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INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE HARMONIZATION OF FRONTIER
CONTROLS OF GOODS

GENEVA, 21 OCTOBER 1982

LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC: ACCESSION

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary,
communicates the following:

The above action was effected on 29 September 2008.

The Convention will enter into force for the Lao People's Democratic Republic on 29
December 2008 in accordance with its article 17 (2) which reads as follows:

"After five States have deposited their instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or
accession, this Convention shall enter into force for further Contracting Parties three months after the
date of the deposit of their instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession."

29 September 2008



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