Implementation Challenges of the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership

20 October (Wednesday), 15:00 - 16:30 (Manila time), MS Teams

15:00 – 15:05  Opening Remarks
Ramesh Subramaniam, Director General, Southeast Asia Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)

15:05 – 15:40  Presentation: A Preliminary Assessment of the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership
Stefano Inama, Chief, ALDC, UNCTAD
Pramila Crivelli, Economist, Regional Cooperation and Integration Division, Economic Research and Regional Cooperation Department (ERCD), ADB

15:40 – 16:20  Panel Discussion
Moderator: Cyn-Young Park, Director, Regional Cooperation and Integration Division, ERCD, ADB
Panelists:
- H.E. SIM Sokheng, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Commerce of Cambodia
- Deborah Elms, Executive Director, Asian Trade Centre
- Tan Hsien-Li, Assistant Professor and Executive Director, ASEAN Integration through Law Project, Centre for International Law, University of Singapore

16:20 – 16:30  Q&A

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- **Mute** your microphone
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- For questions, use the **message chat box**
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