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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania presents its compliments to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Sweden, and has the honour to confirm the receipt of the Ministry's note of 18 June 2020, addressed to the Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania, concerning the **Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Lithuania and the Government of Sweden on the termination of the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Lithuania and the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden on the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments** (hereinafter - the Agreement) which reads as follows:

**Beginning of the quote.** The Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Sweden presents its compliments to the Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania and has the honour to propose the conclusion of the following agreement.

**Agreement between the Government of Sweden and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania on the termination of the Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania on the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments** (hereinafter - the Agreement)

1. The Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania on the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments, signed in Stockholm on 17 March 1992 (hereinafter – the Agreement on the Protection of Investments), shall be terminated.
2. For greater certainty, the Contracting Parties to the Agreement agree that Paragraph (3) of Article 10 of the Agreement on the Protection of Investments, which extends the protection of investment made prior to the date of the termination, shall be terminated and thus shall not produce any legal effects after the entry into force of this Agreement.

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs proposes that in case the Government of the Republic of Lithuania accepts the above mentioned proposal, this note together with the reply note from the Government of the Republic of Lithuania shall constitute the Agreement.

The Agreement shall enter into force 30 days after the day of the receipt of the notification from the Lithuanian side on the completion of its internal legal procedures necessary for the entry into force of the Agreement.

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Sweden avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania the assurances of its highest consideration.

**End of the quote.**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania has the honour to confirm that the proposal by the Government of Sweden is acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Lithuania and that Note of 18 June 2020 and this reply Note shall constitute the Agreement, which shall enter into force 30 days after the day of the receipt of the notification from the Lithuanian side on the completion of its internal legal procedures necessary for the entry into force of the Agreement.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Sweden the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vilnius, 7 September 2020

