ASSOCIATION OF ASIA-PACIFIC PEACE OPERATIONS TRAINING CENTERS (AAPTC) ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING YEAR 2017

We, the delegations of AAPTC members, during the Conference from 1 to 3 August 2017 in Colombo, Sri Lanka, have agreed to the conclusions as follows:

- a. Offer the Chairmanship of AAPTC and host of the 2018 workshop to the Republic of Korea; Chairman and host for 2019 to Thailand; and Chairman and host for 2020 to Tonga;
- b. Efforts will be taken to participate in the Annual General Meetings of other three regional associations by the AAPTC members. Other regional associations may be encouraged to initiate the invitations to attend the AGM by the members of AAPTC;
- c. Encourage members' Permanent Missions to UN Headquarters to individually encourage UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations (OMA and ITS) participation in AAPTC workshops and activities;
- d. The revised Association's Strategic Roadmap will be finalized and uploaded in the AAPTC website by 31 August 2017;
- e. Submit a communiqué to the United Nations' DPKO (OMA and ITS) outlining Association membership accomplishments toward advancing peacekeeping training and concerns. All members of AAPTC are requested to follow the proceedings of the communiqué by their respective Permanent Missions in the UNHQ and give update in next AGM;
- f. Agree to advocate, as a collective, Association, at the IAPTC annual meeting as well as through individual national channels to the United Nations for more effective peacekeeping training;
- g. Reaffirm intent to permanently invite the institution holding the position of IAPTC Secretariat to attend the annual AAPTC workshop;
- h. Agree to work, to include, as appropriate, partners from other peacekeeping organizations and agencies to broaden the community of interest, thereby making training more inclusive and representative of multidimensional and integrate mission factors;
- j. Endeavor to pass along training information on a simple template to the Secretariat in advance of the AGM to inform membership of activities, trends, and concerns;
- k. BIPSOT will continue to perform as the Secretariat of AAPTC till 2020;
- l. All AAPTC members are requested to upload the list of Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) with detail profiles in their respective website;
- m. All AAPTC members are requested to upload the list of Mobile Training Support Team (MTST) with the expertise in their respective website;
- n. Australia has agreed to sponsor Timor Leste and Myanmar (as Observers) for the next AGM scheduled in Republic of Korea and efforts will be taken to ascertain the status of Bhutan in same AGM;

Extend our heartfelt appreciation to Sri Lanka Army for their leadership as the host and organizer of this year's meeting.

In keeping with the Articles of Association of the Asia-Pacific Peace Operations Training Centers (AAPTC), we affirm our commitment to ensure the highest quality of training of peacekeepers for United Nations peace operations.

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