

H.E. Dr Kao Kim Hourn Secretary-General Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)

Geneva, 24 May 2023

Reference:

Memorandum of Understanding between the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations on the Strengthening of Community Resilience in Southeast Asia dated 25 May 2022

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to present my compliments to you on behalf of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (hereinafter the "IFRC") and refer to the Memorandum of Understanding between the IFRC and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations on the Strengthening of Community Resilience in Southeast Asia dated 25 May 2022 (hereinafter the "MOU").

I am writing to formally convey to you that the IFRC Governing Board formally ratified the MOU during its 46th session held in Geneva in October 2022.

In accordance with Paragraph 15.1 of the MOU, I trust that this letter fulfils the requirements for the MOU to come into effect.

I have the honour, Your Excellency, to renew to you the assurances of my highest consideration.



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