

**AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE OF THE
REPUBLIC OF ALBANIA
AND
THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CONCERNING
THE SAFE, SECURE, AND ECOLOGICALLY SOUND DESTRUCTION OF
CHEMICAL WEAPONS**

Pursuant to Article VI of the Agreement Between the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Albania and the Department of Defense of the United States of America Concerning the Safe, Secure, and Ecologically Sound Destruction of Chemical Weapons, dated December 30, 2004 hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement," the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Albania and the Department of Defense of the United States of America hereby agree to amend Article III, Paragraph 1 of the Agreement by replacing the words "thirty-four million four hundred four thousand U.S. Dollars" with the words "thirty-eight million four hundred four thousand U.S. Dollars."

This amendment shall enter into force upon signature by both parties and shall remain in force for the duration of the Agreement.

DONE at Tirana this 22 day of August 2006, and at Washington this 5th day of September 2006, in duplicate, each in the Albanian and English languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Ministry of Defense
of the Republic of Albania:



For the Department of Defense
of the United States of America:

