



**VIETNAM PERMANENT MISSION TO ASEAN**

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The Permanent Mission of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam to ASEAN presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat, and has honour to deposit herewith the Instrument of Acceptance of the Government of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam regarding the Protocol to Implement the Seventh Package of Commitments on Financial Services (hereinafter referred to as 'the Protocol'), which was signed on 23 June 2016 in Ha Noi, Viet Nam.

It would be highly appreciated to receive from the ASEAN Secretariat the notification of the deposit of the said Instrument of Acceptance and the date of the entry into force of the Protocol for Viet Nam.

The Permanent Mission of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam to ASEAN avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the ASEAN Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.



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**DIRECTORATE**



MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM

## INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

**WHEREAS** the Protocol to Implement the Seventh Package of Commitments on Financial Services under the ASEAN Framework Agreement on Services (hereinafter referred to as “the Protocol”) was signed on 23 June 2016 in Ha Noi, Viet Nam;

**AND WHEREAS** Paragraph 7 of the Protocol stipulates that Member States undertake to complete the internal procedures of ratification or acceptance for the entry into force of the Protocol and the commitments set out in the Annexes;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Government of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam, having considered the Protocol and the commitments set out in the Annexes, approves the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have signed and sealed this Instrument of Approval.

DONE at Ha Noi, on 27 February 2017

PHAM BINH MINH  
MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS