



LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

Peace, Independence, Democracy, Unity, Prosperity

**Deputy Prime Minister,
Minister for Foreign Affairs**

INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

WHEREAS the ASEAN Framework Arrangement for the Mutual Recognition of Surveying Qualifications was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic in Singapore, on 19 November 2007;

AND WHEREAS Article 9, paragraph 2, Stipulates that this framework Arrangement shall enter into force three (3) months after signing by all ASEAN Member Countries and paragraph 3 provides that this Framework Arrangement shall be deposited with the ASEAN Secretary-General, who shall promptly furnish a certified copy thereof to each ASEAN Member Country;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thongloun SISOU LITH, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, declare that the Lao People's Democratic Republic, having considered the above-mentioned Arrangement, accepts the same and undertakes to faithfully perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed, and affixed my seal to, this Instrument of Acceptance at Vientiane, Lao People's Democratic Republic, on 9 June 2008. *u*

Dr. Thongloun SISOU LITH
Deputy Prime Minister and
Minister of Foreign Affairs



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Ministry of Foreign Affairs

No. 020 /AE-TD.2
Vientiane, 10 June 2008

H.E.Dr. Surin Pitsuwan
Secretary-General of ASEAN
Jakarta, Indonesia

Excellency,

Ref: Acceptance by the Lao People's Democratic Republic for the ASEAN Framework Arrangement for the Mutual Recognition of Surveying Qualifications.

On behalf of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, I present my compliments to the Secretary-General of ASEAN and have the honour to forward herewith to Your Excellency the original copy of the Instrument of Acceptance by the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, dated 09 June 2008, of the ASEAN Framework Arrangement for the Mutual Recognition of Surveying Qualifications, which was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, in Singapore, on 19 November 2007;

This original document is submitted to the Secretary-General of the ASEAN in accordance with the provision of the Article 9(3) of the Arrangement. The Secretary-General is also requested to notify all other State Parties to this Memorandum of Understanding of this Acceptance by the Lao PDR in due course.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration. *a*

Dr. Khiane PHANSOURIVONG
Director-General
Department of ASEAN



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Embassy of the Lao People's
Democratic Republic
Jakarta

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The Embassy of the Lao People's Democratic Republic presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat and has the honour to enclose herewith the following letters:

1. The letter of Dr. Khiane PHANSOURIVONG, No. 020/AE-TD.2, dated 10 June 2008 addressed to H.E. Dr. Surin PITSUWAN, Secretary-General of ASEAN on Acceptance by the Lao People's Democratic Republic for the Framework Agreement for the Mutual Recognition of Surveying Qualifications.
2. The Original Copy of the Instrument of Acceptance by the Lao People's Democratic Republic, dated 9 June 2008, for the Framework Agreement for the Mutual Recognition of Surveying Qualifications, signed by H.E. Dr. Thongloun SISOULITH, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The Embassy of the Lao People's Democratic Republic avails itself of this opportunity to renew to ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Jakarta, 20 August 2008



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