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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of North Macedonia to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the United Nations and has the honor to convey the updated versions of official and short names of the Republic of North Macedonia to be included in the UNGEGN (World Geographical Names Database) and the UNTERM (United Nations Multilingual Terminology Database) databases.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of North Macedonia to the United Nations kindly advises that the short name shall be used for the nameplates of the Member State provided at the conference rooms of the United Nations.

The forms in all official United Nations languages and other attributes required to be included in the country note, as well as in Macedonian language, are herewith enclosed in an attachment to this letter.

The ISO codes are:

ISO Country alpha-2-code MK, ISO Country alpha-3-code MKD

ISO Currency code - MKD

The following clarification should be added as remark in UNTERM:

“* NOTE: The adjectival reference to the State, its official organs, and other public entities as well as private entities and actors that are related to the State, are established by law, and enjoy financial support from State for activities abroad shall be in line with its official name or its short name, that is “of the Republic of North Macedonia” or “of North Macedonia”. Other adjectival references, including “North Macedonian” and “Macedonian” may not be used in all of the above cases.

Other adjectival usages, including those referring to private entities and actors, that are not related to the State and public entities, are not established by law and do not enjoy



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The Permanent Mission further request that the above information be communicated accordingly to all United Nations entities.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of North Macedonia to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration. *ep*

New York, 14 February 2019

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Cc: UNGEGN Secretariat
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Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
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Language	Official name	Short name	Nationality (Citizenship)	Adjectival reference*	Official language
Official language of the Second Party	Република Северна Македонија	Северна Македонија	Македонска-о/ Државјанин-државјанка на Република Северна Македонија	на Република Северна Македонија; or на Северна Македонија; or Македонски-а-о	Македонски јазик
Arabic	جمهورية مقدونيا الشمالية	مقدونيا الشمالية	مقدوني/مقدونية / مواطن/مواطنة من جمهورية مقدونيا الشمالية	من جمهورية مقدونيا الشمالية or من مقدونيا الشمالية or مقدوني/مقدونية	اللغة المقدونية
Chinese	北马其顿共和国	北马其顿	马其顿; / 北马其顿共和国 公民	北马其顿共和国; or 北马其顿; or 马其顿	马其顿语
English	Republic of North Macedonia	North Macedonia	Macedonian/citizen of the Republic of North Macedonia	of the Republic of North Macedonia; or of North Macedonia; or Macedonian	Macedonian language
French	République de Macédoine du Nord	Macédoine du Nord	Macédonien-ne/ Citoyen-ne de la République de Macédoine du Nord	de la République de Macédoine du Nord; or de Macédoine du Nord; or macédonien/ne	langue macédonienne
Spanish	República de Macedonia del Norte	Macedonia del Norte	Macedonio-a/ Ciudadano-a de la República de Macedonia del Norte	de la República de Macedonia del Norte; or de Macedonia del Norte; or macedonio/a	idioma macedonio
Russian	Республика Северная Македония	Северная Македония	Македонский-Македонская/ Гражданин-гражданка Республики Северная Македония	Республики Северная Македония; or Северной Македонии; or Македонский/ая/ое	македонский язык

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Other adjectival usages, including those referring to private entities and actors, that are not related to the State and public entities, are not established by law and do not enjoy financial support from the State for activities abroad may be “Macedonian”. The adjectival usage for activities may also be “Macedonian”. This is without prejudice to the process established by the Final Agreement regarding commercial names, trademarks and brand names and to the compound names of cities that exist at the date of the signature of the Final Agreement.