

LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC  
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Permanent Mission of the Lao People's  
Democratic Republic to ASEAN  
Jakarta

The Permanent Mission of the Lao People's Democratic Republic to the Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta and has the honour to transmit herewith the original copy of the Instrument of Acceptance of the Agreement on the Establishment of the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Tourism Professionals.

In this regard, the Permanent Mission would highly appreciate it if the ASEAN Secretariat could further inform all Parties on this submission.

The Permanent Mission of the Lao People's Democratic Republic to ASEAN avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the ASEAN Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration. 4

Jakarta, 23 June 2017



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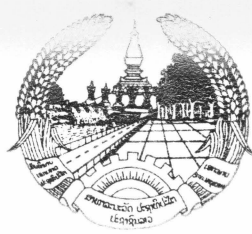
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# LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

Peace Independence Democracy Unity Prosperity

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

## INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

### **the Agreement on the Establishment of the Regional Secretariat for the Implementation of the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Tourism Professionals**

**WHEREAS** the Agreement on the Establishment of the Regional Secretariat for the Implementation of the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Tourism Professionals was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, at Jakarta, Indonesia, on 30 December 2015,

**WHEREAS** Article 14 (1) of the Agreement stipulates that each ASEAN Member State shall notify the Secretary-General of ASEAN upon completion of its internal legal procedures for entry into force of this Agreement. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of the deposit of the tenth instrument of notification of the fulfilment of such internal legal procedures with the Secretary-General of ASEAN,

**NOW THEREFORE** I, Saleumxay KOMMASITH, Minister of Foreign Affairs, declare that the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, having considered the above-mentioned Agreement, accepts the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have signed and affixed my seal to this Instrument of Acceptance at Vientiane, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, on 21 June 2017.

Saleumxay KOMMASITH