

MALACAÑANG PALACE

MANILA

INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

KNOW YE, that whereas, the Agreement on ASEAN Energy Cooperation was signed on 24 June 1986 in Manila by the six ASEAN member countries including the Philippines;

WHEREAS, cooperation among ASEAN member countries to ensure and develop source of energy is a basic component in strengthening the economic resilience of the individual member countries as well as the economic resilience and solidarity of ASEAN;

WHEREAS, the Agreement provides for cooperation in the use of all forms of energy, whether commercial, non-commercial, renewable or non-renewable by the ASEAN member countries;

WHEREAS, Article IX of the Agreement provides that it shall be ratified and the Instrument of Ratification shall be deposited with the Secretary General of the ASEAN Secretariat who shall promptly inform each ASEAN member country of such deposit.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that I, CORAZON C. AQUINO, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the power vested in me by the Constitution, after having seen and considered the aforementioned Agreement on ASEAN Energy Cooperation signed on 24 June 1986 in Manila, do hereby ratify the same and every article and clause thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 6th day of November, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty-six.

*Corazon C. Aquino*

BY THE PRESIDENT:

*Salvador H. Laurel*  
SALVADOR H. LAUREL  
Vice President  
Minister for Foreign Affairs