DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

Jakarta, 27 January 2003

No. D. 054/EK/I/2003/05

H.E. Mr. Ong Keng Yong Secretary-General The ASEAN Secretariat Jakarta

Excellency,

I have the honour to submit herewith the following documents to be deposited with the ASEAN Secretariat, both in the Indonesian language and its English translation:

- 1. Instrument of Ratification of the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, dated 31 December 2002, of the Protocol to Implement the Second Package of Commitments on Financial Services under the ASEAN Framework Agreement on Services signed at Yangon on 6 April 2002
- 2. Instrument of Ratification of the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, dated 31 December 2002, of the Protocol to Amend the Framework Agreement on the ASEAN Investment Area signed at Hanoi on 14 September 2001
- 3. Instrument of Ratification of the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, dated 31 December 2002, of the Protocol 8 Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures to Implement the ASEAN Framework Agreement on the Facilitation of Goods in Transit signed at Phnom Penh on 27 October 2000
- 4. Instrument of Ratification of the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, dated 31 December 2002, of the ASEAN Framework Agreement on Mutual Recognition Arrangement signed at Hanoi on 16 December 1998

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

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COMMENT:

Yours sincerely,

Awang Bahrin, SH.

Assing Director-General

ASEAN-Indonesia

Minister for Foreign Affairs Republic of Indonesia

INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia has signed "ASEAN Framework Agreement on Mutual Recognition Arrangement" done at Hanoi on 16 Desember 1998;

AND WHEREAS, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, in accordance with Article 18 paragraph 5 of the Agreement, having examined and considered the aforesaid Agreement, have decided to ratify the same;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN, that the Government of the Republic of Indonesia do hereby confirm and ratify the said Agreement and undertake to perform and carry out all the stipulations therein contained;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Instrument of Ratification is signed and sealed by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia;

DONE at Jakarta this thirty first day of december in the year two thousand and two.

MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

Dr. N. HASSAN WIRAJUDA

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