

## INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

WHEREAS the Third Protocol Amending the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia (hereinafter referred to as "the Third Protocol") was signed on behalf of the Government of Malaysia on 23 July 2010 in Ha Noi, Viet Nam;

AND WHEREAS Article 3 of the Third Protocol provides that the Third Protocol shall enter into force on the date the last instrument of ratification of the High Contracting Parties is deposited;

NOW THEREFORE, the Government of Malaysia, having considered the Third Protocol, ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

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

DONE at Putrajaya this Thirty First day of March in this year Two Thousand and Eleven.



ANIFAH AMAN Minister of Foreign Affairs, Malaysia