

Excellency,

I have the honour and the pleasure to inform you that, on the 26 august 1991, the Government of Romania issued a statement welcoming the proclamation of the independence of the Republic of Letonia.

May I congratulate you and the Government and people of Letonia on this historic decision, which constitutes an act that corrects the injustice made to your country and people as a result of the secret agreements contained in the Molotov - Ribbentrop pact.

Recalling the friendly relations which existed between Romania and the Republic of Letonia in the ineterwar period, the Government of Romania is ready to resume the diplomatic relations and exchange ambassadors at an early date and to develop close relations of friendship and cooperation between our two countries. Best regards.

Adrian NASTASE,

Minister of Foreign Affairs of
Romania

His Excellency
Mr. Jurkans Janis
Minister of Foreign Affairs
of the Republic of Letonia

Rumānijas ārlietu ministra Adriana Nastases nota par valdības 26.08.1991. lēmumu atzīt Latvijas Republikas neatkarību
Fakss. Angļu val.

Note from the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Romania, Adrian Nastase, regarding the Government's decision of 26.08.1991 to recognize the independence of the Republic of Latvia
Fax message.