TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

KNOW YE, That whereas a Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia was signed in Denpasar, Bali, on 24 February in 976 by the Heads of State of the Republic of Indonesia, Malaysia, the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore, and the Kingdom of Thailand;

WHEREAS, the Treaty is subject to ratification under Article 18, and shall enter into force on the date of the deposit of the fifth instrument of ratification with the Governments of the signatory States which are designated Depositaries of this Treaty, pursuant to Article 19 thereof;

WHEREAS, the Treaty is word for word contained in the annexed copy hereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution, after having seen and considered the aforesaid Treaty which was signed in Denpasar, Bali, on 24 February 1976, do hereby ratify the same 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.

DONE in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 8th day of April in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventyaix.

NAND E. MARCOS

the Philippines

BY THE PRESIDENT:

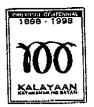
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: 10 August 1999

Dear Mr. Lactoen.

With reference to your letter dated 27 July 1999, attached is a copy of the Republic of the Philippines' Instrument of Ratification of the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia which was signed in Denpasar, Bali, Indonesia on 24 February 1976.

Best regards,

Sincerely yours,

RONALD B. ALLARE

Assistant Secretary

Encl.: as stated

Mr. Vic A. Lactoen
Senior Officer

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