



**Eleventh Meeting of the CSCAP Study Group on  
Countering the Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction in the Asia Pacific  
Marina Mandarin Hotel - Singapore, July 3-4, 2010**

**Draft Agenda**

**Friday, July 2, 2010**

Participant arrival and check-in

18:30          Welcome Reception

19:00          Opening Dinner

**Saturday, July 3, 2010**

9:00          **Welcome remarks**  
(CSCAP Vietnam and USCSCAP)

9:15          **Session 1: The Nuclear Security Summit**  
This session will focus on reactions to the Nuclear Security Summit hosted by President Obama in April 2010. What are the significant outcomes of the Nuclear Summit? What impact has it had on the global nonproliferation regime? What impact does it have on the effectiveness of the IAEA safeguards regime? Does the initiative help discourage countries from developing nuclear weapons or proliferating nuclear materials? How? What is the significance of holding the 2012 summit in Seoul? What follow-on actions should be taken to implement the pledges made in the Summit's Communiqué, especially the commitment to secure all vulnerable fissile material if four years?

10:30          Coffee Break

10:45          **Session 2: Arms Control and Disarmament Developments**

This session will discuss recent developments in arms control and nuclear transparency, specifically, the recently completed New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (START) between the US and Russia, the US Nuclear Posture Review (NPR), and the report of the International Commission on Nuclear Non-proliferation and Disarmament (ICCND). How important is the START follow-on? What are the implications of the Treaty for nuclear

disarmament? What are the key provisions of the US Nuclear Posture Review? How do governments assess the significance of the NPR? Does publication of an unclassified posture review promote nuclear transparency? What are the significant provisions of the report by the ICCND? How do these initiatives affect the global zero initiative? What are the implications for the Asia-Pacific region?

12:30 Lunch

14:00 **Session 3: Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty Review Conference**  
This session will discuss the NPT Review Conference and its implications for the Asia-Pacific. What are the significant developments that emerged from the RevCon? Was it successful? Why (or why not)? Can we build on the momentum of all these recent developments?

15:30 Coffee Break

15:45 **Session 4: Developments on the Korean Peninsula**  
This session will examine the status of denuclearization in Korea. What are the respective parties' assessments of the Six-Party Talks? Can they be resumed? What are the alternatives to those talks? What actions could be taken to move the process forward? What kind of positive role can/should CSCAP and/or ARF play in the process?

17:30 Session adjourns

18:30 Dinner

### **Sunday, July 4, 2010**

9:00 **Session 5: Review and update of Asia-Pacific WMD Handbook**  
This session will provide an update on the Asia-Pacific WMD Handbook. It will include a review of completed chapters as necessary.

10:00 Coffee Break

10:15 **Session 6: Draft CSCAP Memorandum on Peaceful Use of Nuclear Energy**  
In this session, the group will review a draft of the proposed CSCAP Memorandum on Peaceful Use of Nuclear Energy. This will include a discussion on underlying principles of peaceful use and proposed policy recommendation to promote safe and secure use of nuclear power as a source of renewable energy. Participants will receive a draft memorandum prior to the beginning of the study group meeting.

12:00 Lunch

- 13:30      **Session 6 continued**
- 15:30      **Session 7: Wrap up and Future Plans**  
This session will focus on future work of the Study Group. How should the Study Group focus its efforts? How can the WMD Study Group complement and support the ARF Intersessional Meeting on Nonproliferation and Disarmament?
- 16:00      **Meeting Adjourns**
- 18:00      **Farewell Dinner**