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**Law No. (20) of 2011 ratifying the Protocol amending Certain Provisions of the Convention Between the Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium regarding Air Services Between and Beyond Their Respective Territories**

We, Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, King of the Kingdom of Bahrain

Having reviewed the Constitution,

Legislative Decree No. (18) of 1988, ratifying the Air Services Convention between the Government of the State of Bahrain and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium;

And the Protocol amending Certain Provisions of the Convention Between the Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium regarding Air Services Between and Beyond Their Respective Territories, concluded in Bahrain on 27 November 2001;

The Shura Council and the Council of Representatives have approved the following law, which we have ratified and enacted:

**Article One**

The Protocol amending Certain Provisions of the Convention Between the Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium regarding Air Services Between and Beyond Their Respective Territories, concluded in Bahrain on 27 November 2001, and attached to this Law, has been ratified.

**Article Two**

The Prime Minister and the ministers - each within his jurisdiction- shall implement this Law, and it shall come into force from the day following the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

**King of Kingdom of Bahrain**

**Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa**

Issued on 18 Rajab 1432 H.A.

Corresponding to: 20 June 2011

**The Protocol Amending and Supplementing the Air Services Convention between the Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium**

**The Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium,**

Desiring to amend and add certain provisions to the Air Services Convention between their two countries signed in the city of Brussels on 30 June 1998,

The text of paragraph (1) of Article (3) of the Convention shall be replaced by the following text:

**Article (3):**

1. Each contracting party has the right to designate - by diplomatic memorandum - to the other contracting party one or more airlines to operate the agreed services on the routes specified in the Annex.

This protocol forms an integral part of the agreement and it shall come into force on the first day of the month following the date of receipt of the last notification by either party confirming the completion of the necessary legal procedures for the entry into force of the Protocol.

In witness whereof, the undersigned, having been duty authorized thereto by their respective Governments have signed this Protocol.

This protocol has been drafted in Bahrain on 27 November 2001, in duplicate in the English language.

For

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Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain Government of the Kingdom of Belgium