

# The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Asia Pacific Parliamentary Forum (APPF-27)

## Theme: "Strengthening Parliamentary Partnership for Peace, Security and Sustainable Development"

### AGENDA OF THE APPF-27

#### I. APPF Women Parliamentarians Meeting

- 1. Strengthening Asia-Pacific Region Partnership for Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women and Girls for Peace and Sustainable Development
- 2. Ensuring Equality for All Women and Men Access to Education, Technical Training and Information Technology for Sustainable Peace and Achieving SDGs
- 3. Promoting Gender Equality and Women Empowerment in Decision-Making at All Levels

#### II. Session 1: Political and Security Matters

- 1. Building Trust for Peace, Security and Sustainable Development in the Region
- 2. Combating Terrorism and Transnational Crimes in the Region
- 3. Strengthening Parliamentary Cooperation in Promoting the Responsible use of Cyberspace for Social Progress

#### III. Session 2: Economic and Trade Matters

- 1. Enhancing Cooperation Among Member States to Build Strong Institution for Promoting Trade and Inclusive Growth
- 2. Promoting Financial Access and Vocational Training for Small-Medium Enterprises for Employment and Peace
- 3. Enhancing Connectivity in the Asia-Pacific Through E-Commerce

#### IV. Session 3: Regional Cooperation in the Asia-Pacific Region

- 1. Enhancing Parliamentary Roles in Response to Climate Change
- 2. Promoting Cooperation on Disaster Risk Reduction
- 3. Enhancing Parliamentary Cooperation in Promoting Cultural Diversity and Tourism in Asia Pacific

#### V. Session 4: Final Plenary

- 1. Report of the Meeting of Women Parliamentarians
- 2. Presentation Chairman's Statement
- 3. Briefing on the Drafting Committee
- 4. Singing of Joint Communiqué
- 5. Future Work of APPF: Next Host Parliament of the 28<sup>th</sup> APPF
- 6. Closing Statement