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Fifth from left front, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation alongside senior government officials and private investors at a roundtable on 29th September 2025 in New York

## ZAMBIA ELECTED AS VICE PRESIDENT ON THE UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS EXECUTIVE BOARD - 2026

The Republic of Zambia, through the Permanent Representative to the United Nations, H. E. Dr. Chola Milambo, has been elected as Vice President on the Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS). His nomination was endorsed by the Africa Group at the United Nations in New York.

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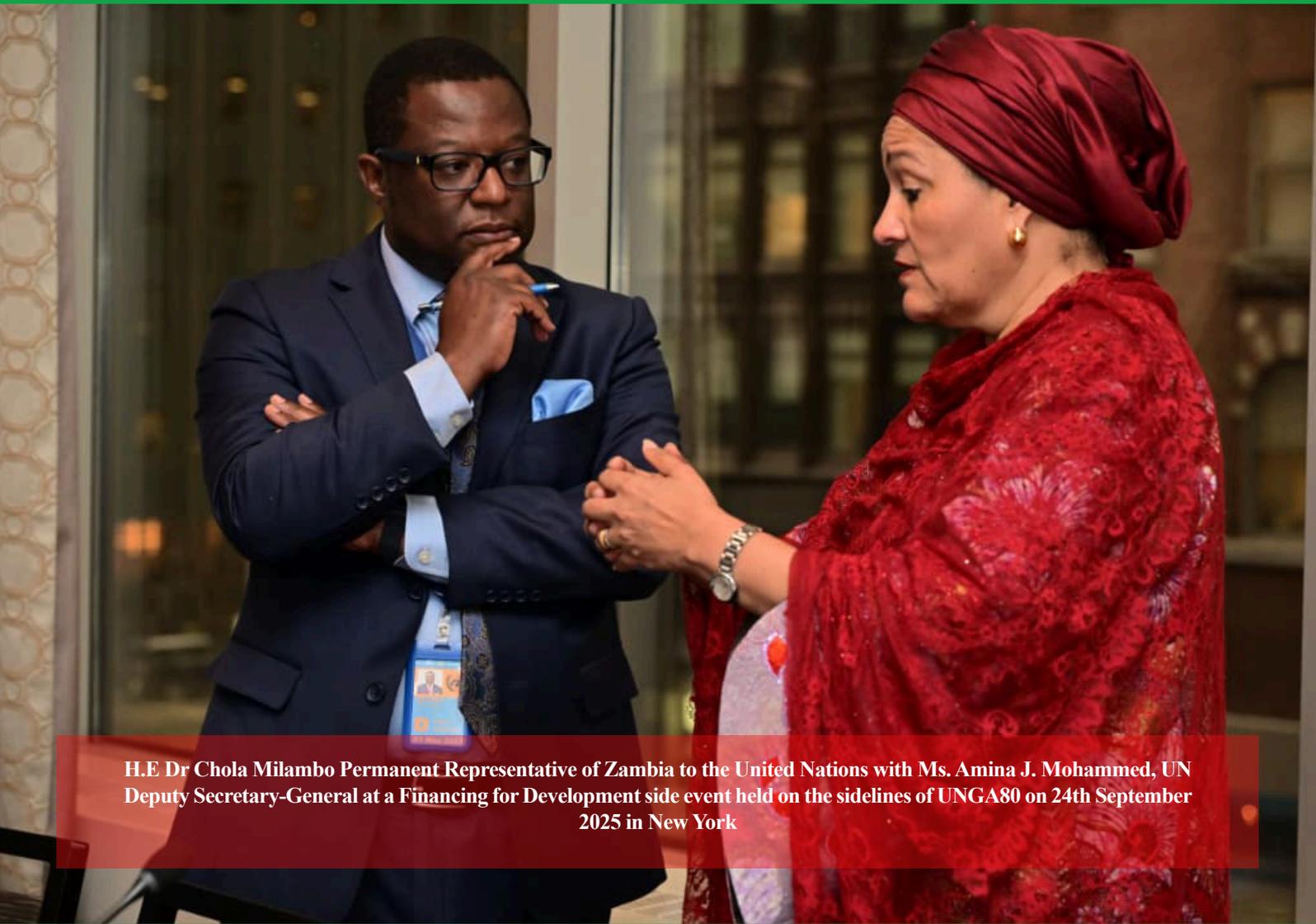
## ZAMBIA OPEN FOR BUSINESS

Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, has reaffirmed that Zambia is open for business, using his participation at the 80th session of the United Nations General Assembly as an opportunity to engage foreign investors and actively pitch Zambia as a preferred investment destination. The engagements, anchored on the country's strong economic reforms and a stable, predictable investment climate, underscored Zambia's readiness to forge transformative partnerships with global investors.

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# HIGHLIGHTS



H.E. Dr Chola Milambo Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations with Ms. Amina J. Mohammed, UN Deputy Secretary-General at a Financing for Development side event held on the sidelines of UNGA80 on 24th September 2025 in New York

## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS AFRICA'S UNITED CALL FOR UN SECURITY COUNCIL REFORM AT C-10 SUMMIT

Zambia has reaffirmed Africa's collective and unwavering demand for urgent and equitable reform of the United Nations Security Council, underscoring the continent's long-standing quest for fair representation in global peace and security decision-making.

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## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS COMMITMENT TO MULTILATERALISM AT NAM MID TERM MINISTERIAL MEETING

Zambia has reaffirmed its strong commitment to multilateralism, South-South cooperation, and the founding principles of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) through its participation in the 19th Midterm Ministerial Meeting of the NAM held in Kampala, Uganda, from 13th to 16th October 2025.

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## ZAMBIA CHAMPIONS REFORM OF GLOBAL FINANCING ARCHITECTURE AT UNGA

Zambia has reaffirmed its strong commitment to multilateralism and reform of the global financing architecture, with the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo H. Haimbe, S.C., M.P., calling for international financing efforts that are closely aligned with national development priorities and deliver tangible, people-centred outcomes.

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## MESSAGE FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE

I take great pride in highlighting Zambia's diplomatic milestones and strategic engagements during 2025. Despite a challenging international environment marked by conflict, humanitarian crises, climate shocks, and constrained global financing, Zambia remained a principled and proactive actor in multilateral diplomacy, economic reform, and sustainable development under the leadership of the President of the Republic of Zambia, Mr. Hakainde Hichilema.

At UNGA80, Zambia showcased its commitment to economic growth and global leadership. Led by Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C. M.P., the country promoted itself as a stable investment destination, advanced partnerships in mining, agriculture, energy, tourism, and infrastructure, and reaffirmed its dedication to multilateralism and UN Security Council reform. Zambia also played a leading role in the African Union Committee of Ten and delivered its General Debate statement to strengthen Africa's voice in global decision-making.

