

## THE 43<sup>RD</sup> GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF ASEAN INTER-PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY 20-25 NOVEMBER 2022

Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Advancing Together for Sustainable, Inclusive, and Resilient ASEAN

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## DRAFT RESOLUTION ON

RENEWAL AND AMENDMENT OF THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN AIPA AND THE ECONOMIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR ASEAN AND EAST ASIA (ERIA) TO "DEVELOP AIPA'S CAPACITY ON MATTERS CONCERNING ASEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY AND ASEAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION IN VARIOUS AREAS"

## The Forty-Third General Assembly:

**Recalling** Resolution 37GA/2016/ORG/02 on Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to Develop AIPA's Capacity on Matters Concerning ASEAN Economic Community and ASEAN Economic Integration in Various Areas between ERIA and AIPA and Resolution 41GA/2020/ORG/09 regarding the Extension of the Memorandum of Understanding between AIPA and ERIA;

**Noting** that ERIA is an international organization based in Jakarta with the purpose to conduct research activities and make policy recommendations for increased economic integration in the ASEAN and East Asia through its extensive experience in research;

**Expressing appreciation** of the cooperation between AIPA and ERIA which has helped contributing and facilitating in exchange of knowledge, best practices, ideas, and experiences to support the ASEAN Economic Integration Process and Waste Management;

*Noting* that the Memorandum of Understanding between both parties, signed by the AIPA Secretary-General and the President of ERIA, will expire on 22 January 2023.

## Hereby resolves to:

**Support** the renewal and the amendment of the Memorandum of Understanding to Develop AIPA's Capacity on Matters Concerning ASEAN Economic Community and ASEAN Economic Integration in Various Areas;

**Recommend** AIPA Secretariat and ERIA to renew and sign the Memorandum of Understanding with immediate attention.

In the event of any amendments arising in the Memorandum of Understanding, the Secretary-General shall obtain the direction of the President of AIPA.

Adopted on the Twenty Fourth day of November 2022 in Phnom Penh, Cambodia.