



ASEAN PARTIES AGAINST CORRUPTION (ASEAN-PAC)

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES UNDER CHAIRMANSHIP OF
ANTI-CORRUPTION UNIT (ACU), KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA
(NOVEMBER 2022 – NOVEMBER 2023)



22-23 November 2022

01 18TH PRINCIPALS MEETING OF THE ASEAN PARTIES AGAINST CORRUPTION (ASEAN-PAC)

On 22 November 2022, the ACU assumed Chairmanship of the ASEAN-PAC and hosted the 18th Principals Meeting of the ASEAN-PAC on 22-23 November 2022 in Phnom Penh, Kingdom of Cambodia.

The 18th Principals Meeting of the ASEAN Parties Against Corruption (ASEAN-PAC) under the theme “TOGETHER AGAINST CORRUPTION: Strengthening the Anti-Corruption Institutional Capacity and Cooperation in the Respective ASEAN Country and within the ASEAN-PAC” was held on 22-23 November 2022 in Phnom Penh, Kingdom of Cambodia. The Meeting was chaired by H.E. Kittinitikosalbindit Senior Minister Om Yentieng, President of Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU) of the Kingdom of Cambodia, and Chair of ASEAN-PAC.

The ASEAN-PAC received a great honour with very high appreciation for the welcome message from **Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo HUN SEN**, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Cambodia delivered to the ASEAN-PAC by the Chair.



18th Principals Meeting of the ASEAN-PAC (from left to right): H.E. VILAYVANH BOUTDAKHAM, Vice-President of the State Inspection Authority of the Lao PDR; H.E. Mr. THAN SWE, Chairman of the Anti-Corruption Commission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar; H.E. Pol. Gen. WATCHARAPOL PRASARNRAJKIT, President of the National Anti-Corruption Commission of the Kingdom of Thailand; Yang Mulia, DATIN PADUKA HAJAH ANIFA RAFIZA HAJI ABD GHANI, Director of Anti-Corruption Bureau of Brunei Darussalam; H.E. Kittinitikosalbindit Senior Minister OM YENTIENG, President of the Anti-Corruption Unit of the Kingdom of Cambodia; H.E. FIRLI BAHURI, Chairman of the Corruption Eradication Commission of the Republic of Indonesia; H.E. Mr. DENIS TANG, Director of the Corrupt Practices Investigation Bureau of the Republic of Singapore; Honorable Dato' Indera JUNIPAH BINTI WANDI, Deputy Chief Commissioner of Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission; Mr. JOSE M. BALMEO, JR., Deputy Ombudsman of the Office of the Ombudsman of the Philippines and H.E. Mr. DANG CONG HUAN, Deputy Government Inspector General of the Government Inspectorate of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam.

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This 18th Principals Meeting marked a great achievement for the ASEAN-PAC for its Memorandum of Understanding (ASEAN-PAC MoU), which was successfully signed. Following the signing, two ASEAN-PAC Parties respectively signed bilateral MoU with the Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU) of the Kingdom of Cambodia are the National Anti-Corruption Commission of the Kingdom of Thailand and the Anti-Corruption Commission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

The meeting also discussed and adopted two major documents which are the revised Terms of Reference (TOR) and a Three-Year Action Plan (2023-2025). The meeting further discussed on the Draft ASEAN-PAC E-Booklet initiated by the ACU Cambodia as one of the activities in the Action Plan 2023-2025 and tasked the ASEAN-PAC Secretariat to continue for further elaboration at the 19th Secretariat Meeting of ASEAN-PAC scheduled to take place in August 2023 in the Kingdom of Cambodia.

The meeting noted the update on Summary of Activities of ASEAN-PAC under the Chairmanship of the Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) of Brunei Darussalam from November 2021 to November 2022. Likewise, the meeting discussed and agreed to invite Timor-Leste as an observer to join the future ASEAN-PAC Meetings and its related activities.



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The members noted their common visions on strengthening the institutional capacities on anti-corruption in the ASEAN countries as well as enhancing the effectiveness of regional anti-corruption initiatives. These include, but not limited to, exchange of information and studies relating to anti-corruption for the purposes of education, prevention, detection and investigation, and capacity building related to anti-corruption and money laundering offences. Through the country presentations, ASEAN-PAC parties shared experiences and best practices on investigation, prevention, and education.