As the UN embarks on an historic reform program, the UN80 Initiative, Zambia will continue to remain engaged, supporting reforms while safeguarding core mandates in peacekeeping, development, and humanitarian action amid ongoing UN financial and operational challenges.

On peace and security, Zambia called for concrete financial and operational



**H.E. Chola Milambo, Ph.D**

commitments to ensure the safety and adequate reimbursement of peacekeepers. In global health diplomacy, the country championed collective action on non-communicable diseases and mental health, reinforcing its commitment to resilient and inclusive health systems.

Zambia's growing international profile was further underscored by its election as Vice President of the Executive Board of the

United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), and the United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) for the 2026 term, positioning the country to influence development policy and advocate for Africa's interests. The election of Constitutional Court Justice Martin Musaluke as a Judge of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal further reflected Zambia's commitment to the rule of law and international justice.

Zambia also advanced global financing reform by championing people-centred implementation of the Financing for Development agenda, reaffirmed its commitment to inclusive development at the Doha Social Summit, strengthened bilateral relations with Lithuania, and established diplomatic relations with the Principality of Liechtenstein.

Looking ahead to 2026, the Permanent Mission of Zambia will remain focused on consolidating these gains, supporting the implementation of global commitments, strengthening economic

diplomacy, and safeguarding Africa's interests within an evolving multilateral system. Anchored on the twin pillars of its foreign policy, Peace, Stability & Security and Economic Diplomacy, Zambia will continue to advance its national priorities and enhance its standing on the global stage.

H.E, Dr. Chola Milambo, Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations delivering acceptance remarks after being elected as Vice President on the Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS).



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H. E. Dr. Milambo, will be part of Bureau of four Vice-Presidents, representing the regional groupings of the United Nations under the Presidency of the Eastern European Group. The Bureau comprises H.E. Mr. Cornel Feruță, Permanent Representative of Romania representing the Group of Eastern European States and President of the Executive Board; H. E. Mr. Brian Wallace, Permanent Representative of Jamaica as Vice President representing the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States; H.E. Mr. Jonibek Hikmat, Permanent Representative of Tajikistan as Vice President representing the Group of Asia-Pacific States; and H.E. Mr. Lauri Voionmaa, Deputy Permanent Representative of Finland as Vice representing the Group of Western European and Other States.

Members of the UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS Executive Board perform the governance and oversight roles, seeking to ensure effectiveness in delivery of the mandates of the agencies, while promoting their sound management and governance. In this regard, Dr Milambo will continue to serve the other functions of the Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations.

In his remarks accepting the Vice Presidency on 12th January 2025 at UN Headquarters, Dr. Milambo expressed gratitude for the support of the Africa Group and entrusting Zambia to represent its interest.

He underscored the need to safeguard the development role of the UN and the importance of the three agencies in focusing on the most needy. Dr. Milambo pledged to support the President of the Board in providing sufficient oversight over the institutions and providing strategic direction of these institutions. He further assured management of Zambia's support in delivering development at the grassroots level.

Zambia's Vice Presidency on the Executive of the Board comes against a backdrop of the UN80 Initiative, a major system-wide reform of the United Nations (UN) that seeks to help the UN adapt to today's complex global challenges by making it more efficient, responsive, agile, and effective in fulfilling its core missions. Zambia will, over the one-year term, advance Africa's interests in the undertakings of the Executive Boards. Zambia is serving the second of its two-year term on the Executive Boards. The other members of the Group of African States on the Board in 2026 are Chad, Côte d'Ivoire, Madagascar, Mozambique, Nigeria, Rwanda and Tunisia.

This election is a recognition of the efforts and leadership of Zambia at the United Nations, particularly in areas of advancing sustainable development, and aligns with the country's Foreign Policy anchored on economic diplomacy.

## FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTER HAIMBE REAFFIRMS ZAMBIA IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS



Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., Zambia's Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation and other senior government officials engage with investors at a Private Sector Roundtable on the margins of the 80th United Nations General Assembly in New York on 29th September 2025

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During a Private Sector Roundtable held on the sidelines of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly in New York on 29<sup>th</sup> September 2025, the Minister underscored Zambia's compelling investment proposition and renewed openness for business. He highlighted that following a challenging period of fiscal distress, the Government undertook decisive actions to restore macroeconomic stability and implement structural reforms.

Hon. Haimbe emphasized that Zambia's policy environment is sound, investor-friendly, and underpinned by strong political will. He noted that the country was not merely seeking capital inflows, but long-term, transformative partnerships grounded in transparency, sustainability, and shared prosperity.

The Minister identified five strategic sectors offering significant investment opportunities: mining, agriculture, energy, tourism, and

infrastructure which he positioned that they would drive inclusive growth and economic transformation.

And the President's Special Adviser for Finance and Investments, Mr. Jito Kayumba, highlighted the Government's visionary leadership in reshaping the economy. He observed that private sector engagement has reached unprecedented levels, reflecting growing confidence in Zambia's reform agenda.

The roundtable brought together senior Government officials and potential investors, fostering constructive dialogue aimed at translating discussions into concrete Memoranda of Understanding and viable investment deals. The engagement reaffirmed Zambia's commitment to building mutually beneficial partnerships and positioning itself as a premier investment destination in the region.

## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS COMMITMENT TO MULTILATERALISM AND GLOBAL SOLIDARITY AT THE 80TH UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation addressing the 80th United Nations General Assembly on 29th September 2025 in New York**

Zambia actively participated in the 80<sup>th</sup> session of the United Nations General Assembly, held at UN Headquarters in New York from 24<sup>th</sup> September to 29<sup>th</sup> September 2025, reaffirming its strong commitment to multilateralism, global solidarity, and UN reforms.

Addressing the General Debate on behalf of Mr Hakainde Hichilema, President of the Republic of Zambia, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Honourable Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, delivered Zambia's national statement under the theme "Better Together: 80 years and more for peace, development and human rights." His address underscored Zambia's vision for a fairer, more effective, and responsive multilateral system.

A central pillar of Zambia's engagement was a strong call for comprehensive reform of the United Nations Security Council. The Minister reaffirmed Zambia's unwavering support for the Common African Position on Security Council Reform, as articulated in the Ezulwini Consensus and the Sirte Declaration, emphasizing the need to expand both permanent and non-permanent membership to better reflect contemporary global realities.

On international peace and security, Zambia condemned war and aggression in all forms and urged parties to conflict to pursue dialogue and diplomacy. Echoing President Hichilema's guiding principle that "instability anywhere is instability everywhere," the Minister highlighted Zambia's continued contribution to regional peace and stability efforts.

