

## **AGREEMENT**

### **BETWEEN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA ON AMENDING THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA ON THE PROMOTION AND RECIPROCAL PROTECTION OF INVESTMENTS**

#### **Article 1**

In the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Croatia and the Government of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina on the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments, concluded in Split on 26<sup>th</sup> February 1996 (hereinafter referred to as “the Agreement”), the title of the Agreement is amended, which reads as follows:

**„Agreement between Bosnia and Herzegovina and the Republic of Croatia on the promotion and reciprocal protection of investments“**

#### **Article 2**

The Preamble of the Agreement is amended, which reads as follows:

“Bosnia and Herzegovina and the Republic of Croatia (hereinafter referred to as the “Contracting Parties”), desiring to intensify mutual economic cooperation to the common benefit,

Intending to create favourable conditions for investments by investors of one Contracting Party in the territory of the other Contracting Party,

Recognizing the need to promote and protect foreign investments with the aim to foster the economic prosperity of both Contracting Parties,

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:”

#### **Article 3**

In Article 1, paragraph 5 is amended, which reads as follows:

“The term “territory” means the land territory of Bosnia and Herzegovina or land territory of the Republic of Croatia, its subsoil and air space above it, as well as, the sea including seabed and its subsoil beyond the territorial sea over which the state concerned may exercise, in

accordance with international law, its sovereign rights of exploration and exploitation of natural resources and wealth of these areas and jurisdiction.“

#### **Article 4**

Special Annex to the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Croatia and the Government of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina on the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments of 26<sup>th</sup> February 1996, is repealed.

#### **Article 5**

This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of receiving of latter notification by which either Contracting Party notifies the other in writing through the diplomatic channel that its internal legal requirements for the entry into force of this Agreement have been fulfilled.

Done in Zagreb on 23 July 2002, in two originals, in official languages of Bosnia and Herzegovina (Bosnian, Croatian and Serbian) and in Croatian language, all texts being equally authentic.

For  
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