## MALACAÑAN PALACE MANILA

## INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

KNOW YE, that whereas the Basic Agreement on ASEAN Industrial Projects between Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, and Thailand was signed on 6 March 1980;

WHEREAS, the ASEAN Member States have a common commitment to the economic growth and development of the region through the establishment of ASEAN Industrial Projects in the spirit of equality and partnership;

WHEREAS, Article 18 provides that "This Agreement shall enter into force on the thirtieth (30th) day after the deposit of the fifth Instrument of Ratification."

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution, after having seen and considered the aforesaid Agreement which was signed on 6 March 1980 in Kuala Lumpur, 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 17th day of September , in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty.

BY THE PRESIDENT:

MANUEL COLLANTES

Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs