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Aware of the existing ties of history, race and culture, which from time immemorial have bound together the people of both countries,

prompted by the desire to restore the relations, which were interrupted by accidents of history and to bring about and strengthen close mutual co-operation on matters exclusively affecting both countries consistent with the spirit of the Charter of the United Nations and the principles as enunciated at the Asia-African Conference in Bandung in 1955,

The Federation of Malaya and the Republic of Indonesia

have decided to conclude a Treaty of Friendship and to this end have appointed as their plenipotentiaries :

The Honourable Dato' Abdul Razak bin Dato' Hussein, Prime Minister,
Federation of Malaya.

H.E. Dr. H. Djuanda Kartawidjaja, Prime Minister, Republic of Indonesia.

Who, having examined each other's credentials and having found them good and in due form, have agreed as follows :

Article 1

The two High Contracting Parties shall respect the independence and sovereignty of each other and shall strive to maintain the traditional, cultural and historical ties that have bound them together.

Article 2

The two High Contracting Parties agree to maintain and continue between them diplomatic and consular relations in accordance with international principles and usage and agree that the diplomatic and consular representatives of either Party shall enjoy, on a reciprocal basis, all the rights, privileges, exemptions and immunities accorded to officers of their status and rank in conformity with the generally accepted principles of international law and usage.

¹ Came into force on 30 April 1960, the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification at Djakarta, in accordance with article 8.