



MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM

INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

WHEREAS, the Protocol to Amend the Framework Agreement on the ASEAN Investment Area, done at Hanoi on 14 September 2001,

AND WHEREAS, Article 5 provides that the said Protocol shall enter into force upon the deposit of instruments of ratification or acceptance by all signatory governments with the Secretary-General of ASEAN,

NOW THEREFORE, the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam, having considered the above mentioned Protocol, accepts the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out all the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Nguyen Dy Nien, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam have signed and sealed this instrument of acceptance.

DONE at Hanoi, on 24 September 2002.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dy Nien", with a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

NGUYEN DY NIEN
MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS