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The Permanent Mission of Brunei Darussalam to ASEAN presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat Jakarta and has the honour to forward herewith one (1) sealed envelope from Haji Nazmi Haji Mohamad, Deputy Permanent Secretary (Trade), Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Brunei Darussalam addressed to Mr. S. Pushpanathan, Deputy Secretary General of ASEAN, Jakarta.

The Permanent Mission has further the honour to request the latter's kind assistance in forwarding the said letter to its highest destination.

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

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04 March 2010

Mr. S. Pushpanathan
Deputy Secretary General
ASEAN Secretariat
JAKARTA
Indonesia

INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

I am pleased to inform you that Brunei Darussalam has completed the internal procedures for the entry into force of **ASEAN Petroleum Security Agreement** which was signed on 1 March 2009 in Cha-am, Thailand.

Please find attached Brunei Darussalam's "Instrument of Ratification" for the abovementioned agreement for the keeping of the ASEAN Secretariat, as the depository of the Agreement.

In this regard, I would further appreciate ASEAN Secretariat's assistance in informing the other ASEAN Member States of the ratification made by Brunei Darussalam.

Thank you.

Yours Sincerely,


NAZIM MOHAMAD

Deputy Permanent Secretary
for The Permanent Secretary

cc. H.E Permanent Representative of Brunei Darussalam to ASEAN



INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

ASEAN Petroleum Security Agreement

WHEREAS the ASEAN Petroleum Security Agreement ("the Agreement") was signed by the Government of Brunei Darussalam on 1 March 2009, in Cha-am, Thailand;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to Paragraph 7.3 of Article 7 of the said Agreement, it shall enter into force on the thirtieth day after the deposit of the tenth Instrument of Ratification or Acceptance;

NOW THEREFORE the Government of Brunei Darussalam, having considered the said Agreement, hereby confirms and ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to fulfill the obligations contained therein;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Instrument of Ratification is signed and sealed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Brunei Darussalam.

Done at Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei Darussalam, on this24th..... day of February...2010.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Bolkiah'.

MOHAMED BOLKIAH