The 18th Principals Meeting of the ASEAN-PAC fully supported the point raised by the Representative of the Corruption Eradication Commission, Indonesia, who stated that the ASEAN-PAC is not only neighbors but brothers and sisters now. As family members, we must provide supports to one another and assist those in need.

The Meeting discussed and agreed on the topic for the ASEAN-PAC Capacity Building Workshop to be held in 2023 in collaboration with the ACU Cambodia as the Chair of ASEAN-PAC and the Corruption Eradication Commission, Indonesia. The ASEAN-PAC also held a side meeting with the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNDOC) Regional Office via an online format and welcomed the support by the UNODC in the preparation for the said workshop.



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07 ASEAN-PAC CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP

The ASEAN-PAC Capacity Building Workshop on the **Anti-Corruption Education and Corruption Prevention Strategies on a National Scale**, which was co-organized by Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU) Cambodia as the chair of ASEAN-PAC and the Corruption Eradication Commission (KPK) Indonesia in partnership with United Nations Office on Drugs and Crimes (UNODC) on 30-31 May 2023 in Jakarta, Indonesia with the participants from the ASEAN-PAC parties and Anti-Corruption Commission (CAC) of Timor Leste and experts from the ASEAN-PAC parties, the governments of ASEAN countries, the international and regional experts and Universities.

The workshop was attended by the presence of **H.E. Mr. Yonn Sinat**, Vice-President of the ACU representing **H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Om Yentieng**, Senior Minister, President of ACU and Chair of the ASEAN-PAC, **H.E. Mr. Firli Bahuri**, Chairman of KPK, **Ms. Putri Wijayanti**, Representative of the UNODC Country Manager based in Jakarta, Indonesia, and also the participation of **Mr. Francesco Checchi**, UNODC Anti-Corruption Advisor for Southeast Asia as one of the speakers in the workshop.



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08 ASEAN-PAC CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP

The ASEAN-PAC workshop shared the experiences and best practices through various topics.

- Framework for Creating Anti-Corruption Ecosystem in the Education Sector
- Best Practices and Lesson Learned in Creating Anti-Corruption Ecosystem in the Education Sector and Framework for Anti-Corruption Education
- Increasing Public Participation in the Anti-Corruption Efforts including through the Use of Digital Technologies
- National Framework and Initiatives to Promote Transparency and Accountability of Public Service
- Public Sector Integrity Measurement, Corruption Prevention and Enhancing Transparency in the Government Procurement



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09 ASEAN-PAC CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP

The workshop concluded with the summary of all points taken from the four breakout group's views and reflections on lessons learned and best practices on the above topics, and had come up with the next steps for the ASEAN-PAC's consideration for its future capacity building programs and activities as the followings:

(1) Anti-Corruption Education

- Adopting more digital tools
- A Centralized Platform for sharing Anti-Corruption resources
- ASEAN-PAC Education Competition: Storytelling, Painting, Short Videos, Talk Show, Choirs, Festivals.

(2) Corruption Prevention

- Sharing best practice (specific topic/theme each year) & capacity building on digitalization and procurement, collaboration in procurement planning
- Technical assistance (survey, assessment)
- Raising connection between anti-corruption agencies.



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10 ASEAN-PAC CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP



16-17 August 2023

11 19TH SECRETARIAT MEETING OF THE ASEAN PARTIES AGAINST CORRUPTION (ASEAN-PAC)

The ACU hosted the 19th ASEAN Parties Against Corruption (ASEAN-PAC) Secretariat Meeting on 16-17 August 2023 in Siem Reap province, Kingdom of Cambodia.

The Meeting was co-chaired by H.E. Dr. Orn Panhha, Assistant of Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU), representing H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Senior Minister Om Yentieng, President of the Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU) of the Kingdom of Cambodia and Chair of ASEAN-PAC.

The 19th ASEAN-PAC Secretariat Meeting received a great honour with very high appreciation for the Opening Remarks by H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Senior Minister Om Yentieng, President of the Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU) of the Kingdom of Cambodia, and Chair of ASEAN-PAC.

The meeting adopted the Minutes of the 18th ASEAN-PAC Secretariat Meeting under the chairmanship of Anti-Corruption Brunei (ACB) of Brunei Darussalam.



