



LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

Peace, Independence, Democracy, Unity, Prosperity

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

INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

to the Memorandum of Understanding on Establishing the ASEAN-Korea Centre between the Member Countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Republic of Korea.

WHEREAS the Memorandum of Understanding on Establishing the ASEAN-Korea Centre between the Member Countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Republic of Korea was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic at Singapore, on 21st November 2007;

AND WHEREAS Article 26 stipulates that this MOU shall enter into force 30 days after the date of the last deposit of the instruments of ratification or acceptance by all ASEAN Member Countries and the Republic of Korea. It shall remain in force until it is terminated under Article 27 of this MOU;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thongloun SISOU LITH, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, declare that the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, having considered the above-mentioned MOU, 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 8 February 2008.^{kh}

Thongloun SISOU LITH