



PERMANENT MISSION TO ASEAN
REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF MYANMAR

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to ASEAN presents its compliments to the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta and has the honour to enclose herewith a copy of the Instrument of Ratification signed by H.E.U Wunna Maung Lwin, Union Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar for the following agreement:

“Protocol 3 on the Expansion of Fifth Freedom Traffic Rights between Contracting Parties”

The Permanent Mission of Myanmar would like to request the ASEAN Secretariat to convey the said Instrument of Ratification to its relevant destinations for necessary action.

In this regard, the Mission would like to inform the ASEAN Secretariat that the original Letter of the Instrument of Ratification will be conveyed in due course.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to ASEAN avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the ASEAN Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

Jakarta, 6 January 2023



The ASEAN Secretariat

Jakarta

Copy to:

Treaty Division, the ASEAN Secretariat





*Union Minister for Foreign Affairs
Republic of the Union of Myanmar*

INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION

WHEREAS the Protocol 3 on the Expansion of Fifth Freedom Traffic Rights between Contracting Parties of the Air Transport Agreement between the Governments of the Member States of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Government of the People's Republic of China ("the Protocol") was signed on 15 November 2019 in Hanoi, Viet Nam;

WHEREAS paragraph 2 of Article 2 of the Protocol provides that Each Contracting Party shall complete its relevant internal legal procedures necessary for the entry into force of this Protocol and shall, after the completion of its internal legal procedures, deposit instrument of ratification, approval or acceptance with or give written notification to the Depository, who shall promptly inform each Contracting Party of such deposit or notification.

AND WHEREAS paragraph 3 of Article 2 of the Protocol provides that this Protocol shall enter into force on the date of the deposit with or notification to the Depository pursuant to paragraph 2 from:

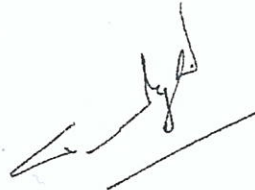
- (a) China; and
- (b) at least two ASEAN Member States

and shall enter into force only among the Contracting Parties that have deposited instrument of ratification, approval, or acceptance with or given their written notifications to the Depository;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Wunna Maung Lwin, Union Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, do hereby declare that the Government of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, having considered the abovementioned Protocol, ratifies the same and undertakes to perform and carry out faithfully all the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed this Instrument of Ratification and affixed hereto my official seal.

DONE at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Nay Pyi Taw, on Friday, Third Day of January, in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.



WUNNA MAUNG LWIN