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**Legislative Decree No. (9) of 1985 regarding the Approval of the Accession of the State of Bahrain to the Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (Inmarsat) and its Annexes**

We, Isa bin Salman Al Khalifa, Emir of the State of Bahrain.

Having reviewed Article (37) of the Constitution;

Emiri Order No. (4) of 1975;

And the Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (Inmarsat) and its Annexes, signed in London on 3 September 1976;

And upon the submission of the Minister of Transportation,

And after the approval of the Council of Ministers,

**Hereby Decree the following Law:**

**Article One**

1- The accession of the State of Bahrain to the Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (Inmarsat) and its Annexes, signed in London on 3 September 1976, has been approved.

2 - The accession of the State of Bahrain to the aforementioned convention does not imply the recognition of "Israel" or the establishment of communications to or from "Israel" or any vessels belonging to it, or organizations or companies dealing with it, or being included in the list of Arab boycotts of Israel.

**Article Two**

The Ministers - each within his jurisdiction - shall implement this Law, and it shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

**Emir of the State of Bahrain**

**Isa bin Salman Al Khalifa**

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