Implementing the Sendai Framework to Reduce the Humanitarian Burden: ASEAN Resilience in Practice

SIDE EVENT
DAY 2
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1100 - 1230
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OBJECTIVE

The establishment of global developmental frameworks such as the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction (SFDRR) 2015-2030 aims to reduce risk, improve development pathways and reduce the impact of natural hazards. These frameworks begin to focus on holistic, synergistic solutions that integrate economic, social and environmental outcomes. In line with the global context, ASEAN nations established a common response framework – the ASEAN Agreement on Disaster Management and Emergency Response (The AADMER Work Programme 2016-2020). This side event is in response to the commitment to reinforce national and local leadership and capacities in managing disaster and climate-related risks through strengthened preparedness and predictable response and recovery arrangements (WHS Core Commitment Number 2) in the ASEAN context, which ties back to SFDRR Priorities for Action which links to the commitments made by States at WCDRR to the building of resilience to disasters with a renewed sense of urgency within the context of sustainable development and poverty eradication. The panel will discuss practical experiences highlighting risk reduction and resilience building in action, linking how resilient development process can both reduce the humanitarian burden and inform improved transitions after humanitarian actions.

AGENDA

INTRODUCTION

1100 Opening Remarks - Ms Adelina Kamal
   Director, ASEAN Secretariat

1105 Keynote Address - Mr Robert Glasser
   Special Representative of the Secretary-General UNISDR

PANEL SESSION

1115 Ms Monique Pariat
   Director General of the European Commission’s Humanitarian Aid and Civil Protection Department (ECHO)

Ms Farah Kabir
   Chair of GNDR Global Board, Global Network of Civil Society Organisations for Disaster Reduction

Mr Said Faisal
   Executive Director, ASEAN Coordinating Centre for Humanitarian Assistance on Disaster Management

Dato’ Dr Faizal Perdaus
   President, MERCY Malaysia/Chairperson, International Council of Voluntary Agencies (ICVA)

Dato’ Mohd Izani Ghani
   Executive Director/Chief Financial Officer, Khazanah Nasional Berhad, Malaysia

Ms Nikki Antonette De Vera
   Program Head, Training & Capacity Development Program, Center for Disaster Preparedness, Philippines

DISCUSSION, Q&A SESSION

1215 Moderator: Mr Vladimir Hernandez
   Country Director, MERCY Malaysia in Myanmar

1230 Session ends

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