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Celebrating the Africa Day in the Czech Republic

It is with great pleasure that we are celebrating today the Africa Day in the Czech Republic along with the Czech Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Indeed, our long lasting relations, marked with intense cooperation on all fields, economic, commercial, cultural as well as political and peacekeeping domain has been the highlight throughout the history of our nations. Since establishing Czechoslovakia by president T.G. Masaryk and the establishment of friendly relations coupled with the support for the liberation of Africa has marked for decades this cherished friendly ties.

Today more than ever before the Czech Republic is ever closer to Africa, especially post COVID-19 pandemic impact where our African continent brings about the opportunity for a supply chain proximity guaranteeing the targeted increased growth in the EU and African economies. We are confident that digitalization and job creation formulates the basis of our future cooperation; the Czech Republic being a strong player in cyber technology and digitalization.

On the political and economic relations, we are very glad to witness this year the upcoming summit meeting of the EU and African heads of states, as well as the EU and African Foreign Ministers' meeting, both of which represent promising opportunities to take our cooperation into new horizons reaching growth, development and prosperity between our two continents.

On behalf of the African Group of Ambassadors to the Czech Republic, I wish all African and Czech people a very happy Africa Day.

Sincerely,

Saïd Hindam

Dean of the African Ambassadors