



**Lao People's Democratic Republic**  
**Peace Independence Democracy Unity and Prosperity**

**Embassy of the Lao People's  
Democratic Republic**  
**Jakarta**

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The Embassy of the Lao People's Democratic Republic presents its compliments to ASEAN Secretariat in **Jakarta**, and has the honor to forward herewith a copy of letter No. 006 /AE-TD.2, dated 4<sup>th</sup> June 2007 from H.E Mr. **Sayakane SISOUVONG** Director-General **ASEAN-LAOS** to H.E Mr. **Ong Keng Yong**, Secretary-General of ASEAN enclosed an Original Copy of Instrument of Acceptance by the Lao Government to the Framework *Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation of the Governments of the member of Countries of the Association of South Asia Nations and the Government of the Republic of Korea* to deposit in ASEAN Secretariat

The Embassy of the Lao **People's** Democratic Republic avails itself of this opportunity to renew to **ASEAN** Secretariat in Jakarta, the assurances of its highest consideration.

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Jakarta,

25<sup>th</sup>

July

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H.E Mr. Ong Keng Yong  
Secretary-General **of ASEAN**  
**ASEAN Secretariat**  
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No. 006 /AE-TD.2  
Vientiane, 4 June 2007

H.E.Mr. Ong Keng Yong  
Secretary-General of ASEAN  
Jakarta, Indonesia

Excellency,

Ref: Acceptance by the Lao People's Democratic Republic for the Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation between Governments of the Member of Countries of the Association of the South East Asian Nations and the Government of the Republic of Korea.

On behalf of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, I have the honour to present compliments to the Secretary-General of ASEAN (ASEAN Secretariat) and have the further honour to forward herewith the Original Copy of the Instrument of Acceptance of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, dated 31<sup>st</sup> May 2007, for the Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation between Governments of the Member of Countries of the Association of the South East Asian Nations and the Government of the Republic of Korea, which was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, at Kuala Lumpur, on 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 2005;

This original document is submitted so as to be deposited with the Secretary General of ASEAN, in accordance with the relevant stipulation of the Agreement. It is also requested that all other Parties to this Agreement should be notified of this Acceptance by the Lao PDR, in due course.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sayakane SISOUVONG  
Director-General



**LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC**

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**Deputy Prime Minister,  
Minister for Foreign Affairs**

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**INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE**

**to the Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation between the Governments of the Member Countries of the Association of South East Asian Nations and the Government of the Republic of Korea**

WHEREAS the Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation between Governments of the Member of Countries of the Association of the South East Asian Nations and the Government of the Republic of Korea was signed by the duly authorized representative of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic at Kuala Lumpur, on 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 2005;

AND WHEREAS its Article 5.8 stipulates that this Framework Agreement shall enter into force on 1 July 2006, provided that at least one ASEAN Member Country and Korea are among the Signatory States that have by then notified all the other Parties in writing of the completion of their internal procedures. In the event this Framework Agreement does not enter into force on 1 July 2006, it shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following the latter date on which at least one ASEAN Member Country and Korea have notified all the other Parties in writing of the completion of their internal procedures;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thongloun SISOULITH, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, declare that the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, having considered the above-mentioned Framework Agreement, accepts the same and undertakes to faithfully 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, Lao People's Democratic Republic, on 31 May 2007. *HS*



Thongloun SISOULITH  
Deputy Prime Minister and  
Minister of Foreign Affairs

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