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The Permanent Mission of Brunei Darussalam to ASEAN presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat and has the honour to refer to the ASEAN Convention on Counter Terrorism signed on 13 January 2007 in Cebu, Philippines.

The Permanent Mission of Brunei Darussalam to ASEAN has the further honour to notify the ASEAN Secretariat, that in accordance with Paragraph 1 of Article XX of the Convention which provides that it shall be subject to ratification or approval by all ASEAN Member States in accordance with their internal procedures, the Government of Brunei Darussalam hereby ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained subject to the following declarations under Article II of the Convention on Criminal Acts and Terrorism and Article XIII of the Convention on Extradition.

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

ASEAN Secretariat No. 70 A, Jl. Sisingamangaraja Kebayoran Baru Jakarta 12110

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INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION ASEAN CONVENTION ON COUNTER TERRORISM

WHEREAS the Government of Brunei Darussalam signed the ASEAN Convention on Counter Terrorism (hereinafter referred to as the "Convention") on the thirteenth day of January 2007 in Cebu, Philippines;

AND WHEREAS Article XX, paragraph 1 of the Convention provides that it shall be subject to ratification or approval by all ASEAN Member States in accordance with their internal procedures;

NOW THEREFORE The Government of Brunei Darussalam having considered the Convention, hereby ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained subject to the following declarations:

Article II

The Government of Brunei Darussalam, pursuant to Article II, paragraph 2 of the Convention, declares that, in application of the Convention to Brunei Darussalam, the following Conventions and Protocols shall be deemed not to be included in Article II, paragraph 1 until the said Conventions and Protocols enter into force for Brunei Darussalam:

1. Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material, adopted in Vienna on 26 October 1979;

- International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism, adopted in New York on 13 April 2005;
- Amendment to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material, done at Vienna on 8 July 2005;
- Protocol of 2005 to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Maritime Navigation, done at London on 14 October 2005; and
- Protocol of 2005 to the Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Fixed Platforms Located on the Continental Shelf, done at London on 14 October 2005.

Article XIII

The Government of Brunei Darussalam, pursuant to Article XIII, paragraph 1 of the Convention, declares that it will not surrender persons to competent authorities for the process of extradition if the person is already dealt with under its internal security and preventive detention laws.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF this Instrument of Ratification is signed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Brunei Darussalam on this 28th day of April 2011.

MOHAMED BOLKIAH

