

薩摩亞獨立國駐香港特別行政區總領事館在澳門特別行政區執行領事職務問題達成協議如下：

一、中華人民共和國政府同意，自一九九九年十二月二十日中華人民共和國政府恢復對澳門行使主權之日起，薩摩亞獨立國駐香港特別行政區總領事館在澳門特別行政區執行領事職務。

二、雙方將本着協商合作的精神，根據國際法和國際慣例，友好地處理兩國間的領事問題。

上述內容，如蒙大使館代表中華人民共和國政府覆照確認，本照會和大使館的覆照即構成我們兩國政府間的一項協議，並自一九九九年十二月二十日起生效。”

大使館謹代表中華人民共和國政府確認，同意上述照會內容。

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#### 第 81/2011 號行政長官公告

比利時王國政府與中華人民共和國政府以換文方式就比利時王國在中華人民共和國香港特別行政區保留總領事館達成協議。按照中央人民政府的命令，行政長官根據澳門特別行政區第3/1999號法律第六條第一款的規定，命令公佈比利時王國政府照會的英文正式文本及中華人民共和國政府照會的中文正式文本。

根據上述協議，自一九九九年十二月二十日中華人民共和國政府恢復對澳門行使主權之日起，比利時王國駐香港特別行政區總領事館可繼續在澳門特別行政區執行領事職務。

二零一一年十月二十六日發佈。

行政長官 崔世安

Consulate-General of the Independent State of Samoa in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region:

1. The Government of the People's Republic of China agrees that the Consulate-General of the Independent State of Samoa in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region may perform consular functions in the Macao Special Administrative Region as from 20 December 1999 when the Government of the People's Republic of China resumes the exercise of sovereignty over Macao.

2. The two sides shall, in a spirit of consultation and cooperation, handle consular matters between them in a friendly manner and in accordance with international law and practice.

If the above points could be confirmed by the Embassy of the People's Republic of China on behalf of the Government of the People's Republic of China in a note of reply, this note and the note of reply from the Embassy of the People's Republic of China shall constitute an agreement between the two governments and shall enter into force as from 20 December 1999.”

The Embassy of the People's Republic of China hereby wishes to confirm, on behalf of the Government of the People's Republic of China, its agreement to the above points.

The Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Samoa avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Independent State of Samoa the assurances of its highest consideration.

#### Aviso do Chefe do Executivo n.º 81/2011

O Governo do Reino da Bélgica e o Governo da República Popular da China concluíram, por troca de notas, o acordo relativo à manutenção do Consulado Geral do Reino da Bélgica na Região Administrativa Especial de Hong Kong da República Popular da China. Neste sentido, o Chefe do Executivo manda publicar, nos termos do n.º 1 do artigo 6.º da Lei n.º 3/1999 da Região Administrativa Especial de Macau, por ordem do Governo Popular Central, a Nota do Governo do Reino da Bélgica no seu texto autêntico em língua inglesa e a Nota do Governo da República Popular da China no seu texto autêntico em língua chinesa.

Em conformidade com o disposto no referido acordo, o Consulado Geral do Reino da Bélgica na Região Administrativa Especial de Hong Kong pode, desde a data em que o Governo da República Popular da China voltou a assumir o exercício da soberania sobre Macau, em 20 de Dezembro de 1999, continuar a exercer funções consulares na Região Administrativa Especial de Macau.

Promulgado em 26 de Outubro de 2011.

O Chefe do Executivo, *Chui Sai On*.

The Embassy of the Kingdom of Belgium in the People's Republic of China presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China and, on behalf of the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium, has the honour to confirm that, in accordance with Section XI of the Annex I of the Joint Declaration of the Government of the People's Republic of China and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on the Question of Hong Kong and Article 157 of the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China, which stipulates that “Consular and other official missions established in Hong Kong by States which have formal diplomatic relations with the People's Republic of China may be maintained”, the two sides have, through friendly consultations, reached the following Agree-

ment concerning the maintenance of the Consulate-General of Belgium in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China following the resumption of the exercise of sovereignty over Hong Kong by the Government of the People's Republic of China on 1 July 1997:

1. The Government of the People's Republic of China agrees to the maintenance by the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium of its Consulate-General in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China. The consular district of the Royal Belgium's Consulate-General shall be the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region.

2. The Government of the People's Republic of China takes note of the consular function which the Kingdom of Belgium performs in Macao, and agrees to the continuation of this function after the Government of the People's Republic of China resumes the exercise of sovereignty over Macao with effect from 20 December 1999.

3. The Government of the People's Republic of China shall, in accordance with the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations of 24 April 1963 and relevant laws and regulations of the People's Republic of China, accord necessary assistance and facilities to the Consulate-General of Belgium in the exercise of consular functions.

4. The operation of the Consulate-General of Belgium in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region shall be regulated by the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations of 24 April 1963.

Consular matters shall be handled on the basis of equality and mutual benefit and in a friendly and cooperative spirit.

If the above agreement is confirmed by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, on behalf of the Government of the People's Republic of China in a Note of reply, this note and the reply from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs shall constitute an Agreement between the two Governments and shall enter into force on 1 July 1997.

The Embassy of the Kingdom of Belgium in the People's Republic of China avails itself of this opportunity to present to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs the assurances of its highest consideration.

#### 中華人民共和國一九九七年二月三日照會

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中華人民共和國外交部向比利時王國駐華大使館致意並榮幸地收到大使館一九九七年一月二十八日第367號來照，內容如下：

“比利時王國駐中華人民共和國大使館向中華人民共和國外交部致意，並謹代表比利時王國政府確認，根據《中華人民共和國政府與大不列顛及北愛爾蘭聯合王國政府關於香港問題的聯合聲明》附件一第十一部分和《中華人民共和國香港特別行政區基本法》第一百五十七條關於“已同中華人民共和國建立正式外交關係的國家在香港設立的領事機構和其他官方機構，可予保留”的規定，雙方經過友好協商，就一九九七年七月一日中華人民共和國政府恢復對香港行使主權之日起在中華人民共和國香港特別行政區保留比利時總領事館問題達成協議如下：

一、中華人民共和國政府同意比利時王國政府在中華人民共和國香港特別行政區保留總領事館。比利時王國總領事館的領區為香港特別行政區。

二、中華人民共和國政府注意到比利時王國在澳門執行領事職務的情況，並同意自一九九九年十二月二十日中華人民共和國政府恢復對澳門行使主權之日起，比利時王國繼續執行該職務。

三、中華人民共和國政府應根據一九六三年四月二十四日《維也納領事關係公約》以及中華人民共和國有關法律和規定，為比利時總領事館執行領事職務提供必要的協助和便利。

四、比利時駐香港特別行政區總領事館的運作應遵循一九六三年四月二十四日《維也納領事關係公約》的規定。

領事事務本着友好合作精神，在平等互利的基礎上予以處理。

如蒙外交部代表中華人民共和國政府覆照確認上述協議，本照會和外交部的覆照即構成兩國政府間的一項協議，並自一九九七年七月一日起生效。”

中華人民共和國外交部謹代表中華人民共和國政府確認，同意上述照會內容。

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