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INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

KNOW YE, that whereas, the *ASEAN Sectoral Integration (Amendment) Protocol for Priority Sectors* was signed on 08 December 2006 in Cebu;

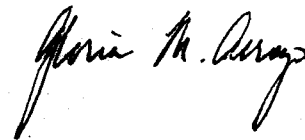
WHEREAS, the *Protocol*, consisting of three (3) articles, aims to amend the ASEAN Sectoral Integration Protocols for the eleven priority sectors (agro-based products, air travel, automotives, e-ASEAN, electronics, fisheries, healthcare, rubber-based products, textiles and apparels, tourism and wood-based-products) concluded on 29 November 2004 by replacing the Appendices and Attachments annexed to each of them by the Appendices and attachments annexed to this Protocol;

WHEREAS, Article 3, paragraph 2 of the *Protocol* provides that Member States shall undertake to complete their internal procedures of ratification for the entry into force of this Protocol;


NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that I, **GLORIA MACAPAGAL ARROYO**, President of the Republic of the Philippines, after having seen and considered the aforementioned *ASEAN Sectoral Integration (Amendment) Protocol) for Priority Sectors*, do hereby ratify and confirm the same and each and every Article and Clause thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

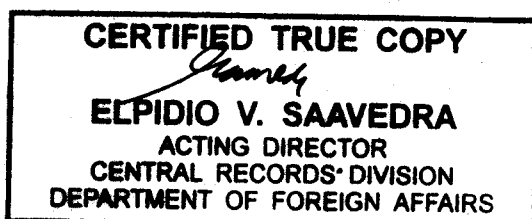
GIVEN under my hand at the City of Manila, this 1st day of AUGUST in the year of our Lord two thousand and seven.



BY THE PRESIDENT:



FRANKLIN M. EBDALIN
Acting Secretary of Foreign Affairs



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