

## MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND COOPERATION

## **INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION**

## TO THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT ON ENHANCING ASEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION

WHEREAS the Framework Agreement on Enhancing ASEAN Economic Cooperation, signed on 28 January 1992, in Singapore,

WHEREAS the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste has expressed its readiness to accede to the Framework Agreement on Enhancing ASEAN Economic Cooperation,

**NOW THEREFORE I,** Bendito dos Santos Freitas, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, declare that the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste, having considered the above-mentioned Framework Agreement on Enhancing ASEAN Economic Cooperation, accedes to the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have signed this Instrument of Accession at Dili, Timor-Leste on 13 November 2025.

Bendito dos Santos Freitas

Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste

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