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Excellency,

Ratification of the Framework Agreement on ASEAN Investment Area.

Reference to the discussion of "The First Meeting of the Coordinating Committee on Investment (CCI), 25-26 February 1999, Manila, Philippines", we would like to inform you that when the Myanmar Cabinet approved our ASEAN Economic Minister to sign the above Agreement, he was also mandated to ratify it. The Agreement became effective upon signing.

Please accept, Excellency, my warm regards.

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