

Permanent Mission of the Republic of Nauru to the United Nations

7th April 2016

Dear Executive Secretary,

I have the honour to attach herewith a letter dated 1st April 2016, from His Excellency Hon. Baron Divavesi Waqa, President of the Republic of Nauru regarding Communication of Nauru's first Nationally Determined Communication under the Paris Agreement.

Yours sincerely,

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Ambassador/Permanent Representative

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1st April 2016

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Dear Madam,

Subject

Government of Republic of Nauru's satisfaction on Decision 1/CP21, Paragraph 22 on Communication of our First Nationally Determined Contribution

With reference to the UNFCCC 'Message to Parties' dated 9th of March 2016, Reference CF/CFo/kf regarding Communication of first Nationally Determined Contributions under the Paris Agreement, the COP invited Parties to communicate their first NDCs no later than when the party submits its respective instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession of the Paris Agreement. Also the COP further stated that if a party has communicated an intended nationally determine contribution (INDC) prior to joining the Agreement, that party shall be considered to have satisfied the provision of decision 1/CP21, paragraph 22.

The Government of the Republic of Nauru had submitted its INDC on the 17th of November 2015, therefore, does not need to submit its first NDC with the instrument of ratification. The Government of the Republic of Nauru has fulfill the Paris Agreement decision 1/CP21, paragraph 22.

The Government of the Republic of Nauru is informing the UNFCCC Secretariat that we are satisfied with our INDC becoming our first NDC and our INDC can be uploaded to the interim registry of NDCs.

Yours sincerely,

H.E.Baraon Divavesi Waqa

President

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Minister for Climate Chan