SAMPLE LETTER OF CREDENTIALS

In the name of the Government of [name of country], the undersigned [name of the Minister] [Ministry*], do hereby appoint:

[Full Name of Representative], [Title], [Organization]

to represent the Government of [name of country] in the First Meeting of Signatory States to the Memorandum of Understanding on the Conservation and Management of Marine Turtles and their Habitats of the Indian Ocean and South-East Asia, to be held in Bangkok, Thailand, from 22-24 January 2003.

The said representative is fully authorized to take part in the meeting, to transact all such matters as may pertain to its work, to vote with the other representatives in accordance with the agreed procedures and [where applicable] to sign the Memorandum of Understanding on the Conservation and Management of Marine Turtles and their Habitats of the Indian Ocean and South-East Asia, on behalf of the Government of [name of country].

In witness whereof, I, [name of Minister], have signed this Letter of Credentials and have affixed hereto my official seal.

Done in [City], Date

Signature

Official Seal

Secretariat of the Convention on Migratory Species
United Nations Premises in Bonn
Martin-Luther-King-Str. 8
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* Normally Minister of Foreign Affairs, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs etc., however the signature of the Minister whose agency is directly responsible for implementation of the Memorandum of Understanding would also be acceptable.