



ASEAN FOREIGN MINISTERS' STATEMENT ON DEVELOPMENTS IN THE KOREAN PENINSULA

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The ASEAN Foreign Ministers welcomed the Inter-Korean Summit of 27 April 2018, as well as the announcement of plans for a meeting between US President Donald Trump and Democratic People's Republic of Korea leader Kim Jong Un in the near future. The Ministers welcomed the outcome of the Summit which could enhance inter-Korean relations for the betterment of the Korean peoples.

The Ministers are encouraged by these positive developments and urge all concerned parties to work towards reducing tensions, and the complete, verifiable and irreversible denuclearisation of the Korean Peninsula which will contribute to the peace and stability of the region.

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