19th Secretariat Meeting of the ASEAN-PAC (from left to right): Ms. Michelle Villabesa, Graft Investigation and Prosecution Officer of the Office of the Ombudsman of the Philippines; Mrs. Nik Nurzai Binti Mohd Zainudin, Head Of International Affairs of Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission; Mr. Khemphilath Sounthala, Deputy Director General of the State Inspection Authority of the Lao PDR; Mr. Budi Santoso, Corruption Eradication Analyst of the Corruption Eradication Commission of the Republic of Indonesia; Ms. Nouv Whattey, Chief of International Bureau of the Anti-Corruption Unit of the Kingdom of Cambodia; Ms. Hasrina Suzanty Jamil, Head of International Affairs Unit of Anti-Corruption Bureau of Brunei Darussalam; H.E. Kittinittikosalbindit Senoir Minister OM YENTIENG, President of the Anti-Corruption Unit of the Kingdom of Cambodia; H.E. Mr. Htein Lin, Director General of the Anti-Corruption Commission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar; Mr. Lee Wei Kit, Assistant Director of the Corrupt Practices Investigation Bureau of the Republic of Singapore; Miss. Phurisuda Nilvan, Assistant Secretary-General of the National Anti-Corruption Commission of the Kingdom of Thailand; Mr. Vu Minh Thanh, Deputy Head of Division of the Government Inspectorate of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam, and HE. Dr. Orn Panhha, Assistant to Anti-Corruption Unit of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

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The meeting discussed the Draft ASEAN-PAC E-Booklet (one of the activities in the Action Plan 2023-2025), the modalities for the future launching of the ASEAN-PAC E-Booklet, and also the modalities for the Anti-Corruption Commission (CAC) of Timor-Leste to join the 11th Party to ASEAN-PAC upon Timor-Leste gaining full membership as an 11th Member to ASEAN.

The meeting took note on the updates by the ASEAN-PAC Secretariat under the ACU chairmanship on the brief summary of the ASEAN-PAC's related activities attended and represented by the ASEAN-PAC Chair and representatives on behalf of the ASEAN-PAC, and the briefing on the preparation of the Report of Summary of Activities of the ASEAN-PAC for submission to the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta, Indonesia prior to the completion of ACU's Chairmanship of ASEAN-PAC.

The meeting shared common views to put forward the discussed agenda items for further elaboration and consideration by the 19th Principals Meeting of ASEAN-PAC under the chairmanship of the State Inspection Authority of the Lao PDR, which will be taking place at the end of 2023.



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PARTICIPATION BY ASEAN-PAC CHAIR IN ASEAN-RELATED ACTIVITIES AND OTHERS

25 November 2022

15 6th FORUM OF ENTITIES ASSOCIATED WITH ASEAN

H.E. Mr. Yonn Sinat, Vice-President of ACU, representing H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Om Yentieng, Senior Minister, President of ACU and Chair of the ASEAN-PAC, along with one delegation member attended the 6th Forum of Entities on 25 November, 2022 at the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta, Republic of Indonesia. Some of the highlight points which are quite relating with the ASEAN-PAC are:

- The ASEAN entities received the opportunity to understand about the digitalization product created by the ASEAN Secretariat as a platform to share the information and activities of those entities via online via ASEAN secretariat website.
- The cooperation between ASEAN Secretariat and ASEAN entities as to allow the entities to propose inputs or create an initiative for cooperation to the ASEAN Secretariat or via the website: <http://entities.asean.org>.



02 March 2023

16 THE ASEAN-PAC ALLOWDED A MEETING WITH THE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR ELECTORAL SYSTEM (IFES)

H.E. Mr. Yonn Sinat, Vice-President of ACU, representing H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Om Yentieng, Senior Minister, President of ACU and Chair of the ASEAN-PAC, along with eight members met with Ms. Admira Salim, Director of International Foundation for Electoral System (IFES) and three members via online on 02 March 2023.

IFES presented about its roles and programs on the Anti-Corruption Transparency (ACT) in some ASEAN countries such as Cambodia, Indonesia, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam and also expressed their interests in extending the cooperation, where possible, with the ASEAN-PAC.

IFES requested the ACU to share the information about IFES to the ASEAN-PAC parties, which all their information was then shared to all ASEAN-PAC parties.

