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## VERBAL NOTE

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Hellenic Republic present its compliments to the Embassy of Bulgaria in Athens and in reply to the latter's Verbal Note No. KO-32-371 dated 26/03/2020 has the honor to kindly inform the Embassy that according to the Hellenic authorities, there is no objection to the decision of the Bulgarian Authorities to extend by six months the validity of the Bulgarian identity documents and on the principle of reciprocity, the Republic of Bulgaria would apply the same approach to the Greek citizens who wish to exit the Bulgarian territory.

In this context all competent Hellenic Authorities will be updated accordingly.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Hellenic Republic avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of Bulgaria the assurances of its highest

consideration (4)

Athens, April 10, 2020

The Embassy of Bulgaria In Town