The statement also showcased Zambia's domestic reform agenda, including the implementation of free primary and secondary education, the expansion of universal healthcare, and a social cash transfer programme now benefiting over 6.5 percent of households. These achievements were

presented as evidence of Zambia's commitment to inclusive development and human-centred governance.

Zambia further welcomed the UN80 Initiative, noting its importance at a time when the Organization faces significant financial constraints. The Minister underscored that, if well implemented, the initiative could strengthen the UN's effectiveness through mandate review, structural reforms, and programme realignment.

On economic recovery, the Minister highlighted Zambia's progress toward debt sustainability and renewed investor confidence following successful debt restructuring and the implementation of an IMF-supported programme. He also called for urgent reform of international financial architecture to better support developing countries.

Addressing climate change, Zambia urged that COP30 in Brazil must mark a decisive shift from commitments to concrete action. In this regard, the Minister highlighted Zambia's role as co-facilitator of the Sevilla Commitment, which seeks to close the US\$4 trillion annual financing gap for the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

As a Landlocked Developing Country, Zambia welcomed the Awaza Programme of Action and reaffirmed its determination to transform from being "land-locked to land-linked" by prioritizing regional connectivity, trade, and infrastructure development.

Zambia's active participation in the 80th UN General Assembly underscores the country's growing influence and credibility in the multilateral arena. Such high-level engagements provide a vital platform to advance national priorities, strengthen international partnerships, contribute to global policy-shaping, and position Zambia as a constructive and principled voice on issues of peace, development, climate action, and global governance reform.

## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS AFRICA'S UNITED CALL FOR UN SECURITY COUNCIL REFORM AT C-10 SUMMIT



Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, during the Seventh Summit of the African Union Committee of Ten (C-10) on 21st September 2025 in New York

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Speaking on behalf of the President of the Republic of Zambia, Mr. Hakainde Hichilema, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, said this during the Seventh Summit of the African Union Committee of Ten (C-10) on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2025. The Summit marked the 20th Anniversary of the Ezulwini Consensus and the Sirte Declaration, Africa's unified framework for Security Council reform. The Summit was opened by H.E. Dr. Julius Maada Bio, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone and C-10 Coordinator.

Hon. Haimbe emphasized the role of the C-10 as Africa's dedicated mechanism for advancing the Common African Position on Security Council reform, noting that the Ezulwini Consensus and Sirte Declaration remain the continent's definitive and non-negotiable reference points. He stressed that Africa's demand is grounded in historical justice, sovereign equality, and the legitimacy of the multilateral system—not a request for concession.

The Minister reiterated Africa's call for the expansion of both permanent and non-permanent membership of the Security Council to reflect contemporary geopolitical realities. He underscored the urgent need to correct the anomaly whereby Africa—despite comprising 54 UN Member States and featuring prominently on the Council's agenda—remains the only continent without permanent representation.

The Summit brought together C-10 Member States, namely Algeria, the Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Kenya, Libya, Namibia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Uganda, and Zambia. At its conclusion, Members adopted a Communiqué reaffirming their unity and commitment to securing no fewer than two permanent seats for Africa, with all the rights and privileges of permanent membership, including the right of veto, as well as two additional non-permanent seats.

Zambia's engagement at the C-10 Summit reinforces its steadfast commitment to multilateralism and its continued leadership in advancing Africa's collective voice in global governance reform.

## ZAMBIA LEADS LDCS AT UN, CALLS FOR DEBT RELIEF AND TRANSFORMED GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP



**Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P (left front), Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation chairing the annual Ministerial Meeting of the Least Developed Countries on the margins of the 80th session of the United Nations General Assembly on 26th September 2025 in New York**

Zambia demonstrated its leadership on global development issues, as Honourable Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, chaired the Annual Ministerial Meeting of Least Developed Countries (LDCs) held on the margins of the 80th United Nations General Assembly. Under Zambia's chairmanship, the meeting challenged prevailing global narratives by positioning the 46 LDCs not as a burden, but as a powerful engine for achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The high-level meeting, held on 26 September 2025, brought together Foreign Ministers of LDCs, development partners and Friends of LDCs, and was attended by senior UN leadership, including UN Deputy Secretary-General Ms. Amina Mohammed, President of the General Assembly Ms. Annalena Baerbock, and Under-Secretary-General Ms. Rabab Fatima. The meeting concluded with the adoption of a Ministerial Declaration, calling for urgent global action to deliver on the Doha Programme of Action (DPoA).

In his opening remarks, Hon. Haimbe reframed the global discourse on LDCs, describing them as the world's next growth frontier and the greatest hope for success in the SDG decade.

He emphasised that strategic investment in LDCs offers a win-win opportunity for sustainable global development, driven by innovation, solidarity, and strengthened partnerships.

The Minister underscored pressing challenges facing LDCs, including average economic growth of 4.1 percent, below the seven percent SDG target and an external debt burden of US\$585.9 billion. He further referenced the Sevilla Commitment on financing, stressing that international pledges must translate into concrete and timely support.

The Ministerial Declaration adopted called for immediate debt relief, scaled-up climate finance, and renewed commitment to key DPoA deliverables such as food stockholding mechanism and an online university. Ministers reaffirmed their solidarity and invited all partners to engage meaningfully in the DPoA Mid-Term Review in Doha in 2027, as the meeting leveraged momentum from the recent Financing for Development Conference in Seville and ahead of the upcoming Social Development Summit.

## JUSTICE MARTIN MUSALUKE ELECTED JUDGE OF THE UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Constitutional Court of Zambia Justice Martin Musaluke was elected as a Judge of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT) following elections held at United Nations Headquarters in New York on 17<sup>th</sup> November 2025. Justice Musaluke secured 119 votes out of 189 cast by the General Assembly, reflecting strong confidence in his professional competence and judicial standing. The election places Zambia among a select group of Member States contributing directly to the administration of justice within

restorative justice, fairness, and respect for human dignity. His vision emphasizes strengthening confidence in the UN's internal justice system by safeguarding due process, balancing the rights and expectations of staff members, and upholding the ethical standards of the Organization.

Zambia's election to the UNDT is significant and consistent with the country's long-standing foreign policy commitment to multilateralism, the promotion of the rule of law, and the strengthening of international institutions. **By contributing judicial internal accountability mechanisms, Zambia reinforces its role as a responsible global citizen and an advocate for justice, equity, and good governance at international level.**

And Zambia's Permanent Representative to the United Nations, His Excellency Dr. Milambo, in his remarks after the election described Justice Musaluke's election as a notable achievement for the country. He underscored Zambia's dedication to the international justice system and its continued support for the principles of the rule of law within the United Nations.

