

# THE TWELFTH MEETING OF THE ARF EXPERTS AND EMINENT PERSONS

6 – 7 March 2018

Hanoi, Viet Nam

## Provisional Agenda

- Agenda Item 1: **Co-chairs' Opening Remarks**
- Agenda Item 2: **Keynote Address by H.E. Nguyen Quoc Dzung,**  
Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Vietnam, ARF SOM Leader of Vietnam
- Agenda Item 3: **Session 1: Review of the Implementation of the ARF Work Plan on Preventive Diplomacy**
- Update on the ARF Work Plan on Preventive Diplomacy (ASEAN Secretariat)
  - Review of the Recommendations of the 11<sup>th</sup> ARF EEPs Meeting (Australia)
- Agenda Item 4: **Session 2: Report of the Working Group on ARF Initiatives on Promoting Cyber Security**
- Agenda Item 5: **Session 3: Regional security issues**
- (i) Power dynamics and Strategic adjustments in the region  
Presenter: Singapore  
Discussants: US, China
  - (ii) Non-proliferation and Disarmament.  
Presenter: Indonesia  
Discussants: Republic of Korea, New Zealand
  - (iii) Maritime security and Cooperation in the Indo-Pacific  
Presenter: The Philippines  
Discussants: Japan, India
- Agenda Item 6: **Session 4: Opportunities and Challenges for Preventive Diplomacy in the Asia-Pacific region**
- Agenda Item 7: **Session 5: Recommendations of the 12<sup>th</sup> ARF EEPs Meeting**
- Agenda Item 8: **Session 6: Concluding Session**
- Co-chairs' Summary
  - Dates and venue of the 13<sup>th</sup> EEPs Meeting
  - Co-chairs' Closing Remarks