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The Permanent Mission of Malaysia to ASEAN presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta and has the honour to refer to the Protocol to Implement the Twelfth Package of Commitments on Air Transport Services Under the ASEAN Framework Agreement on Services (hereinafter referred to as the "Protocol") which was signed in Bali, Indonesia on 17 October 2022.

The Permanent Mission of Malaysia to ASEAN has further the honour to deposit with the Secretary-General of ASEAN, Malaysia's Instrument of Ratification of the aforementioned Protocol from the Government of Malaysia.

The Permanent Mission of Malaysia to ASEAN would appreciate the assistance of the ASEAN Secretariat to notify the other Contracting Parties that Malaysia has deposited the Instrument of Ratification of the Protocol with the ASEAN Secretariat.

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



4 December 2023

The ASEAN Secretariat JAKARTA





INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

WHEREAS the Protocol to Implement the Twelfth Package of Commitments on Air Transport Services Under the ASEAN Framework Agreement on Services (hereinafter referred to as "the Protocol") was signed in Bali, Indonesia on 17 October 2022;

AND WHEREAS Paragraph 4 of the Protocol stipulates that the Protocol and the commitments set out in its Annexes shall enter into force on the 60th day after the deposit of the seventh Instrument of Ratification, Approval, or Acceptance with the Secretary-General of ASEAN, and shall become effective only among the Member States that have ratified, approved, or accepted it. For each Member State ratifying, approving, or accepting the Protocol after the deposit of the seventh Instrument of Ratification, Approval, or Acceptance, the Protocol and the commitments set out in its Annexes shall enter into force on the 60th day after the deposit by such Member State of its Instrument of Ratification, Approval, or Acceptance;

AND WHEREAS Paragraph 5 of the Protocol further provides that the Secretary-General of ASEAN shall promptly notify the Member States of any such deposit made pursuant to paragraph 4.

NOW THEREFORE, the Government of Malaysia, having considered the Protocol, hereby ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to fulfil the obligations therein contained.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, this Instrument of Ratification is signed and sealed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Malaysia.

DONE at Putrajaya, Malaysia on the Twelfth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

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