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AMBASSADOR MUSA A. MOHAMED

In the month of July 2011, H.E. *Ambassador Musa Abdelrahim Mohamed* assumed his responsibilities as *Chargé d'Affaires* of the Republic of Sudan to Canada (Head of Sudan's Mission to Canada)

Ambassador Mohamed is a graduate of the faculty of Economics, U. Of. K. He has over 30 years of public service in different capacities that included:

- The Public Corporation for Livestock and Meat Marketing, Khartoum, Sudan
- Bank of Khartoum, Sudan.
- In 1980, Mr. Mohamed found his calling in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Sudan. He worked his way up the corporate ladder from the rank of *Third Secretary* until he was promoted to the rank of *Ambassador* in 2006.

As a Diplomat, *Ambassador* Mohamed served his country in different postings that helped develop his appreciation of the striking similarities between the members of the Human family. He believes in the role that diplomacy can play in mitigating differences and dispelling misconceptions and prejudices.

FOREIGN POSTINGS

Ambassador Mohamed had the honour of serving his country abroad in:

- Dar es Salam - Tanzania, in charge of consular, cultural, economic and trade affairs;
- Rabat - Morocco, responsible for political, economic and trade affairs;
- Rome - Italy, in charge of consular, economic and trade affairs;
- Beijing – China, in charge of economic, investment, trade and cultural affairs;
- N'djamena, Republic of Chad, Deputy Head of Mission in charge of political, economic and trade affairs;
- Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia, Deputy Head of Mission and in charge of political, economic, investment and trade, administrative and financial affairs;
- Cairo – Egypt, as a Second Ambassador;
- Ottawa – Canada as *Chargé d'Affaires* of the Republic of Sudan to Canada.

MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HEADQUARTERS ENGAGEMENTS

At the Headquarters of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Mohamed worked in the following departments and held the listed titles and/or positions:

- *Third Secretary* in The Economic and Technical Cooperation Department;
- *Third Secretary* in The Protocol Department at the Ministry's Head Quarters;
- *First Secretary* in Western Europe Department (HQ);
- *First Secretary* in The Economic and Technical Cooperation Department (HQ);

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- *First Secretary* in Consular Affairs Department (HQ);
- *Deputy Director*, Western Europe Department (HQ).
- *Deputy Director*, Department of the Americas;
- *Deputy Director*, Consular Affairs Department (HQ).
- *Deputy Director*, Technical Cooperation Department (HQ);
- *Acting Director*, Economic Cooperation Department (HQ);
- *Deputy Director*, Privileges and Immunities Department (HQ);
- *Deputy Director*, European Affairs Department (HQ);
- *Deputy Director*, Ministerial Executive Office (HQ)
- *Acting Director General*, General Directorate of Bilateral and Regional Relations (HQ);
- *Director*, Egypt Affairs Department (HQ);
- *Director*, Human Rights Department (HQ); and
- *Director*, Research Department (HQ).

TRAINING & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Some of the Training and/or Professional Development Programs, Ambassador Mohamed attended were:

1. The Institute of Research and Socialist Studies, Khartoum.
2. Sudan Academy for Administrative Sciences, Khartoum.
3. The Institute of Diplomatic Studies, Cairo – Egypt.
4. The Foreign Service Training Institute, Islamabad – Pakistan: Advanced Diplomatic Course.
5. Study Program in French Language, at The National Institute of Diplomatic Studies, Khartoum.

CONFERENCES & MEETINGS ATTENDED

- Member, Sudan's Delegation to the 39th and 40th Sessions of the African Liberation Movements Coordinating Committee of the Organization of African Unity. 1983, Arusha – Tanzania.
- Member, Sudan's Delegation to the 2nd session of the Governing Council of the Centre of Integrated Rural Development in Africa (CIRDAFRICA). December 1983, Arusha – Tanzania.
- Representative of Sudan to the 3rd Session of CIRDAFRICA Governing Council. May 1984, Arusha – Tanzania.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the Extraordinary Arab Summit. August 1985, Casablanca – Morocco.
- Representative of Sudan to the North Africa Sub-Regional Technical Committee of the Pan African Documentation and Information Systems (PADIS). October 1985, Rabat – Morocco.
- Representative of Sudan in the Extraordinary Session to the Governing Council of the African Training and Research Centre of Administration for Development (CAFRAD). November 1985, Tangier – Morocco.
- Member, Sudan's Delegation to the 16th Conference of the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the Organization of Islamic Conference. January 1986, Fez – Morocco.

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- Member, Sudan's Delegation to the Arab Ministers of Foreign Affairs Meeting. April 1986, Fez – Morocco.
- Representative of Sudan in the Piong Yang second cinema festival for Non - aligned Countries. September 1990, Piong Yang – the People's Democratic Republic of Korea.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the 2nd Islamic Conference of Tourism Ministers. October 2001, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the Special Session of the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers on Terrorism. April 2001, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the Seventh Conference of the Ministers of Endowments and Islamic Affairs. May 2002, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the 13th Non – aligned Movement Summit. February 2003, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the Kuala Lumpur International Conference on Gold in International Trade. September 2003, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the 10th Session of Islamic Summit Conference. October 2003, Putrajaya – Malaysia.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the 40th Session of the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights. November 2006, Banjul – the Gambia.
- Member, Sudan's Delegation to the Second Resumed Session of the Human Rights Council. November 2006, Geneva – Switzerland.
- Member, Sudan Delegation to the Third Session of the Human Rights Council. 29th November – 8th December 2006, Geneva – Switzerland.

RESEARCH PAPERS AUTHORED BY AMBASSADOR MOHAMED

- The Conflict in Afghanistan in Context of Political, Regional and Ethnic Leadings, 1989.
- Sudanese American Relations; the Possibility of Normalization, 1997.
- A Review of Sudanese Malaysian Relations, 2003.

THE MANDATE

Ambassador Mohamed, guided by the Foundation & Principles of Sudan's Foreign Policy in the Post-Peace is committed to furthering the business, economic, and bi-lateral relations between Canada and Sudan to the benefit of their respective citizens and businesses.

He will devote the resources at the disposal of his mission to promote trade, cooperation, and to provide assistance to Canadian Businesses interested in engaging and taking advantage of the rewarding opportunities the new Post-Peace Sudan presents.