

## LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC PEACE INDEPENDENCE DEMOCRACY UNITY PROSPERITY ------000--------

Permanent Mission of the Lao People's Democratic Republic to ASEAN Jakarta

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The Permanent Mission of the Lao People's Democratic Republic to the Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat and has the honour to transmit herewith the copy of the Instrument of Ratification of the Protocol to Amend the ASEAN Plus Three Emergency Rice Reserve Agreement, signed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Lao PDR dated 15 December 2020.

It would be appreciated if the said Instrument of Ratification could be forwarded to its highest destination.

The Permanent Mission of the Lao People's Democratic Republic to ASEAN avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the ASEAN Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

Jakarta, 22 December 2020



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## LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

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Minister of Foreign Affairs

## **INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION**

**WHEREAS** the Protocol to Amend the ASEAN Plus Three Emergency Rice Reserve Agreement was signed at Ha Noi, Viet Nam on 12 October 2018.

**NOW THEREFORE I**, Saleumxay KOMMASITH, Minister of Foreign Affairs declare that the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, having considered the above-mentioned Protocol, ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed this Instrument of Ratification at Vientiane on .1.5... December 2020.

Saleumxay KOMMASITH