At the pace that the 4IR is changing the region’s socio-economic landscape, governments play an important role to promote the accessibility and affordability to digital infrastructure.

The Royal Thai Government has been launched Thailand Digital Economy and Society Development Plan to encourage the country to constructively make use of digital technology to its full potential in the development of infrastructure, innovations, information, workforces, and other resources, in a bid to mobilize national economic and social development.

*Thailand also would like to call for* ESCAP Members to seek effective and appropriate measures to curb potential threats from cybercrimes and strengthen cybersecurity capabilities as we have become increasingly reliant on digital technology.