

Brussels, 14th July 2010

Dear Sir/Madame,

The European Institute has the pleasure to invite you to participate in its EIAS Briefing Seminar on the “Future Growth of ASEAN Economies and Sustainable Development”, which is taking place on Tuesday, 14th September 2010, from 14:30 to 17:30 at EIAS, Rue de la Loi 67, B-1040 Brussels.

The meeting is taking place in view of the recent OECD Report on the growth perspectives of the ASEAN economies and sustainable development. With the objective to enhance the discussion on the monitoring of development and effects of trade on the ASEAN economies, investment and development cooperation between ASEAN and the EU, the meeting will focus on the past achievements and prospects for the future in relation to policies that promote sustainable development, especially from the viewpoint of civil society.

Below, you can find the provisional programme of the Meeting.

Programme:

14:00 – 14:30 **Registration**

14:30 – 15:15 **Introduction by the Chair:** *Prof. Ludo Cuyvers*, Professor at the University of Antwerp and Chairman of the European Institute for Asian Studies

Presentation by *Mr. Kensuke Tanaka*, OECD

15:15 -16:15 **Paneldiscussion: Views from ASEAN**

Mr. Supark Prongthura, Counsellor of the Royal Thai Embassy in Brussels

H.E. Mr. Dato’ Hussein Haniff, Ambassador of Malaysia (Invited)

H.E. Mr. Nguyen Manh Dung, Ambassador of Vietnam (Invited)

16:15 – 17:15 **Paneldiscussion: Views from the European Union**

A representative of the European Commission (Name TBC)

Mr. David Martin, Member of the European Parliament

A representative from the European Economic and Social Committee (Name TBC)

17:15 – 17:30 **General Questions and Answers**

17:30 **Closing of the meeting**



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To register, please RSVP by e-mail to eias@eias.org, by Monday, 13 September 2010, indicating your Name, Position, Organisation and Contact Details.

Should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Looking forward to your reply,

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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