

No. 0805/950

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Sri Ayudhya Road, Bangkok 10400.

31 October B.E. 2553 (2010)

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to paragraph 1 of Article XXV of the Memorandum of Understanding on Establishing the ASEAN – China Centre between the Governments of the Member States of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Government of the People's Republic of China, done at Cha-Am, Hua Hin, Thailand, on 25 October 2009, which stipulates that "After the completion of its internal legal procedures for the entry into force of this Memorandum of Understanding, each ASEAN Member State shall give written notification to the Secretary-General of ASEAN, who shall, immediately notify China when all of the ASEAN Member States have finished the said procedures."

In this connection, I have further the honour to inform Your Excellency that the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand has completed its internal legal procedures for the entry into force of this Memorandum of Understanding.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

(Kasit Piromya)

Minister of Foreign Affairs of Thailand

His Excellency

Dr. Surin Pitsuwan,

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The Permanent Mission of Thailand to ASEAN presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat and, with reference to paragraph 1 of Article XXV of the Memorandum of Understanding on Establishing the ASEAN-China Centre between the Governments of the Member States of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Government of the People's Republic of China, has the honour to transmit herewith the Letter No. 0805/950, dated 31 October B.E. 2553 (2010) from the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Thailand, notifying the Secretary-General of ASEAN that the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand has completed its internal legal procedures for the entry into force of this Memorandum of Understanding.

The Permanent Mission of Thailand to ASEAN avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the ASEAN Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

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