

## **INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION**

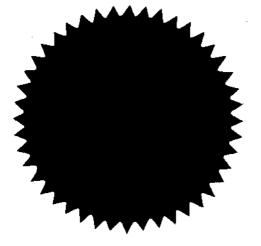
**WHEREAS**, the Government to Malaysia has signed the ASEAN Agreement on Disaster Management and Emergency Response on the Twenty-Sixth day of July in the year Two Thousand and Five in Vientiane, Lao PDR;

**AND WHEREAS,** the Government of Malaysia in accordance with Article 32 of the said Agreement has decided to ratify the Agreement;

**NOW THEREFORE,** the Government of Malaysia, having considered the said Agreement, 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 Malaysia;

**DONE** at Putrajaya this Twenty-First day of July, in the year Two Thousand and Six.



(SYED HAMID ALBAR) Minister of Foreign Affairs Malaysia