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Adopted Agenda

Purpose: Information
Submitted by: ECSG Chair

39th Electronic Commerce Steering Group Meeting
Santiago, Chile
28 February 2019

THE 39th APEC ELECTRONIC COMMERCE STEERING GROUP MEETING (ECSG)
AGENDA
9:00-6:00pm, 28 Feb 2019
Santiago, Chile
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AGENDA #1.   INTRODUCTORY REMARKS BY THE ECSG CHAIR
The ECSG Chair will welcome Members, Observers and Guests, and make introductory remarks.

AGENDA #2.   ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA
The ECSG Chair will invite comments and request the ECSG Meeting to adopt the agenda.

AGENDA #3.   ADOPTION OF 38TH ECSG MEETING REPORT
The ECSG Chair will invite the ECSG Meeting to endorse the report of the 38th ECSG Meeting held on 10 August 2018 in Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea.

AGENDA #4.   APEC PRIORITIES FOR 2019
Presentation by the SOM Chair's Office on the priorities for 2019, including "Integration 4.0 Priority: Global Value Chains and the Digital Economy"

AGENDA #5.   BRIEFING BY CTI CHAIR ON CTI PRIORITIES FOR 2019
The CTI Chair would brief the Meeting on CTI priorities for 2019 with a view to strengthen collaboration among CTI and DESG.

AGENDA #6.   REPORT ON APEC DEVELOPMENTS
The APEC Secretariat will provide an update on APEC developments relevant to the ECSG, and an update on APEC project management to the ECSG.

AGENDA #7.   DEVELOPING QUALITY CONCEPT NOTES
The Project Management Unit will provide a briefing on the development of concept notes for APEC funded projects

AGENDA #8.   REPORT FROM DATA PRIVACY SUB-GROUP
The ECSG Chair will invite the Chair of the ECSG-DPS to submit his report for the information and consideration of the ECSG meeting.

AGENDA #9.   PROJECT PROPOSALS

(a) **Update on Completed/Ongoing Projects**
The ECSG Chair will invite the respective member economies to update the meeting of the following ongoing and completed projects.

Ongoing Projects

    i.   Cross-Fora Collaboration in APEC on the Use of Big Data in Medical Research, **United States**

    ii.   APEC Cross-Border Privacy Rules System: Fostering Accountability Agent Participation for Participants, Developing Economies, and MSMEs Benefit Workshop, **United States**

    iii.   Promoting Consumer Protection in Digital Trade: Challenges and Opportunities, **Korea**

    iv.   Proposal to Survey Ecommerce Regulations in APEC, **Singapore**

v. Promoting the Participation of MSMEs in the Regional Market to Bridge the Digital Divide in APEC Economies, **Viet Nam**

<u>Completed Project</u>

vi. Multi-year project, "APEC Cross Border Privacy Rules System Implementation and Administration Assistance" M CTI 01 2011T, **United States**

(b) New Projects or Activities
The ECSG Chair will invite member economies to submit project proposals or activities.

vii. Workshop on Using Blockchain for Cross Border Trade, **Chinese Taipei**
viii. Work Plan for APEC MyData Cooperation Platform, **Korea**
ix. Public-Private Dialogue (PPD) on promoting Consumer Protection in Digital Trade: Challenges and Opportunities in the dispute resolution and redress mechanisms, **Peru**
x. APEC Workshop on Fostering Inclusive Digital Economy: Sharing Best Practices in Advancing Women Participation in Start-ups Industries, **Indonesia**
xi. Workshop on "Understanding Digital Economy Landscape: How to Formulate Innovation and Business Policy", **Indonesia**
xii. Good practices on competency-based training that support labor market adaptability, employment and life-long learning, **Chile**
xiii. Domestic regulatory frameworks as a mean to promote digital services and contents, **Chile**
xiv. Study to identify concrete recommendations for facilitating the Internet and Digital Economy in the APEC region, **Chile**
xv. Capacity building on digital trade measurements cross-border digital trade poses, **Chile**

AGENDA #10.   UPDATE FROM APEC E-COMMERCE BUSINESS ALLIANCE (ECBA)
ECBA will present the "APEC E-Commerce Business Alliance Secretariat Report" and "Xi'an Experience in E-commerce Poverty Alleviation".

AGENDA #11.   INFORMATION SHARING ON ELECTRONIC COMMERCE ISSUES
The ECSG Chair will invite guests and members who would like to submit voluntary reports to the ECSG for information.

(a) <u>Member Economies</u>
  - Chile
  - United States

(b) <u>Guest Organizations</u>
  - CIPL
  - IAF
  - ALAI

AGENDA #12.   UPDATE ON THE FORMATION OF THE DIGITAL ECONOMY STEER GROUP (DESG)
The ECSG Chair will provide an update on the formation of the DESG and plan for continuing ECSG work.

AGENDA #13. **APEC'S IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BORACAY ACTION AGENDA (BAA) AND RESULTS/RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE MID-TERM REVIEW OF PROGRESS ASSESSMENT**

The Philippines will provide an update on the implementation of the BAA and results of the mid-term review of progress report.

AGENDA #14. **OTHER BUSINESS**

(a) Report to CTI
The ECSG Chair will inform the meeting that an ECSG-Convenor's report, based on the discussions at the meeting will be prepared for submission to the CTI.

AGENDA #15. **Conclusion and Next Meeting**

(a) Document access
The APEC Secretariat will present the document classification list for the endorsement of the ECSG.

(b) Dates and venues for next meeting
The host of the next DESG meeting will brief the meeting on the dates and venues for the next meeting.

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