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**Expert Group Meeting on Structural Transformation and Poverty Reduction in the Asia-Pacific Countries with Special Needs**

12 to 13 November 2018  
Bangkok, Thailand

**LIST OF EXPERTS**

Dr. Sadia Afrin, Deputy Director, Bangladesh Bank, Bangladesh; and Visiting Fellow, Arndt Corden Department of Economics, Australian National University, Australia.

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Dr. Jesus Felipe, Economic and Research Department, Asian Development Bank, the Philippines.

Dr. Neelesh Gounder, Senior Lecturer and Deputy Head of School, University of the South Pacific, Laucala Campus, Fiji.

Dr. Muhammad Aamir Khan, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, COMSATS University, Pakistan.

Dr. Fahmida Khatun, Executive Director, Centre for Policy Dialogue (CPD), Bangladesh.

Mr. Veara Kim, Lecturer and Economic Researcher, Russian Federation Boulevard, Cambodia.

Mr. Yogi Vidyattama, Senior Research Fellow, the National Centre for Social and Economic Modelling (NATSEM), Institute for Governance and Policy Analysis (IGPA), University of Canberra, Australia. (*via Skype*)

Mr. Tandin Wangchuk, Researcher and Manager of Outlook Consulting Service, Bhutan.

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