



**P R I M E
M I N I S T E R**

Díli, 18 August 2017

SUBJECT: INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

Mr. Liqun,

WHEREAS the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste has examined and approved the accession and provisions of the Articles of Agreement of the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (the Articles of Agreement), dated June 29, 2015.

AND WHEREAS the Board of Governors of the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (the Bank) adopted Resolution No. 33, "Membership of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste" on 21 March 2017, setting out the conditions for the admission of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste to membership in the Bank (the AIIB Resolution).

NOW THEREFORE the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste (RDTL) HEREBY DECLARES that it accepts to be bound by the Articles of Agreement and all conditions for its membership set out in the AIIB Resolution.

The Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste (RDTL) also declares that the National Parliament of RDTL approved the Accession and Articles of Agreement by way of the Resolution No. 17/2017, dated 25 July 2017, and attach a copy of this Resolution, duly executed and published in accordance with Timor-Leste constitutional and legal requirements, to be deposited to the AIIB.

AS WITNESS this Instrument of Acceptance executed on the 18 of August 2017.

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste,

**Dr. Rui Maria de Araújo
Prime-Minister**

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