Justice Musaluke's appointment not only elevates Zambia's profile within the UN system but also reaffirms the country's constructive engagement in global governance and its contribution to strengthening the credibility and effectiveness of international justice institutions.



the United Nations internal justice system. Alongside Justice Musaluke, candidates from Greece, Bulgaria, Albania, and Burkina Faso were also elected. The five judges will serve in a half-time capacity for a single, non-renewable seven-year term commencing in July 2026. With more than three decades of distinguished service in constitutional, administrative, and employment law, Justice Musaluke brings to the UNDT a wealth of experience and a judicial philosophy grounded in the African values of

From left to right, Justice Martin Musaluke, Constitutional Court Judge pose for a Photo with H.E. Dr. Chola Milambo, Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations after the former was elected as a Judge of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal on 17th November 2025 in New York.

## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS COMMITMENT TO MULTILATERALISM AT NAM MIDTERM MINISTERIAL MEETING



Third from left front row, Ms. Margaret Miyoba, Permanent Secretary for Administration at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation pose for a family photo with H.E Yoweri Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda and Chair of the Non-Aligned Movement (11th from left front line) and other high-level delegates at the 19th Midterm Ministerial Meeting of the NAM on 16th October 2025 in Kampala, Uganda.



Ms. Stenah Shampile, Deputy Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations during the 19th Midterm Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on 16th October 2025 in Kampala, Uganda

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The Permanent Secretary for Administration at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Ms. Margaret Miyoba, represented the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., at the Meeting, which was officially opened by His Excellency Yoweri Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda and Chair of the NAM Summit. Zambia's participation underscored its enduring commitment to non-alignment, respect for sovereignty, peaceful coexistence, and collective action in addressing global challenges.

In her intervention, Ms. Miyoba emphasised Zambia's support for the revitalisation of multilateralism and reform of global governance institutions, particularly the United Nations. She highlighted concerns over unequal representation of developing countries in key decision-making bodies like the UN Security Council and reaffirmed Zambia's advocacy for inclusive, fair, and effective global governance that reflects the voice of the Global South.

On peace and development, Zambia reiterated its support for the peaceful settlement of disputes in line with the UN Charter, while underscoring its

commitment to sustainable development, climate justice, and bridging the digital divide, especially in critical sectors such as education, health, and agriculture. Zambia also sought the support of NAM Member States for its candidate to the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT), Constitutional Court Judge Martin Musaluke, who was later elected as member of the UNDT at election held in November 2025 in New York.

On the margins of the NAM Meeting, Zambia advanced bilateral cooperation through a meeting between Ms. Miyoba and His Excellency Mr. Jan Kickert, Austria's Ambassador and Special Envoy on UN Security Council candidature. The discussions reaffirmed the strong Zambia relations with Austria and explored enhanced economic cooperation, including infrastructure development along the Lobito Corridor and scholarship opportunities, further reinforcing Zambia's commitment to mutually beneficial international partnerships.

The Permanent Secretary was joined at the meeting by Ms. Stenah Shampile, Deputy Permanent Representative at the Permanent Mission of Zambia to the United Nations and other senior government officials

## ZAMBIA CALLS FOR GLOBAL SOLIDARITY ON NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASES AND MENTAL HEALTH AT UN HIGH-LEVEL MEETING



**Hon. Elijah Muchima, M.P., Minister of Health during the Fourth High-Level Meeting on the Prevention and Control of Non-Communicable Diseases and the Promotion of Mental Health and Well-being on 25th September 2025 on the margins of UN80 in New York.**

Zambia has reaffirmed its commitment to strengthening global cooperation in addressing the growing burden of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) and mental health conditions, with the Minister of Health, Hon. Elijah Muchima, calling for increased investment and international partnership at the Fourth High-Level Meeting on the Prevention and Control of Non-Communicable Diseases and the Promotion of Mental Health and Well-being.

The meeting was held on 25 September 2025 on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA 80) and brought together Heads of State and Government, ministers, and senior policymakers to assess progress and renew political commitments to combating NCDs—including cardiovascular diseases, cancers, and diabetes—while advancing mental health and psychosocial well-being.

In his statement, Hon. Muchima emphasized that addressing NCDs and mental health challenges is central to Zambia's national development agenda and to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly those related to health, productivity, and human capital development. He noted that NCDs account for over 30 per cent of premature deaths in Zambia, while mental health conditions are increasingly affecting young people and vulnerable communities, including those impacted by climate-related and humanitarian emergencies.

The Minister highlighted Zambia's ongoing implementation of a comprehensive, whole-of-government approach aligned with national health priorities.

prevention and early detection, empowering youth and communities, and leveraging digital health innovations and partnerships to improve service delivery.

Hon. Muchima also acknowledged persistent challenges, including financing gaps, health workforce limitations, and inadequate access to diagnostics and essential medicines at the primary healthcare level. In this regard, Zambia called for enhanced global and regional solidarity to mobilize sustainable financing, expand technical cooperation, and support capacity-building initiatives, particularly for low- and middle-income countries.

Zambia further underscored the importance of integrating NCD and mental health responses into broader climate resilience, disaster preparedness, and emergency response frameworks, recognizing the growing intersection between health, climate change, and humanitarian crises.

The Minister expressed Zambia's full support for the Political Declaration adopted at the meeting and reaffirmed the Government's commitment to its implementation through strengthened national policies, multisectoral collaboration, and inclusive community engagement.

Zambia's active participation in this high-level meeting underscores the country's continued engagement in global health diplomacy and its commitment to shaping international responses that align with national priorities, promote equity, and strengthen resilient health systems for sustainable development.

## ZAMBIA CHAMPIONS REFORM OF GLOBAL FINANCING ARCHITECTURE AT UNGA



**Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation with Ms. Amina J. Mohammed, United Nations Deputy Secretary-General during a high-level Financing for Development side event on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly on 25th September 2025 in New York.**

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He emphasized that effective global partnerships can meaningfully complement domestic initiatives to unlock sustainable and inclusive development, particularly for vulnerable and low-income countries.

Hon. Haimbe made the remarks when Zambia co-hosted a high-level side event on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly in New York, alongside Mexico, Norway, Spain, the United Kingdom, and the United Nations Foundation on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025.

The event, themed “From Commitment to Action – Accelerating the FFD4 Implementation,” aimed to sustain political momentum behind the Sevilla Commitment, a landmark framework endorsed by Heads of State and Government in Spain in July 2025. The Sevilla Commitment provides a coordinated roadmap to bridge the estimated US\$4 trillion global financing gap that continues to hinder the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.

The side event brought together senior global leaders and stakeholders to explore practical pathways for translating commitments into action. High-level participants included the United Nations Deputy Secretary-General, Ms. Amina J. Mohammed; the President of the United Nations Economic and Social Council, Ambassador Lok Thapa; Ministers from Norway, Botswana, and the United Kingdom; and senior officials from the World Bank Group and the International Finance Corporation, alongside representatives from the private sector, civil society, and academia.

