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REFERENCE:

PRO/NV/63<sup>rd</sup> GA/Reissue of grounds passes to Permanent Representatives/Observers

The Chief of Protocol of the United Nations presents her compliments to the Permanent Representatives and Permanent Observers to the United Nations and has the honour to inform delegations that the grounds passes for Permanent Representatives/Observers will be reissued at Headquarters. In a recent undertaking, the International Association of Permanent Representatives to the United Nations (IAPR) brought to the attention of the Department of Safety and Security that the design of the grounds pass had made it difficult to distinguish the status of its holders. This concern has been addressed and the Department of Safety and Security in consultation with the Ambassador/President of the IAPR, developed a newly designed grounds pass for the Permanent Representatives. The new grounds passes are ready for distribution and can be picked-up at the Pass and Identification Office in exchange for the existing grounds pass. A representative from the delegation may present the current grounds pass of the Permanent Representative in exchange for the new one.

The Security and Safety Service will distribute the new grounds passes at the Pass and Identification Office which is located on the ground floor of the UNITAR Building, at First Avenue and 45<sup>th</sup> Street, according to the following schedule: from Wednesday, 17 September through Friday, 19 September, from 08:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.; Saturday, 20 September, from 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.; Sunday, 21 September, from 10:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.; Monday, 22 September, from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.; Tuesday, 23 September through Thursday, 25 September, from 7:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.; and on Friday, 26 September, from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.

The Chief of Protocol wishes to avail herself of this opportunity to renew to the Permanent Representatives and Permanent Observers to the United Nations the assurances of her highest consideration.

