

# **Cambodia's Presentation on updates of ASEAN Peacekeeping Centres Network (APCN)**

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> ASEAN Peacekeeping Centres Network (APCN)

- ❖ *APCN was held from 07 to 09 October 2015  
Phnom Penh, Cambodia*
- ❖ *Attended by ASEAN member states  
except Brunei Darussalam, Singapore & Thailand*
- ❖ *Representatives of UNDP in Cambodia  
and ASEAN Secretariat were also present*

❖ **Presentations by keynote speakers:**

- *Secretary of State, Cambodian National Defense Ministry*
- *UN Resident Coordinator in Cambodia*

❖ **Presentations on updates of activities from ASEAN member states' Peacekeeping Centres:**

- *Cambodia*
- *Vietnam*
- *The Philippines*
- *Myanmar*
- *Malaysia*
- *Lao PDR*
- *Indonesia*

## ❖ Panel Discussions:

- *Ways forward in exchanging instructors/trainers and trainees among ASEAN PKO Centres*
- *Promoting capacity building among ASEAN member states through multinational FTX*
- *How to open ways and means in offering courses among ASEAN member states*

❖ **Views/suggestions/observations raised during the meeting:**

- *To maintain contact points of ASEAN PKO centres*
- *To share schedule of activities for information sharing*
- *To consider the development of specialized/niche expertise for each ASEAN member state*
- *To exchange high-level visits of instructors*

- ***To compile a list of upcoming activities of the existing ASEAN PKO centres for circulation among member states***
- ***There is a need to start exploring the possibilities of an ASEAN multinational FTX***
- ***ASEAN through APCN should be engaged collectively as ASEAN entity in view of pursuing ASEAN regional interests***



❖ **Proposal for next APCN meetings:**

- *The Philippines and Indonesia offered to host the subsequent 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> APCN*

***Thanks for your attention!!!***