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## REQUEST OF THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN FOR ADMISSION AS A MEMBER OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN (ECLAC)

Note by the secretariat

By means of a note verbale dated 25 November 2005, the Embassy of Japan in Santiago, Chile, informed the Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) that its Government wishes to become a State member of the Commission and asked that this request be submitted to the Commission for its consideration.

The secretariat is accordingly transmitting herewith the text of this request to the members of the Commission for consideration and action at its thirty-first session. EMBASSY OF JAPAN Santiago, Chile

No. 20037

The Embassy of Japan presents its compliments to the Honourable Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) and has the honour to hereby transmit the official request of the Government of Japan for admission as a full State member of this prestigious Commission.

This diplomatic mission is accordingly requesting that the Honourable Commission initiate its deliberations concerning Japan's admission as a full State member.

The Embassy of Japan wishes to express its gratitude in advance for the Commission's kind attention to this matter and avails itself of the opportunity to renew the assurances of its highest consideration.

Santiago, 25 November 2005

[Stamp of the Embassy of Japan in Chile]

The Honourable
Economic Commission for
Latin America and the Caribbean
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