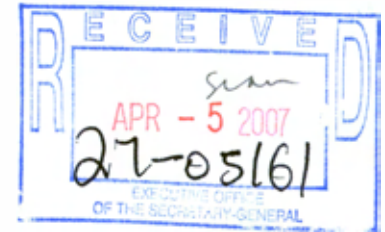
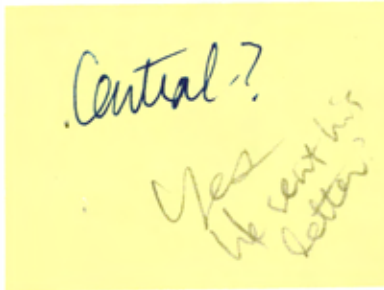


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2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2007

Your Excellency,

On behalf of the Government and, indeed on my own behalf, I wish to congratulate you on your appointment as Secretary General of the United Nations. Your election is a manifestation of the confidence and high esteem we have in you, as it signifies the unanimous recognition by all Member States, including Grenada, of your distinguished merits and your ability to lead the world body.

My Government looks forward to working in partnership with you and to supporting your efforts as you provide leadership to our Organization. You take office at a time when the onerous responsibilities and challenges in world affairs are daunting. It is our hope that we can harmonize and build bridges so that we can fulfill the hopes and dreams that so many people around the world place on the Organization.

I believe that our Organization has a critical role to play in supporting efforts to promote economic growth and human development, to defend human rights, peacekeeping, preventive diplomacy, peace-building, conflict management, and to achieve the Millennium Development Goals.

Locally, Grenada has its own challenges as we continue to build-back-better after the twin devastation of hurricanes "Ivan" and "Emily" that came within a nine month period. We are also simultaneously preparing, like other Member States in the Caribbean Region, to host Cricket World Cup 2007. This is the first time a world-class event of this magnitude is held in the Caribbean Region and we intend to make the most of it.

His Excellency Mr. Ban Ki-moon  
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I have the hope that under your able leadership the United Nations will continue to advance its cause in attaining the required social and economic development in all aspects in the world, particularly in developing countries. I am encouraged by your view of the guideposts which recommends that we strengthen the three pillars of the United Nations – Security, Development, Human Rights, all underpinned by the rule of law – we can build a more peaceful, more prosperous and more just world for succeeding generations.

Grenada is committed, unreservedly, to work together to unlock the full potential of the Organization, its Charter and its 192 Member States. We are confident that Grenada will continue to bring something special to the United Nation's common endeavour.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my commitment and highest consideration



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**Keith C. Mitchell**  
**Prime Minister**



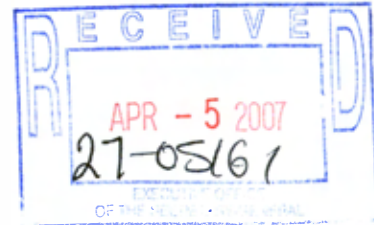
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The Permanent Mission of Grenada to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Executive Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to transmit a letter from Dr. the Right Honourable Keith C. Mitchell, Prime Minister of Grenada, addressed to the His Excellency Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General of the United Nations.

The Permanent Mission of Grenada to the United Nations would greatly appreciate if the said letter can be remitted to its high destination.

The Permanent Mission of Grenada to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Executive Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.

New York, April 03, 2007

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