

**INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION
TO THE
TREATY OF AMITY AND COOPERATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA**

WHEREAS the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia, which was signed on 24 February 1976 in Bali, Indonesia, was amended by the First and Second Protocols Amending the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia, which were signed on 15 December 1987 and 25 July 1998, respectively;

WHEREAS Article 18, Paragraph 3, of the aforesaid Treaty as amended by Article 1 of the aforesaid Second Protocol provides that States outside Southeast Asia may also accede to the Treaty with the consent of all the States in Southeast Asia, namely Brunei Darussalam, the Kingdom of Cambodia, the Republic of Indonesia, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, the Union of Myanmar, the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore, the Kingdom of Thailand and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam; and

WHEREAS all the States in Southeast Asia have consented to the accession of the Republic of India;

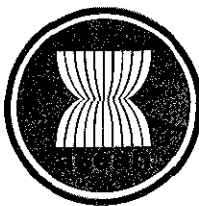
NOW, therefore, the Republic of India, having considered the aforesaid Treaty as amended by the Protocols, hereby accedes to the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out all the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Instrument of Accession is signed by the Minister of External Affairs of the Republic of India.

DONE at Bali, Indonesia, on the Eighth Day of October in the Year Two Thousand and Three.



Yashwant Sinha
Minister of External Affairs of
the Republic of India



**INSTRUMENT OF EXTENSION
OF THE
TREATY OF AMITY AND COOPERATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA**

WHEREAS the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia, which was signed on 24 February 1976 in Bali, Indonesia, was amended by the First and the Second Protocols Amending the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia, which were signed on 15 December 1987 and on 25 July 1998 respectively;

WHEREAS Article 18, Paragraph 3, of the aforesaid Treaty as amended by Article 1 of the aforesaid Second Protocol provides that States outside Southeast Asia may accede to the Treaty with the consent of all the States in Southeast Asia, namely Brunei Darussalam, the Kingdom of Cambodia, the Republic of Indonesia, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, the Union of Myanmar, the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore, the Kingdom of Thailand and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam; and

WHEREAS the Government of the Republic of India conveyed its desire to accede to the Treaty in a letter dated 17 July 2003;

NOW, therefore, the Governments of Brunei Darussalam, the Kingdom of Cambodia, the Republic of Indonesia, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, the Union of Myanmar, the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore, the Kingdom of Thailand and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam, having considered the said letter, hereby consent to the accession to the Treaty by the Government of the Republic of India.


Done at Bali, Indonesia, on the Eighth Day of October in the Year Two Thousand and Three.

For Brunei Darussalam:

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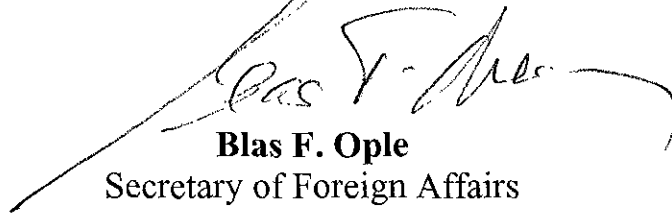
Mohamed Bolkiah
Minister of Foreign Affairs

For the Union of Myanmar:



Win Aung
Minister for Foreign Affairs

For the Republic of the Philippines:



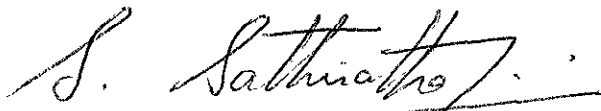
Blas F. Ople
Secretary of Foreign Affairs

For the Republic of Singapore:



Prof. S. Jayakumar
Minister for Foreign Affairs

For the Kingdom of Thailand:



Dr. Surakiart Sathirathai
Minister of Foreign Affairs

For the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam:



Nguyen Dy Nien
Minister for Foreign Affairs

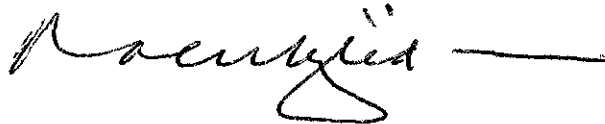
For the Kingdom of Cambodia:



HOR Namhong

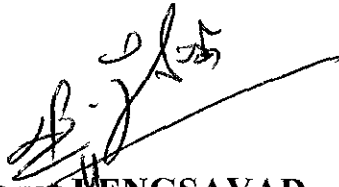
Senior Minister and Minister of
Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation

For the Republic of Indonesia:



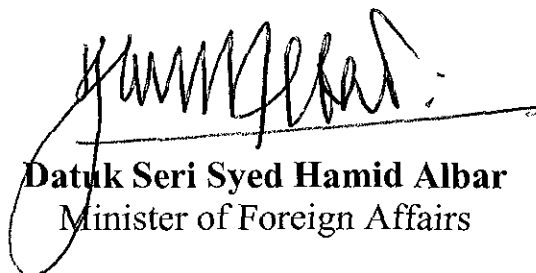
Dr. N. Hassan Wirajuda
Minister for Foreign Affairs

For the Lao People's Democratic Republic:



Somsavat LENGSAVAD
Deputy Prime Minister,
Minister of Foreign Affairs

For Malaysia:



Datuk Seri Syed Hamid Albar
Minister of Foreign Affairs