

12<sup>th</sup> of June 2019 – Russia Day



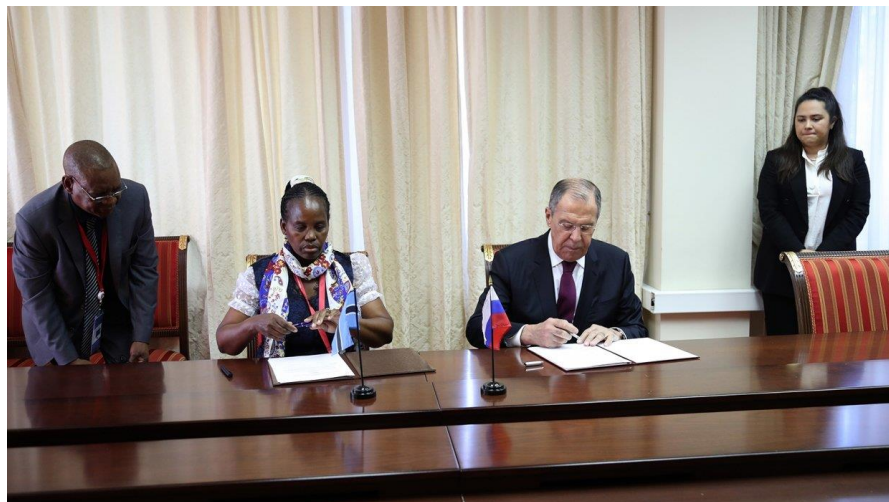
On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, 1990 the first convening of the members of parliament of the Russian Soviet Federative Socialist Republic adopted the Declaration of the state sovereignty of Russia. It also changed the name of the country to Russian Federation



President Putin's speech at the plenary session of the XXIII Saint-Petersburg International economic forum, 7<sup>th</sup> of June, 2019



Representatives of Russia and African countries discussed the potential areas of cooperation during the side event “Business dialogue - Russia – Africa”, XXIII Saint-Petersburg International economic forum



Minister of Foreign Affairs of Russian Federation Sergey Lavrov and Minister of International Affairs and Cooperation of Botswana Unity Dow have signed the Agreement between the government of Russia and Botswana on exemption of visa requirements for the nationals of both countries during the SPIEF'19



18<sup>th</sup> of March, 2019 is the fifth anniversary of the Crimea's return to Russia



Signature of the Treaty, initiating the procedure of the accession of Crimea to the Russian Federation



Festive celebrations on the occasion of Russia Day  
on the Red Square 12<sup>th</sup> of June, 2018



President's Putin address to the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the  
Russian Federation