The event underscored Zambia’s proactive economic diplomacy and leadership in advancing the Financing for Development agenda. Through its co-facilitation of the Fourth International Conference on Financing for Development and active engagement at UNGA, Zambia continues to champion more inclusive, responsive, and equitable global financing frameworks that support sustainable development and shared prosperity for all.

## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS DEVELOPMENT COMMITMENTS AT DOHA SOCIAL SUMMIT



**Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (right) during the United Nations Second World Summit on Social Development (WSSD2) in November 2025 in Doha, Qatar**

Zambia actively participated in the UN Second World Summit on Social Development (WSSD2) in Doha, Qatar, from 4th to 6th November. Led by Hon. Mulambo H. Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, the delegation included Hon. Doreen Mwamba, Minister of Community Development and Social Services and other senior government officials.

Hon. Haimbe, on behalf of Mr. Hakainde Hichilema, President of the Republic of Zambia, addressed the Summit in which he reaffirmed Zambia's commitment to social justice and inclusive development.

He underscored the need for collective action against global challenges like poverty, climate change, and inequality, aligning national efforts through the Eighth National Development Plan with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and Agenda 2063.

The Minister underscored Zambia's strong support for the summit's Doha Declaration, which reinforced the core pillars of social development: poverty eradication, full employment, and social inclusion. He highlighted the country's focused policies to tackle youth unemployment, rural poverty, and gender inequality.

On the sidelines of the Summit, Hon. Haimbe attended a key side event on financing social development through domestic resource mobilization. There, he reaffirmed Zambia's commitment to the Sevilla Commitment, highlighting comprehensive reforms to strengthen domestic revenue collection and fund social protection programmes for inclusive growth.

And the Hon. Minister held a significant bilateral meeting with Dr. Fahad bin Hamad Hassan Al-Sulaiti, Director General of the Qatar Fund for Development. Discussions focused on ongoing cooperation in health and education. Hon. Haimbe invited Qatari investment, underscoring Zambia's peaceful, stable environment and favourable tax framework, and promoted tourism as a avenue for deeper bilateral ties.

Zambia's participation underscored its steadfast commitment to advancing human development and economic diplomacy. Through these forums, the nation seeks to both reinforce its national social development agenda and contribute to shaping equitable and sustainable global progress.

## ZAMBIA REAFFIRMS COMMITMENT TO COMMONWEALTH UNITY AND REFORM AT MINISTERIAL MEETING



**Ms. Etambuyu Gundersen, Permanent Secretary - International Relations and Cooperation at Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation speaking at the 25th Commonwealth Foreign Affairs Ministers Meeting (CFAMM) on 22nd September 2025 in New York.**

At the 25th Commonwealth Foreign Affairs Ministers Meeting (CFAMM) in New York on 22nd September 2025, Zambia reaffirmed its dedication to the collective values and resilience of the Commonwealth family. Speaking on behalf of the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., Permanent Secretary Ms. Etambuyu Gundersen called for a unified, action-oriented approach to global challenges.

Ms. Gundersen urged member states to leverage shared principles to tackle overlapping crises, including climate change, economic disruptions, and threats to democratic governance. She emphasized the need for strengthened collaboration to ensure all nations, especially small States and Least Developed Countries, have equitable access to finance, fair trade, and crisis support mechanisms.

Zambia committed to advancing core Commonwealth values, calling for sustained efforts to protect democratic institutions, human rights, media freedom, and the rule of law. The Permanent Secretary highlighted the importance of multilateralism and a reformed international system for effective conflict prevention and peacebuilding.

The meeting served to strengthen collaboration on a clear roadmap toward the 2026 Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting (CHOGM). Zambia's delegation, which included H.E. Macenje Mazoka, Zambia's High Commissioner to London, reaffirmed the nation's active role in forging a path of resilience and meaningful reform within the Commonwealth.

## ZAMBIA CALLS FOR COLLECTIVE GLOBAL ACTION ON DEBT AND FINANCIAL REFORM



From left to right, H.E. Dr. Chola Milambo, Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation and Hon. Badr Abdel-Atty, Egypt's Minister of Foreign Affairs at a high level side event on advancing the Non-Creditors' Platform held on 23rd September 2025 in New York

Zambia has reaffirmed its strong commitment to collective international action on debt sustainability and the reform of the global financial system, as the country continues to champion the interests of developing nations on the world stage.

Speaking at a high-level side event during the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly New York, 23 September 2025 –, the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., highlighted how unsustainable debt continues to limit investments in critical sectors such as health, education, infrastructure, and social protection across many developing countries.

The event, co-hosted by Zambia and Egypt, brought together representatives from 16 countries of the Global South and focused on advancing the Non-Creditors' Platform—a new initiative aimed at strengthening cooperation among borrower countries within the global sovereign debt system.

Hon. Haimbe noted that the platform builds on momentum from the Fourth International Conference on Financing for Development (FFD4) held three months ago in Seville, Spain. Zambia played a leading role in the process, working alongside Mexico, Norway, and Nepal to draft the outcome document that led to the adoption of the Sevilla Commitment. The agreement supports the creation of a platform to promote peer learning among borrower countries and amplify their collective voice in international debt discussions.

He stressed that today's evolving global economic challenges require deeper coordination among countries with shared development priorities.

Also addressing the meeting, Egypt's Minister of Foreign Affairs, Hon. Badr Abdel-Atty, warned that rising debt levels, high borrowing costs, and increasing climate-related pressures are slowing progress toward achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). He reaffirmed Egypt's commitment to launching the platform and advancing reforms to the international financial architecture.

Ministers of Finance from Pakistan and Angola expressed strong support for the initiative, calling for a platform that remains agile, practical, and free from excessive bureaucracy. They also urged credit rating agencies to reassess existing assessment models and emphasized the importance of understanding the root causes of recurring debt crises.

Reflecting on the discussions, Ms. Prudence Kaoma, Permanent Secretary (Planning and Administration) at the Ministry of Finance and National Planning, noted the strong convergence among participating countries on the need for a clear roadmap to operationalize the platform, including finalizing its concept note.

Participants agreed on the urgency of implementing the platform, citing its potential benefits for both borrower and creditor countries. They called for accelerated action and looked forward to further engagement during the World Bank Group and International Monetary Fund Annual Meetings, scheduled for 13–18 October 2025.

## ZAMBIA AND LIECHTENSTEIN ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS



From left to right, H.E, Ms. Dominique Hasler, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Education and Sport of the Principality of Liechtenstein and Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C. M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation after signing a joint communiqué which formerly established diplomatic relations between the two countries on 23rd September 2025 in New York

Zambia and the Principality of Liechtenstein formally established diplomatic relations, marking an important milestone in Zambia's expanding bilateral and multilateral engagement. The establishment of relations reflects Zambia's proactive foreign policy aimed at diversifying partnerships and strengthening cooperation with like-minded countries across Europe and beyond.

