



THE 45TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE ASEAN INTER-PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY (AIPA)

17-23 October 2024
Vientiane, Lao People's Democratic Republic



The Role of Parliaments in Enhancing Connectivity and Inclusive Growth of ASEAN

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DRAFT AGENDA TOPICS

I. Meeting of Women Parliamentarians of AIPA (WAIPA)

1. Fostering Gender-Responsive Parliaments for a Resilient, Connected, and Inclusive ASEAN Community - **Sponsored by Lao PDR**

Attachment(s):

- *Women's Political Participation and Leadership Plan of Action and Implementation Framework 2024-2030*
- *Report of the WAIPA Workshop on Strengthening Women's Resilience and Leadership in ASEAN Through the Development of Plan of Action on Promoting Women's Political Participation*
- *Report of the WAIPA Events 2024 on Fostering Gender-Responsive Parliaments for a Resilient, Connected, and Inclusive ASEAN Community*

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II. Meeting of Young Parliamentarians of AIPA (YPA)

1. Empowering Youth in Building a Secure, Resilient, and Inclusive ASEAN Community - **Sponsored by Lao PDR**

Attachment(s):

- *Report of the 1st Consultative Meeting of Young Parliamentarians of AIPA*

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III. Committee on Political Matters

1. Draft Resolution on the Thematic Topic of the 15th AIPA Caucus Hosted by the



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Legislative Council of Brunei Darussalam - **Potential (TBC)**

Attachment(s):

- *Report of the 15th AIPA Caucus Meeting*
 - *Report of the AIPA Tripartite Forum*
2. Encouraging Parliamentary Cooperation in Digital Inclusion Efforts to Empower Peoples, Ensuring Cooperation for Peace, Stability, Security, and Prosperity - **Sponsored by Lao PDR**
 3. Strengthening Parliamentary Role in Promoting Cooperation Among ASEAN Political-Security Community Through the Connectivity and Inclusive Growth of ASEAN - **Sponsored by Lao PDR**
 4. Strive for Achieving People Participation in Maintaining Regional Peace, Stability, and Security Based on People-Oriented and People-Centred) - **Sponsored by Lao PDR**
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IV. Committee on Economic Matters

1. Adoption of ASEAN Responsible Investment in Agriculture, Food, and Forestry (ASEAN RAI) Parliamentary Implementation Framework

Attachment(s):

- *Report of the First AIPA-FAO-IISD Joint Workshop on the Implementation of the ASEAN Guidelines on Promoting Responsible Investment in Food, Agriculture, and Forestry (ASEAN RAI)*
 - *Report of the AIPA-FAO-IISD Joint Event on Fostering Stakeholders' Collaboration for Effective Implementation of ASEAN Guidelines on Promoting Responsible Investment in Food, Agriculture and Forestry (ASEAN RAI)*
2. Role of Parliament in Promoting Capital Mobilisation for Regional



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Infrastructure Connectivity towards ASEAN Connectivity Master Plan 2025 and beyond - ***Sponsored by Lao PDR***

3. Role of Parliament in Promoting ASEAN Digital Technological Integration, Towards ASEAN Digital Master Plan 2025 and beyond - ***Sponsored by Lao PDR***
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V. Committee on Social Matters

1. Strengthening the Role of Parliaments in Addressing the Drug Matters for a Drug-Free ASEAN Realization - ***Sponsored by 7th Meeting of AIPACODD***
Attachment(s):
 - *Report of the 7th Meeting of AIPACODD*
2. Promoting the Role of Parliaments in Smart Healthcare Innovation - ***Sponsored by Lao PDR***
3. Strengthening Collaboration to Create Tobacco and Nicotine-Free ASEAN - ***Sponsored by Lao PDR***
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VI. Committee on Organizational Matters

1. Presentation of Copies of Secretariat's Annual Report 2023-2024
Attachment(s):
 - *Annual Report of the AIPA Secretariat*
2. Audited Financial Report 2023-2024
Attachment(s):
 - *Explanatory Note*
 - *Audited Report*



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3. Budget Proposal for the AIPA Secretariat for Period of 1 August 2024 to 31 July 2025

Attachment(s):

- *Explanatory Note*
- *Budget Proposal*

4. The Amendments to the AIPA Statutes

Attachment(s):

- *Draft Amendment of AIPA Statutes*
- *Table of Amendment*

5. Adoption of Guidelines and Procedures of AIPA Engagement with Externals

Attachment(s):

- *Report of the AIPA Task Force Meeting on the Guidelines of AIPA Engagement with Externals and the Establishment of AIPA Digital Law Library*
- *Final Draft Guidelines and Procedures of AIPA Engagement with Externals*

6. Allocation of Mandatory Contribution by AIPA Observer Parliaments

7. Adoption of Terms of Reference and Enhanced Concept Note of the AIPA Digital Law Library (AIPALync)

Attachment(s):

- *Report of the AIPA Task Force Meeting on the Guidelines of AIPA Engagement with Externals and the Establishment of AIPA Digital Law Library*
- *Draft Terms of Reference of the AIPA Digital Law Library (AIPALync)*
- *Draft Enhanced Concept Note of the AIPA Digital Law Library (AIPALync)*

8. Transformation of the AIPA Advisory Council of Dangerous Drugs (AIPACODD) into AIPA Advisory Council on Transnational Crime (AIPA-ACT)



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Attachment(s):

- *Draft Terms of Reference of the AIPA Advisory Council on Transnational Crime (AIPA-ACT)*

9. Accrediting the National Assembly of the National Assembly of the Kingdom of Bahrain as an Observer of ASEAN Inter-Parliamentary Assembly (AIPA)

Attachment(s):

- *Letter of Request from the National Assembly of the Kingdom of Bahrain*
- *Views from ASEAN Secretary General*
- *Assessment and Recommendation*

10. Accrediting the National Parliament of the Federal Republic of Germany as an Observer of ASEAN Inter-Parliamentary Assembly (AIPA)

Attachment(s):

- *Letter of Request from the National Parliament of the Federal Republic of Germany*
- *Views from ASEAN Secretary General*
- *Assessment and Recommendation*

11. AIPA Distinguished Service Award to Hon. Hou Sry of the Kingdom of Cambodia

Attachment(s):

- *Letter of Nomination from the National Assembly of the Kingdom of Cambodia*
- *Curriculum Vitae of Hon. Hou Sry*

12. AIPA Distinguished Service Award to Hon. Mrs. Kanchanaratt Leevirojana of Thailand

Attachment(s):

- *Letter of Nomination from the National Assembly of the Kingdom of Thailand*



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- *Curriculum Vitae of Hon. Mrs. Kanchanaratt Leevirojana*

13. Appreciating the Service of H.E. Xaysomphone Phomvihane as President of AIPA

14. Expression of Gratitude to the Government of the Philippines for its Voluntary Contribution of US\$20,000.00 to AIPA

15. Date and Venue of the 46th AIPA General Assembly

VII. Panel Dialogue with AIPA Observer Parliaments

Parliamentary Cooperation towards Integration and Inclusive Growth

VIII. 3rd AIPA-ASEAN Hearing

Advancing ASEAN's Connectivity and Inclusive Growth: Enhancing Dialogue, Collaboration, and Consultation between AIPA and ASEAN