

## Instrument of Ratification

Whereas the Second Protocol Amending the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia was signed on 25 July 1998 by the duly authorized Representative of the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand; and

Whereas Article 2 of the Second Protocol stipulates that the Protocol shall be subject to ratification and shall come into force on the date the last instrument of ratification of the High Contracting Parties is deposited;

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND, having considered the aforesaid Protocol, hereby confirms and ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out all the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Instrument of Ratification is signed and sealed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Thailand.

Done at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Saranrom Palace, Bangkok, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May in the year Two thousand Five hundred and Forty-two of the Buddhist Era, corresponding to the year One thousand Nine hundred and Ninety-nine of the Christian Era.



(Surin Pitsuwan)  
Minister of Foreign Affairs  
of the Kingdom of Thailand