The Joint Communiqué was signed on 23rd September 2025, on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly in New York, by the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., and Her Excellency Ms. Dominique Hasler, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Education and Sport of the Principality of Liechtenstein.

During the meeting, the two Ministers discussed matters of mutual interest, including opportunities to deepen cooperation in development, education, and capacity-building. Particular attention was given to

strengthening collaboration under the framework of the Liechtenstein Development Service (LED), which has a strong track record of supporting sustainable development initiatives.

Both countries agreed to pursue the signing of an agreement recognizing the Liechtenstein Development Service as a development initiative in Zambia. This step is expected to enhance development cooperation and support Zambia's national priorities in line with its development agenda.

The establishment of diplomatic relations with Liechtenstein underscores Zambia's commitment to constructive international partnerships and reflects the country's broader foreign policy objective of promoting mutually beneficial cooperation that supports sustainable development and people-centred growth.

## ZAMBIA HIGHLIGHTS THE ROLE OF BLENDED FINANCE IN ADVANCING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



H.E. Dr. Chola Milambo (3rd from left), Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations on a high-level panel discussion on the critical role of blended finance in addressing development challenges in September 2025 in New York.

Zambia's Permanent Representative to the United Nations, Dr Chola Milambo actively participated in a high-level panel discussion on the critical role of blended finance in addressing development challenges in an uncertain global environment.

The event, held on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly, was co-hosted by Impact Fund Denmark and PenSam. It brought together policymakers, development finance experts, and private sector actors to explore innovative financing approaches for accelerating progress toward the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

In his remarks, Ambassador Milambo emphasised the growing importance of blended finance instruments in mobilising private capital to complement public resources.

He highlighted the strong potential returns on investment and the effectiveness of blended finance in de-risking projects, particularly in developing countries.

He also underscored Africa's vast economic potential and called for a reassessment of risk perceptions associated with investment on the continent. He highlighted Zambia's ongoing efforts to create a conducive business environment through policy reforms, improved governance, and investment-friendly frameworks.

Zambia's participation in the discussion reflected its commitment to innovative economic diplomacy and its advocacy for financing solutions that unlock private sector participation while supporting sustainable and inclusive development.

## ZAMBIA AND LITHUANIA SIGN MEMORANDUM OF COOPERATION ON BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS



From left to right, Hon. Kęstutis Budrys, Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania with Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation after signing the a Memorandum of Cooperation on the Establishment of Bilateral Consultations on 23rd September 2025 in New York

Zambia and Lithuania signed a Memorandum of Cooperation on the Establishment of Bilateral Consultations, further strengthening diplomatic ties between the two countries and laying the foundation for enhanced cooperation across multiple sectors.

The Memorandum was signed on 23 September 2025 in New York by the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., and Hon. Kęstutis Budrys, Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania, on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly.

The agreement established a formal framework for regular policy dialogue between Zambia and Lithuania, providing a structured platform for exchanging views on bilateral, regional, and global issues of mutual interest. It is expected to deepen political cooperation and

strengthen diplomatic engagement between the two countries. Areas identified for collaboration include energy, infrastructure development, technology transfer, and military cooperation. These sectors align with Zambia's national development priorities and its broader foreign policy objective of leveraging international partnerships to support economic diversification, security, and sustainable growth.

This signing underscored Zambia's commitment to expanding strategic partnerships within Europe and reinforces its active and forward-looking foreign policy, anchored in dialogue, cooperation, and mutual benefit.

## ZAMBIA CALLS FOR GLOBAL ACTION TO TURN LANDLOCKED NATIONS INTO LANDLINKED ECONOMIC HUBS AT LLDC MINISTERIAL MEETING



**Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C, M.P, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation addressing the 24th Annual Ministerial Meeting of Landlocked Developing Countries (LLDCs) on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly on 26th September 2025 in New York.**

Zambia made a powerful call for increased international support and investment to overcome the challenges faced by the world's Landlocked Developing Countries (LLDCs).

Addressing the 24th Annual Ministerial Meeting of LLDCs, held on the margins of the 80th Session of the United Nations General Assembly, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, framed LLDCs as resilient economies with untapped potential rather than perpetual development outliers.

He noted that while high trade costs, infrastructure gaps, and limited market access continued to weigh heavily on LLDCs, these challenges could be overcome through coordinated global action.

Drawing on the vision of the President of Zambia Mr. Hakainde Hichilema, the Minister stressed that being landlocked must not translate into economic isolation.

He outlined a pathway for LLDCs to evolve into land-linked engines of growth by leveraging innovation, investing in infrastructure, and deepening regional integration.

To advance this agenda, Hon. Haimbe presented a five-point action plan calling for; expanded access to concessional financing and debt relief, scaled investment in transport and energy corridors, accelerated technology transfer and digital inclusion, improved trade facilitation to reduce border inefficiencies, and prioritized climate finance for LLDCs, which remain highly vulnerable to environmental shocks.

He maintained that with the right partnerships, LLDCs could become connected, competitive, and resilient contributors to global growth.

The meeting also reviewed progress and provided strategic direction for implementing the 2024–2034 Awaza Programme of Action, building on commitments made at the LLDC3 Conference.

## ZAMBIA GEWEL PROJECT, A MODEL FOR WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT



Permanent Secretary at the Gender Division in the Office of the President, Ms. Mainga Kabika during a high-level side event held on 24th September 2025 on the margins of the 80th session of the United Nations General Assembly.

Zambia showcased the success of the Girls' Education and Women's Empowerment and Livelihoods (GEWEL) as a cornerstone of its national strategy to reduce poverty and address gender inequality, following evidence of significant and sustained impact among women beneficiaries.

Speaking during a high-level side event held on 24th September 2025 on the margins of the 80th session of the United Nations General Assembly, Permanent Secretary at the Gender Division in the Office of the President, Ms. Mainga Kabika reflected on the project's outcomes and acknowledged the support of the World Bank and cooperating partners from Sweden, Germany, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, and Ireland.

She described the partnership as a practical demonstration of shared commitment to social justice and inclusive development.

Central to the project's impact was the Supporting Women's Livelihoods (SWL) component, a targeted cash-plus intervention designed to combine income support with skills development and access to capital.

Findings from an independent evaluation showed that three years after receiving support, beneficiaries recorded a 30 percent reduction in extreme poverty, driven by a 62 percent increase in household income and an 80 percent rise in business profits.

