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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Singapore presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat and has the honour to refer to the Protocol Amending the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia signed by the ASEAN Foreign Ministers on 15 December 1987 during the Third Meeting of ASEAN Heads of Government in Manila.

Pursuant to Article 3 of the said Protocol which states that the "Protocol shall be subject to ratification and shall come into force on the date the last instrument of ratification of the High Contracting Parties is deposited", Singapore would like to deposit its Instrument of Ratification of the said Protocol with the Secretary-General of the ASEAN Secretariat. A copy of the Instrument of Ratification is attached.

The Ministry would appreciate the assistance of the ASEAN Secretariat in informing the other member countries that Singapore has deposited its Instrument of Ratification of the said Protocol with the ASEAN Secretariat.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Singapore avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the ASEAN Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

SINGAPORE

24 March 1988

ASEAN Secretariat
Singapore





INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

WHEREAS a Protocol Amending the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia was signed in Manila on 15 December 1987 by the Governments of Brunei Darussalam, the Republic of Indonesia, Malaysia, the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Singapore and the Kingdom of Thailand;

AND WHEREAS Article 3 of the Protocol provides that it shall be subject to ratification.

NOW THEREFORE, the Government of the Republic of Singapore having considered the said Protocol does hereby ratify the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the hand and seal of the Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Singapore are hereunto affixed.

DONE this 23rd day of March, 1988.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'S. Dhanabalan'.

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MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS
REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE