

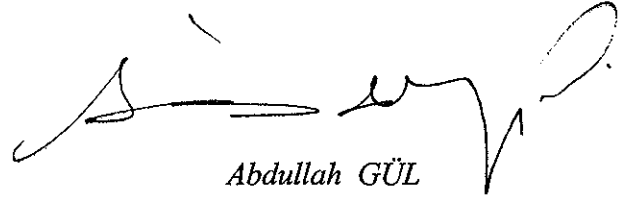


*Deputy Prime Minister
and
Minister of Foreign Affairs*

Whereas the "Protocol of Amendment to the International Convention on the Simplification and Harmonization of Customs Procedures" was done at Brussels on 26th June 1999,

Now therefore I, Abdullah Gül, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Turkey, declare, that the Government of the Republic of Turkey, having considered the above mentioned Protocol, approves, accepts, confirms and ratifies the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out the stipulations therein contained.

In witness whereof I have signed this instrument of ratification at Ankara on 10 April 2006.



Abdullah GÜL