Ms. Kabika noted that beyond statistics, these gains translated into

improved nutrition, increased household stability, and greater agency for women within their communities. The discussions underscored that GEWEL's success stemmed from a collaborative delivery model involving government institutions, international partners, and traditional leadership structures.

Zambia presented the initiative as a blueprint that demonstrated how targeted social protection, when paired with institutional coordination and local ownership, could produce measurable and lasting change.

And World Bank Global Director for Social Protection and Jobs Dr. Iffath Sharif observed that the GEWEL programme illustrated how well-designed social protection systems could strengthen resilience and unlock economic participation, particularly during periods of widening inequality. She emphasized the importance of scaling such approaches through sustained partnerships.

Dr. Chola Milambo, Zambia's Permanent Representative to the United Nations, described the empowerment of women and girls as a fundamental requirement for national development and acknowledged the role of development partners in advancing the GEWEL agenda.

Zambia's Ambassador to the United States, Dr. Chibamba Kanyama, characterized GEWEL as a tested and replicable model that effectively linked social protection, education, and livelihoods to create a sustained cycle of progress. Zambia calls for tangible support to peacekeepers at UN Meeting.

## ZAMBIA CALLS FOR TANGIBLE SUPPORT TO PEACEKEEPERS AT UN MEETING



Maj.Gen Luswepo Sinyinza, Deputy Army Commander and Chief of Staff during the COE meeting on 20th January 2026 in New York

At the opening of the 2026 UN Contingent-Owned Equipment (COE) Working Group held on 20th January 2026 in New York, Zambia urged the international community to translate discussions into tangible deliverables for peacekeeper safety and effectiveness.

Deputy Zambia Army Commander Major General Luswepo Sinyinza made the appeal during the COE triennial session, which sets reimbursement rates for nations contributing troops and equipment to peacekeeping missions.

The COE system is the UN's mechanism for reimbursing countries for major equipment and self-sustainment capabilities. The working group's recommendations directly influence the financial and operational frameworks for future missions, underscoring the high stakes of the current negotiations.

Zambia highlighted pressing operational challenges faced by troop-contributing countries. These include the need for financial

predictability, managing complex logistics in demanding environments, and ensuring adequate reimbursement for deployed capabilities and ammunition replenishment.

Zambia linked this technical discussion to the UN's broader Action for Peacekeeping Plus (A4P+) reform agenda. This connection emphasises that proper equipment is fundamental to improving capabilities, safety, and strategic integration in increasingly complex and threatening mission environments.

Zambia's position reflects a shared regional concern, with other African contributors noting peacekeeping is at a crossroads due to financial constraints.

The outcomes of this working group will directly impact resources in the field and the ability of contributing nations to support global stability. Zambia's active participation reinforced its foreign policy commitment to multilateralism and international peace.

## JEWEL OF AFRICA EXHIBITION SPOTLIGHTS ZAMBIA'S GEMSTONE HERITAGE IN NEW YORK



The Permanent Mission of Zambia to the United Nations transformed its Chancery into a showcase of colour, craftsmanship, and cultural pride when it hosted the annual Jewel of Africa gemstone exhibition, celebrating Zambia's rich endowment of coloured gemstones and the artistry that brings them to life.

The exhibition held on 4th December 2025, brought together Ambassadors, diplomats, business leaders, private sector stakeholders, and members of the Zambian Mission, creating a vibrant space where diplomacy intersected with culture and commerce.

Guests were invited to experience Zambia's gemstone story not only as a natural resource narrative, but as a value-driven industry rooted in skill, heritage, and innovation.

In his remarks, Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations, Dr. Chola Milambo, underscored the country's vast mineral wealth and the importance of value addition in translating natural resources into sustainable economic opportunities. He commended Jewel of Africa for its longstanding partnership with Zambia and for consistently elevating the country's gemstone sector on international platforms.

Dr. Milambo noted that exhibitions of this nature play a critical role in promoting Zambia's economic diplomacy by connecting artisanal excellence with global markets.

The centerpiece of the evening was a curated display of fine jewelry featuring Zambia's renowned gemstones, presented by Ms. Rashmi Sharma, Co-Founder and Gemologist of Jewel of Africa.

Drawing on more than three decades of experience in gemstone sourcing, value addition, and artisan training in Zambia, Ms. Sharma shared insights into the journey of Zambian gemstones from ethical extraction to refined craftsmanship, highlighting the skills of local artisans and the importance of responsible sourcing.

Beyond the visual elegance of the pieces on display, the exhibition served as a platform for dialogue on investment, entrepreneurship, and creative industries. Interactions underscored growing interest in Zambia's jewelry and gemstone industry as both a cultural asset and a viable contributor to economic diversification.

The exhibition highlighted the potential of Zambia's gemstone sector to move beyond extraction toward value addition, global market access, and long-term economic diversification through creative enterprise and partnership.

# VISIT — ZAMBIA

## Top Destinations



### Victorial Falls

Experience the majestic beauty of one of the world's largest waterfalls



### South Luangwa

Discover wildlife like never before in this renowned safari destination.



