



Seminar on the ASEAN Economic Community

Monday, October 14, 2013, 13.00 – 17.30

Location: Don Chan Palace Hotel

13.00-13.30	Registration
13.30-13.35	Opening remarks Mr. Guy Apovy, President of ECCIL
13.35-13.50	WTO as a foundation for the AEC Mr. Steve Parker, Project Director for USAID/LUNA-Lao
13.50-14.20	AEC in the context of ASEAN integration Mr. Subash Bose Pillai, Director of Market Integration Directorate ASEAN (tbc)
14.20-15.10	AEC and its practical implications on doing business in ASEAN Dr. Gunter Denk, Executive Director of Sanet Group
15.10-15.30	Q&A
15.30-15.50	Coffee break
15.50-16.10	Lao PDR's preparation activities for trade in goods in the AEC Representative of Foreign Trade Policy Department, Ministry of Industry and Commerce
16.10-16.30	Lao PDR's preparation activities for trade in services in the AEC Representative of Investment Promotion Department, Ministry of Planning and Investment
16.30-17.30	Panel discussion and Q&A Mr. Steve Parker, USAID/LUNA-Lao Mr. Subash Bose Pillai, ASEAN (tbc) Dr. Gunter Denk, Sanet Group Representative of Ministry of Industry and Commerce Representative of Ministry of Planning and Investment Mr. Chris Manley, Chairman of AmCham (tbc) Mr. Jack Sheehan, DFDL (tbc) Mr. Oudet Souvannavong, Vice President of LNCCI (<i>moderator</i>)
17.30	Closing remarks Mr. Brennan Coleman, President of ANZBA

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