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**RESOLUTION ON GLOBAL AND REGIONAL SECURITY
SITUATIONS**

The Thirtieth AIPA General Assembly:

Gravely concerned with global and regional security situations which are threatening peace and security thus alarmingly affecting the decent and peaceful lives of the peoples and sustainable development of the nation;

Strongly condemns all acts of terrorism happening globally and regionally that have caused the loss of innocent lives such as in Jakarta on 17 July 2009.

Condemns the recent nuclear test and missile launches undertaken by the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) and urge the DPRK to comply fully with relevant United Nations Security Council Resolutions and to return to the Six Party Talks

Hereby calls upon AIPA to:

Support the positions and actions of ASEAN, the United Nations, and the ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) on global and regional political and security issues of common concern and immediate challenges;

Collaborate with ASEAN to build an ASEAN Political-Security Community (APSC) as a rules-based Community of shared values and norms, a cohesive, peaceful, stable and resilient region with shared responsibility for comprehensive security, and a dynamic and outward-looking region in an increasingly integrated and interdependent world, through:

1. **Promotion of** regional peace and stability;
2. **Strengthening** cooperation under the Treaty of Amity and Cooperation (TAC) and confidence-building measures;
3. **Ensuring** full implementation of the Declaration on the Conduct of Parties (DOC) in the South China Sea for peace and stability in the South China Sea;
4. **Ensuring** the implementation of South East Asian Nuclear Weapon-Free Zone (SEANWFZ) Treaty, and its Plan of Action;
5. **Promotion of** greater transparency and understanding of defence policies and security perceptions;

6. **Building up** the necessary institutional framework to strengthen the ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) process in support of the ASEAN Political-Security Community (APSC);
7. **Strengthening** conflict resolution and existing modes of pacific settlement of disputes and post-conflict peace-building;
8. **Strengthening** cooperation in addressing non-traditional security issues, particularly in combating transnational crimes and other transboundary challenges;
9. **Intensification of** counter-terrorism efforts by early ratification and full implementation of the ASEAN Convention on Counter-Terrorism;
10. **Urging** all ASEAN member government to take strong measure actions against all acts of terrorism together in cooperation;
11. **Strengthening** ASEAN centrality in regional cooperation and community building;
12. **Promotion of** enhanced ties with external parties and consultations and cooperation on multilateral issues of common concern.