



**ASEAN REGIONAL FORUM  
SENIOR OFFICIALS' MEETING (SOM)**

21 July 2020  
Viet Nam

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**Provisional Agenda**

- Agenda Item 1 : Adoption of Agenda**
- Agenda Item 2 : Business Arrangements**
- Agenda Item 3 : Report of the 17<sup>th</sup> ARF Security Policy Conference (ASPC), 8 July 2020 and the ARF Defence Officials' Dialogue (DOD), 1 July 2020**  
*Viet Nam to brief*
- Agenda Item 4 : Report of the ARF Inter-Sessional Support Group Meeting on Confidence Building Measures and Preventive Diplomacy (ISG on CBMs and PD), 2 July 2020 and review of the ARF CBMs and PD Meetings and Activities for the Inter-Sessional Year 2019-2020**  
*Viet Nam and the United States to brief on the outcomes of the ARF ISG on CBMs and PD and the activities and progress of the implementation of the ARF Work Plans under the five ARF ISMs.*  
*(Co-Chairs of the respective ARF ISMs to add, if necessary)*
- Agenda Item 5 : Consideration and Endorsement of ARF CBMs and PD Initiatives**  
*Viet Nam to brief*
- 5.1 List of Track 1 Activities for the Inter-Sessional Year 2020-2021**
- 5.2 Co-chairs of ARF Meetings and Activities for the next Inter-Sessional Year**  
*Including: ARF ISG on CBMs and PD, ARF DOD, ARF ISMs on MS, NPD, and ICTs Security, 24<sup>th</sup> ARF HDUCIM, 14<sup>th</sup> ARF EEPs and 8<sup>th</sup> ARF Peacekeeping Experts' Meeting, ARF DiREX*

**Agenda Item 6 : Future Direction of the ARF**

**6.1. *Update on the Implementation of the Hanoi Plan of Action to Implement the ARF Vision Statement***

*ARF Unit to brief*

**6.2. *ARF Ha Noi Plan of Action II (2020-2025)***

*Viet Nam to brief*

**6.3. *Guide to ARF Processes, Procedures, Practices and Protocol***

*Viet Nam to brief*

**Agenda Item 7 : Preparation for the 27<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Regional Forum**

*Viet Nam to brief*

**7.1 *Provisional Agenda and Programme of the 27<sup>th</sup> ARF***

**7.2. *Outcome Documents of the 27<sup>th</sup> ARF***

**7.2.1 ARF Statement on Enhancing Cooperation to Prevent and Respond to Infectious Disease Outbreaks**

*Viet Nam and New Zealand to brief*

**7.2.2 ARF Statement on the Treatment of Children Recruited and Associated with Terrorist and Violent Extremist Group**

*Indonesia, the EU, and New Zealand to brief*

**7.2.3 ARF Statement on Maintaining Security in Digital Economy**

*China to brief*

**7.2.4 ARF Statement on Countering Money-Laundering and the Financing of Terrorism**

*EU to brief*

**Agenda Item 8 : Exchange of Views on Regional and International Issues**

*ARF Participants to exchange views on regional and international issues as well as collective response to COVID-19*

**Agenda Item 9 : Other Matters**

**9.1. *ARF Annual Security Outlook 2020***

*Viet Nam to brief*

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