

COUNCIL FOR SECURITY COOPERATION IN THE ASIA-PACIFIC

2nd Meeting of the CSCAP Study Group on Nonproliferation and Disarmament in the Asia-Pacific Putrajaya, Malaysia, April 17-18, 2016

AGENDA

Sunday, April 17, 2016

- 18:30 Welcome Reception
- 19:00 **Opening Dinner**

Monday, April 18, 2016

- 8:15 **Registration**
- 9:00 Welcome remarks (CSCAP Vietnam and USCSCAP)
- 9:15 Session 1: Recent Developments in Nonproliferation and Disarmament This session will focus on recent developments in nonproliferation and disarmament. In May 2015, the States parties to the Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) failed to agree a final document at the fifth Review Conference. What does this mean? What lies ahead for the review process? What is the current status of the Humanitarian Initiative? What happened at the recent Nuclear Security Summit? What are the next steps for nuclear security governance? Speaker: Manpreet Sethi Hirofumi Tosaki

Victor Mizin

10:45 **Coffee Break**

11:00 Session 2: The Korean Peninsula

This session will examine the current situation in the Korean Peninsula. What are the respective parties' assessments of recent developments? What is the focus of the new sanctions? What is the objective? Can they be implemented? Are they appropriate? What other actions should be taken? What are the prospects for breaking the current deadlock between the demand for a peace treaty versus the demand for denuclearization?

Speakers: Stephanie Kleine-Ahlbrandt

Representative from the DPRK delegation

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Session 3: Promoting Nonproliferation, Disarmament, and Peaceful Use of Nuclear Technology in the Asia Pacific
This session will assess the progress on promoting nonproliferation, disarmament, and the peaceful use of nuclear technology in the Asia Pacific. The session incorporates outcomes from the CSCAP Experts Group on Strategic Trade Management and the Nuclear Energy Experts Group. What are the trends in each area? What is the relationship between them? What new ideas can be pursued in future Track 1.5 and Track 2 workshops addressing peaceful use of nuclear technology, disarmament, and nonproliferation? What role should CSCAP play?
Speakers: Anupam Srivastava Jorshan Choi Natasha Barnes

15:30 **Coffee Break**

15:45 Session 4: CSCAP Handbook and ARF Action Plan on NPD

This session will include a review of the ARF Action Plan on Nonproliferation and Disarmament and the Handbook on Preventing the Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction in the Asia Pacific. What is being done in the ARF to implement the Action Plan? What can CSCAP to facilitate the implementation process? What should be done with the Handbook? How can it be used to promote nonproliferation in the Asia-Pacific? Speaker: Carl Baker

16:30 Session 5: Wrap-Up and Next Steps This session will summarize the meeting's key takeaways and discuss future steps for the Study Group and possible recommendations to the ARF.

- 17:00 Meeting Adjourns
- 18:30 Farewell Dinner