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CHANCERY NOTICE

As of 21 May 2018, His Holiness Pope Francis has appointed His Excellency Archbishop Marek Zalewski as Apostolic Nuncio to the Republic of Singapore, as well as non-resident Pontifical Representative for Vietnam.

This is Archbishop Zalewski's second assignment to Singapore, the first being from 2011-2012 when he served as First Secretary of the Nunciature. Prior to his new appointment, Archbishop Zalewski was the Apostolic Nuncio to Zimbabwe since 31 July 2014.

- Born in Augustów, Poland on 2 February 1963;
- Ordained to the Priesthood in Poland on 27 May 1989;
- Holds a Doctorate in Canon Law from Pontificia Università Gregoriana (Gregorian University)
- Since entering the diplomatic service of the Holy See in July 1995, he has had the following postings:
 - Central African Republic (1995-1998)
 - United Nations Organisation – New York (1998-2001)
 - Great Britain (2001-2004)
 - Germany (2004-2008)
 - Thailand (2008-2011)
 - Singapore (2011-2012)
 - Malaysia (2012-2014);
- Appointed Titular Archbishop of Africa (Mehdia, in Tunisia) and Apostolic Nuncio (Ambassador) to Zimbabwe by Pope Francis on 25 March 2014;
- Besides his native language, he speaks Italian and English

We welcome Archbishop Zalewski back to Singapore and wish him a fruitful term.

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