with relevant US agencies that EUCLID (Euclid University), a public international organization, is authorized to confer degrees by its Participating States according to the intergovernmental agreement on file with the United Nations and enjoys the foreign equivalent of US accreditation.

Thanking you in advance for your kind assistance, I take this opportunity to assure you, Excellency Madam Ambassador, of my highest consideration.

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