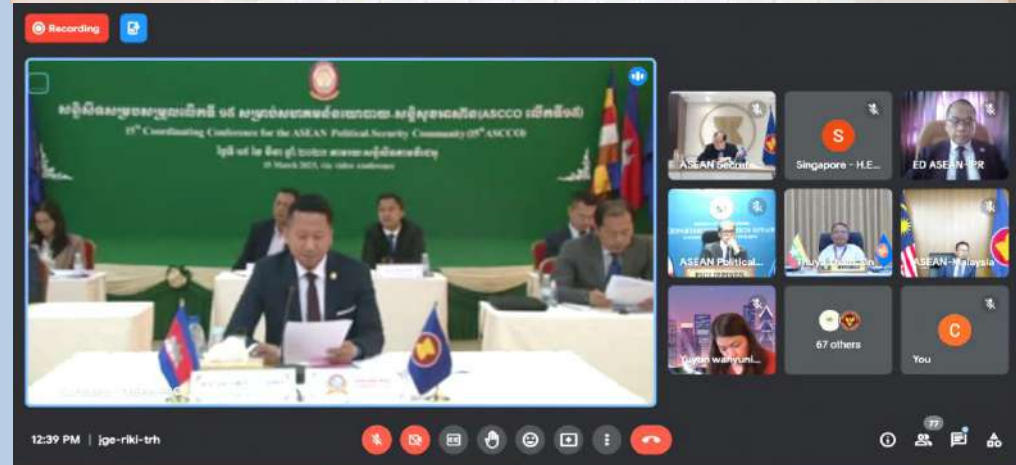


15 March 2023

17 15th COORDINATING CONFERENCE FOR THE ASEAN POLITICAL-SECURITY COMMUNITY (15TH ASCCO)

H.E. Dr. Orn Panhha, Assistant of ACU, representing H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Om Yentieng, Senior Minister, President of ACU and Chair of the ASEAN-PAC, along with 6 members of delegation attended the 15th Coordinating Conference for the ASEAN Political-Security Community (15th ASCCO) on 15 March 2023 via video-conference from the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta, Republic of Indonesia.

The ASEAN-PAC Chair's Representative conveyed to the conference on the past and latest developments within ASEAN-PAC under the ACU Cambodia's Chairmanship of ASEAN-PAC particularly the adoption of major documents of ASEAN-PAC such as the signing of ASEAN-PAC MoU, the adoptions of Terms of Reference (TOR) and the Action Plan 2023-2025 etc. The ASEAN-PAC fully supports the points raised by the Chairman of Corruption Eradication Commission (KPK), Indonesia that ASEAN-PAC is not only neighbors but brothers and sisters now, and as family members, ASEAN-PC must provide supports to one another and assist those in need. The ASEAN-PAC also reiterates full commitment and support of the relevant implementation of the ASEAN Political Security Community (APSC) Blueprint 2025 in particular the Action Lines on preventing and combating corruption.



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18 7th FORUM OF ENTITIES ASSOCIATED WITH ASEAN

H.E. Dr. Orn Panhha, Assistant of ACU, representing H.E. Kitti Nitti Kosal Pandita Om Yentieng, Senior Minister, President of ACU and Chair of the ASEAN-PAC, along with two members of delegation attended the 7th Forum of Entities on 15 May, 2023 at the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta, Republic of Indonesia.

The 7th Forum of Entities Associated with ASEAN held on 15 May 2023 at the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta, Indonesia focused the discussion on key issues including charting a sustainable future for ASEAN, the cooperation with the ASEAN Secretariat, the priorities of ASEAN for the next five years and the future participation of the ASEAN entities with ASEAN. Some of the highlight points which are quite relating with the ASEAN-PAC are:

- A discussion on the future of ASEAN sustainability, the comprehensive rehabilitation framework for ASEAN, the objective on education for the ASEAN sustainability.



15 May 2023

19 7th FORUM OF ASEAN ENTITY

- The cooperation with the ASEAN Secretariat focuses on (1) the formalities and overview of the ASEAN cooperation project, (2) an overview of the ASEAN project management framework and the contact for cooperation on the project proposals, and (3) the funding provision mechanisms by the ASEAN Secretariat.
- The importance of cooperation between the ASEAN Secretariat and its entities is an important part that contributes to the achievement of the ASEAN Community Vision 2025. ASEAN will continue to play a key role in driving growth in all areas by using the power that ASEAN has.
- The future involvement of the ASEAN entities, each entity is to (1) examine its potentials to engage with ASEAN particularly through updates with ASEAN (2) focus on key decisions making by the ASEAN leaders particularly on issues relating with the entity itself (3) encourage each entity to engage in activities with other groups of entities, and (4) examine the feasibility of the ASEAN's impact on the entity's own work and keep going forward through the joint activities.





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