

## MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS YANGON

## INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

WHEREAS the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia was signed on the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-six by the Representatives of the Republic of Indonesia, Malaysia, the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore and the Kingdom of Thailand and acceded to by Brunei Darussalam by virtue of the Declaration of the Admission of Brunei Darussalam into the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, signed on the seventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four,

AND WHEREAS the Union of Myanmar deposited its instrument of accession on the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-five,

NOW THEREFORE, I, U OHN GYAW, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Government of the Union of Myanmar, do hereby declare that the Government of the Union of Myanmar, having considered the above-mentioned Treaty, ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out all the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have signed this instrument of ratification.

DONE at Yangon, this Tenth Waning Day of First Waso in the year One Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight of the Myanmar Era (the Tenth Day of July 1996)

( OHN GYAW ) Minister for Foreign Affairs