

MODEL INSTRUMENT OF [RATIFICATION/ ACCEPTANCE/ APPROVAL]

WHEREAS the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on their Destruction was opened for signature in in London, Moscow and Washington on 10 April 1972,

AND WHEREAS the said convention has been signed on behalf of the Government of [name of State] on [date],

NOW THEREFORE I, [name and title of the Head of State, Head of Government or Minister for Foreign Affairs] declare that the Government of [name of State], having considered the above mentioned convention, [ratifies/accepts/approves] the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed this instrument of [ratification / acceptance / approval] at [place] on [date].

[Signature]