

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

Standing Committee of the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement

Forty-Sixth Session

17-18 March 2015

Seoul, Republic of Korea

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

| Date | Time | Item | Agenda |
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| Tuesday, 17 March 2015 | 08:45-09:00 | | Registration |
| | 09:00 – 09:30 | 1 | Opening of the session Welcoming address: Dr. Moo-Kyung Jung Director General Bureau of Tariff and Customs Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Republic of Korea Dr. Kiliparti Ramakrishna Head Subregional Office for East and North-East Asia, ESCAP Dr. Joong-wan Cho Chief, APTA Secretariat Trade and Investment Division, ESCAP |
| | 09:30 – 09:40 | 2 | Election of officers |
| | 09:40 – 10:00 | 3 | Adoption of the agenda |
| | 10:00 – 10:30 | | <i>group photo and break</i> |
| | 10:30 – 11:30 | 4 | (a) Conclusion of the Fourth Round Negotiations: India's request to China (b) Decision on implementation of 4 th round |
| | 12:30 – 13:30 | | <i>Lunch hosted by the Ministry of Strategy and Finance, ROK</i> |
| | 13:30-15:00 | 5 | The Protocol to amend the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement: Second amendment |
| | 15:00 – 15:15 | | <i>Break</i> |
| | 15:45 – 16:30 | 6 | Finalization of the draft Ministerial Declaration and preparations for the 4 th session of APTA Ministerial Council |
| | 16:30 – 17:00 | 7 | Verification of the/final national lists of concessions |

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| Wednesday, 18 March 2015 | 09:45 – 10:45 | 8 | Other matters |
| | 10:45 – 11:00 | <i>Break</i> | |
| | 11:00 – 12:30 | 9 | Dates and venue for the 47th session of the Standing Committee and the 4 th Ministerial Council session. |
| | 12:30 – 14:00 | <i>Lunch hosted by Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy, ROK</i> | |
| | 14:00 – 16:00 | 10 | Adoption of the Report of the 46th session of the Standing Committee |