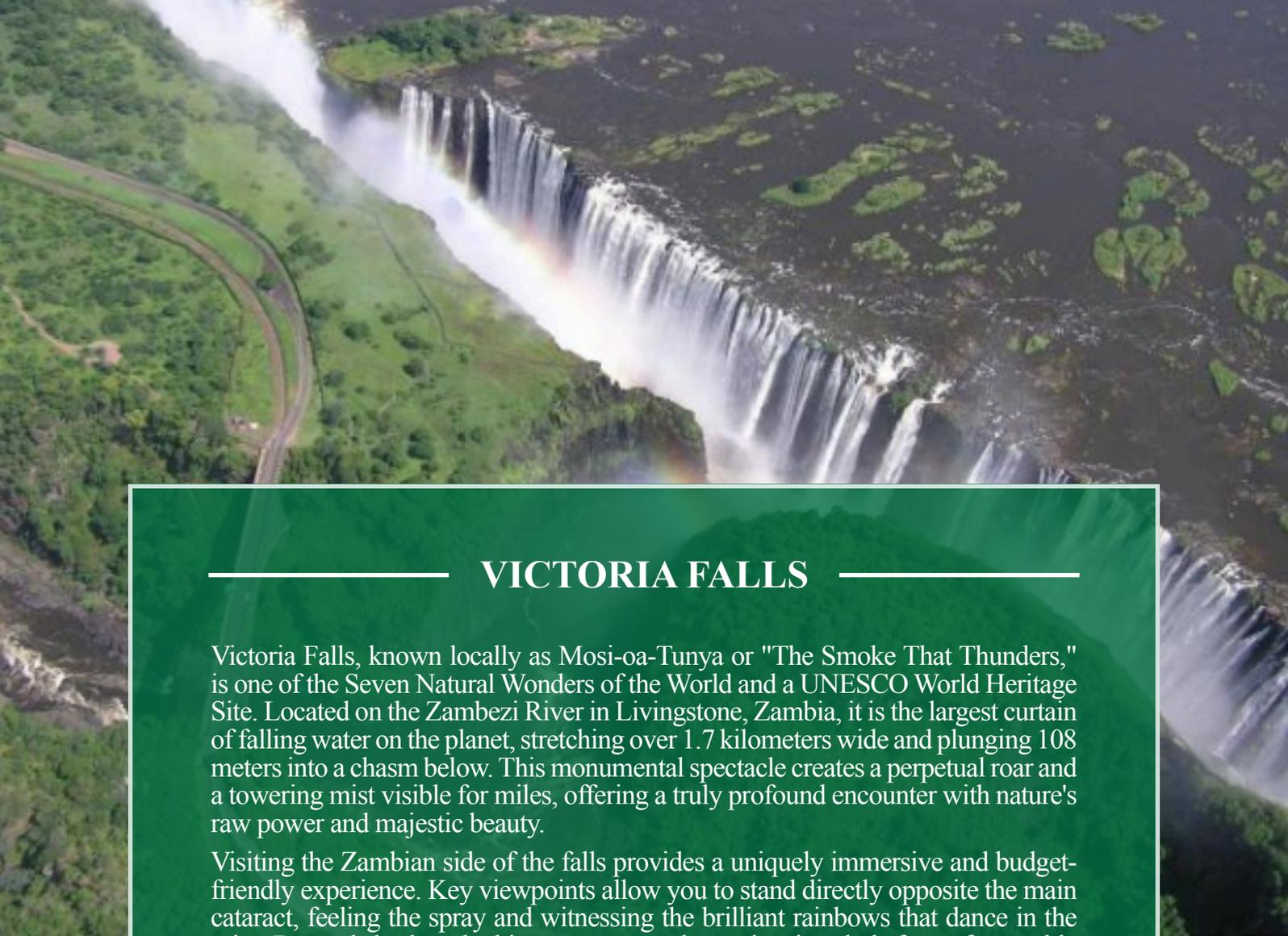
### Lower Zambezi

Embark on thrilling adventures along the breathtaking Zambezi River.



### Kafue National Park

Discover and enjoy wildlife like never before in this renowned great national park.



## VICTORIA FALLS

Victoria Falls, known locally as Mosi-oa-Tunya or "The Smoke That Thunders," is one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Located on the Zambezi River in Livingstone, Zambia, it is the largest curtain of falling water on the planet, stretching over 1.7 kilometers wide and plunging 108 meters into a chasm below. This monumental spectacle creates a perpetual roar and a towering mist visible for miles, offering a truly profound encounter with nature's raw power and majestic beauty.

Visiting the Zambian side of the falls provides a uniquely immersive and budget-friendly experience. Key viewpoints allow you to stand directly opposite the main cataract, feeling the spray and witnessing the brilliant rainbows that dance in the mist. Beyond the breathtaking panorama, the region is a hub for unforgettable activities: from thrilling white-water rafting and scenic helicopter flights to serene sunset cruises on the Zambezi. Adrenaline seekers can swim in the famous Devil's Pool at the very edge of the falls, while wildlife enthusiasts can enjoy game drives in the Mosi-oa-Tunya National Park and guided nature walks along the rainforest paths.

Choosing Zambia for your Victoria Falls adventure offers more than just a visual marvel; it promises a complete and awe-inspiring escape. The combination of the falls' overwhelming sensory experience, the wide array of land- and water-based activities, and the rich cultural context of Livingstone creates an unforgettable journey. From the thunderous roar and rising smoke to the vibrant sunsets over the river, a visit here is a compelling invitation to witness one of Earth's greatest natural wonders in a destination that caters to both wonder and adventure.



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Hon. Mulambo Haimbe, S.C., M.P., Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation and part of Zambia's delegation at the Second World Summit on Social Development in November 2025 in Doha, Qatar



Dr. Chola Milambo, Zambia's Permanent Representative to the UN, with Ms. Beatrice Chilomo and Ms. Angela Kawandami, Permanent Secretaries at the Ministry of Community Development and Social Services, following a meeting to strengthen collaboration on UN engagements on 20th January 2026 in Lusaka



Dr Chola Milambo, Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations (5th from left) joined fellow guests at the Diwali "Power of One" Awards, a moment highlighting the power of individual action to foster global peace at UN Headquarters on 5th December 2025



From left to right, Dr Chola Milambo, Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations, Mr. Silumelum Mubukwanu of Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation with newly elected Judge of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal, Justice Martin Musaluke on 17th November 2025 in New York

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Dr. Chola Milambo (second from left), Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations with other members of the UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS Executive Board

**Mr. Victor Kabwe, Counsellor for Political and Administration at the Permanent Mission of Zambia to the UN (4th from left), engages with Master of Social Work graduate students and their coordinators from Alabama A&M University on 14th October 2025. The visit, part of the students' study abroad program, provided insights into Zambia's socio-economic and cultural development goals, the Mission's work across the six UN Main Committees, and the promotion of sustainable development and human dignity for all Zambians.**





**Dr. Chola Milambo (3rd from left), Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations engages with investors at a Private Sector Roundtable in New York on 29th September 2025.**



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**Ms. Stenah Shampile, Deputy Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations receives a book on peacekeeping from Maj. Gen Luswepo Sinyinza, Deputy Army Commander and Chief of Staff at the Chancery on 20th January 2026 in New York**

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**Ms. Mainga Kabika (5th from left front), Permanent Secretary at the Gender Division, pose for a photograph with senior government officials and guests at a high-level side event on Girls' Education and Women's Empowerment and Livelihoods (GEWEL) held on 26th September 2025 in New York**



**Hon. Elijah Muchima, M.P. (7th from left), Minister of Health and Ms. Mainga Kabika (9th from left), Permanent Secretary at the Gender Division and other delegates at a high-level side event on community-based mental health on 24th September 2025 in New York.**



## UPCOMING UN MEETINGS AND EVENTS

**2<sup>nd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> February**

**Executive Board of UNDP/  
UNFPA/UNOPS, First 2024  
Regular session**

**2<sup>nd</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> February**

**Intergovernmental Negotiating  
Committee on the United  
Nations Framework  
Convention on International  
Tax Cooperation, Fourth  
Session.**

**9<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> March**

**Commission on the Status of  
Women, 70<sup>th</sup> Session**

**2<sup>nd</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> February**

**Commission for Social  
Development, 64<sup>th</sup> session**

**3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> March**

**Statistical Commission, 57<sup>th</sup>  
Session**

**13<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> April**

**Commission on Population  
and Development, 59<sup>th</sup>  
Session**



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