



Lao People's Democratic Republic

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**Embassy of the Lao People's
Democratic Republic**

Jakarta

No 074/ALJ.2007

The Embassy of the Lao People's Democratic Republic presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretary and has the honor to forward herewith an Original Copy of Instrument of Acceptance by the Government of the Lao PDR dated 27 February 2007 to deposit in ASEAN Secretariat.

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

Jakarta, 12th June 2007



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Lao People's Democratic Republic
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Ministry of Foreign Affairs

No. 003 /AE-TD.2
Vientiane, 14 March 2007

H.E. Mr Ong Keng Yong
Secretary-General of ASEAN
Jakarta, Indonesia

Excellency,

Ref : Acceptance by the Lao People's Democratic Republic for the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Engineering Services.

On behalf of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, I have the honour to present compliments to the Secretary-General of ASEAN (ASEAN Secretariat) and have the further honour to forward herewith the Original Copy of the Instrument of Acceptance of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, dated 27 February 2007, for the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Engineering Services, which was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on 9th December 2005;

This original document is submitted so as to be deposited with the Secretariat General of ASEAN, in accordance with the relevant stipulations of the Arrangement. It is also requested that all other Parties to this Arrangement should be notified of this Acceptance by the Lao PDR, in due course.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Sayakane SISOUVONG', written over a horizontal line.

Sayakane SISOUVONG
Director-General
ASEAN-LAOS



LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
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**Deputy Prime Minister,
Minister for Foreign Affairs**

INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

to the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Engineering Services

WHEREAS the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Engineering Services was signed by the duty authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on 9th December 2005;

AND WHEREAS Article 8.3 provides that any ASEAN Member Country which wishes to participate in this Arrangement shall notify the ASEAN Secretary-General in writing of its effective date of participation;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thongloun SISOULITH, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, declare that the Government of 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 27th February 2007.

Thongloun SISOULITH
Deputy Prime Minister and
Minister of Foreign Affairs

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