

SIXTH MINISTERIAL FORUM

November 29-30

The Courtyard by Marriott Hotel

The Sixth Ministerial Forum will convene Ministers and senior government officials from the EAS countries, together with key representatives from international and regional organizations and Non-Country Partners and collaborating organizations of PEMSEA.

Closing Ceremony (29 November 2018)

08:45 – 09:00	Arrival of the Ministers from the East Asian Countries
09:00 – 09:10	Opening of Closing Ceremony and Acknowledgement of Key Guests
09:10 – 09:20	Youth Statement (Youth Forum delegate)
09:20 – 09:40	Summary of the EAS Congress International Conference Conclusions and Recommendations Dr. Chua Thia-Eng Overall International Conference Chair and Chair Emeritus of PEMSEA
09:40 – 09:50	Special Video Message from UN Special Envoy for the Oceans Amb. Peter Thomson UN Special Envoy for the Oceans
09:50 – 10:00	Introduction of the President of the Republic of the Philippines Hon. Roy Cimatu Secretary Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Philippines
10:00 – 10:10	Keynote Message by the President of the Republic of the Philippines <i>(To be delivered by the Secretary of Department of Foreign Affairs)</i> Hon. Teodoro Locsin, Jr. Secretary Department of Foreign Affairs
10:10 – 10:20	Declaration of Official Closing of the International Conference Dr. Chua Thia-Eng Overall International Conference Chair
10:20 – 11:00	Tour of the Exhibit by EAS Ministers
11:00 – 12:30	Lunch Banquet for Philippine President and Ministers (Hosted by DENR)

MINISTERIAL FORUM PROPER (29 November 2018)

- 12:45 – 13:00 **Arrival of the Ministers from the East Asian Countries**
- 13:00 – 13:10 **Opening of the Ministerial Forum Proper**
Chair: Hon. Roy A. Cimatu
Secretary, Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Philippines
- 13:10 – 14:10 **Ministerial Statements**
- 14:10 – 14:40 **Signing of the Ministerial Declaration**
- 14:40 – 14:50 **Closing of the Ministerial Forum**
- 14:50 – 15:20 **Press Conference (DENR Secretary and PEMSEA)**
- 17:30 – 19:00 **Dinner Banquet (Hosted by Iloilo City)**

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- 08:00 – 15:00 **Field Visit (optional)**
- 18:00 – 20:00 **Farewell Dinner (Hosted by DENR)**

Ministerial Lunch Banquet (hosted by DENR)

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- 11:00 – 11:05 **Special Message from Host**
Usec. Jonas Leones
Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Philippines
- 11:05 – 11:10 **Presentation of Tokens to the Ministers**
- 11:10 – 12:30 **Lunch (Accompanied with DENR video)**
- 12:30 – 12:35 **Announcement of Schedule**
Ms. Aimee Gonzales
Executive Director
PEMSEA

Ministerial Dinner Banquet (hosted by Iloilo City)

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- 17:30 – 17:35 **Welcome Remarks**
Hon. Jose S. Espinosa III
Mayor
Iloilo City, Philippines
- 17:35 – 17:40 **Special Remarks**
Hon. Roy A. Cimatú
Secretary
Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Philippines
- 17:40 – 17:45 **Special Remarks**
Mr. Arief Yuwono
EAS Partnership Council Co-Chair
PEMSEA
- 17:45 – 17:50 **Presentation of Tokens to Ministers and Picture taking of Ministers**
- 17:50 – 18:00 **Special Toast**
Hon. Jose S. Espinosa III
Mayor
Iloilo City, Philippines
- Hon. Roy A. Cimatú**
Secretary
Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Philippines
- 18:00 – 18:50 **Dinner (Accompanied with Cultural performances/Entertainment from Iloilo)**
- 18:50 – 19:00 **Closing Remarks**
Ms. Aimee Gonzales
Executive Director
PEMSEA