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## MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF BHUTAN GYALYONG TSHOGKHANG THIMPHU



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## **PRESS RELEASE**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs is pleased to announce that Mrs. Kunzang C. Namgyel has recently been appointed as Bhutan's Ambassador / Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York.

She is the first woman Foreign Service Officer to be elevated to the position of an Ambassador and the appointment was graciously approved by Royal Kasho on 3 January 2014.

Mrs. Kunzang C Namgyel joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on 1 March 1980 and has served in various capacities including as Director, Multilateral Department, Chief of Protocol at Thimphu, Counselor, Permanent Mission of Bhutan in Geneva and Director SAARC Secretariat, Kathmandu, Nepal.

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