The 5th Meeting of the Asia-Europe Political Forum
(Kathmandu, Nepal, October 13-16, 2023)

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As of October 6, 2023

List of Speakers

Opening Session (14 October 09:30-10:00)

Moderator: Communist Party of Nepal (UML)

1. **Opening Remarks** by **Hon. Chung Eui-yong**, Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee and former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of **Korea**
2. **Opening Remarks** by **Hon. K P Sharma Oli**, former Prime Minister, Chairman of the Communist Party of Nepal (UML), former Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee
3. **Welcoming Remarks** by **Hon. Dr. Rajan Bhattarai**, Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Co-Chairperson of the Asia-Europe Political Forum, Chief of the International Department of the Communist Party of Nepal (UML)
4. **Welcoming Remarks** by Members of the Congress of Nepal

1st Session: Promoting Sustainable Tourism

Moderator: Hon. Jan Zahradil, Co-Chairperson of the Asia-Europe Political Forum, Member of the European Parliament, European Conservatives and Reformists Group (ECR)

Lead Speaker: Hon. Mushahid Hussain Sayed, Vice-Chairperson and Special Rapporteur of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Chairman of Senate Committee on Defense, Pakistan Muslim League-*Nawaz* (PML-*N*), **Pakistan**

1. **Hon. Dr Yubaraj Khatiwada**, former Finance Minister and former Governor of Nepal Rashtra (central) Bank, Federal Democratic Republic of **Nepal**

2. **Hon. Fadi Fawaz**, Member of ICAPP Standing Committee, Advisor for Development Affairs to H.E. Saad Hariri, Prime Minister and Chairperson of the Future Movement Party, Republic of **Lebanon**

3. **Hon. Cho Jeong-Sik,** Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Secretary-General of the *Minjoo* Party, Member of the National Assembly (Foreign Affairs and Unification Committee), Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly of Korea, Republic of **Korea**

4. **Hon. Suos Yara**, Vice Chairman of the Commission on External Relations, Director-General of Asian Cultural Council, Chairman of the Commission on Foreign Affairs, International Cooperation, Information and Media of the National Assembly, Cambodian People's Party, Kingdom of **Cambodia**

5. **Hon. Youssef Awad**, Member of ICAPP Standing Committee, Coordinator for Asia and Overseas, Free Patriotic Movement, Republic of **Lebanon**

6. **Hon. Ha Tae-Keung**, Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Business Council (IBC), Member of the National Assembly (Foreign Affairs and Unification Committee), Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly of Korea, Republic of **Korea**

7. **Hon. Beka Natelashvili**, International Secretary, Republic of **Georgia**

8. **Hon. Pimrapee Phanwichatikul,** Member of the House of Representatives, *Democrat* Party, the Kingdom of **Thailand**

9. **Mr. Thanh Tung Le**, Deputy Director General of the Commission for External Relations of the Central Committee, Communist Party of Vietnam, Socialist Republic of **Vietnam**

2nd Session: Safeguarding Financial Stability in the Post-Pandemic Era

- **Moderator: Hon. Dr. Rajan Bhattarai,** Member of the ICAPP Standing committee, Co-Chairperson of the Asia-Europe Political Forum, Chief of the International Department of the Communist Party of **Nepal** (UML)

1. **Hon. Mr. Deepak Joshi,** former CEO of Tourism Board, Federal Democratic Republic of **Nepal**

2. **Hon. Tahir Budagov**, Deputy Chairman and Head of Central Office, *Yeni* (New) Azerbaijan Party, Republic of **Azerbaijan**
3. **Hon. Rana Mohammad Sohail,** Member of Parliament, Additional Secretary-General and Presidium Member of the *Jatiya* Party, People's Republic of **Bangladesh**
4. **Mr. Du Xiaolin,** Counselor, CPC International Department, Communist Party, People's Republic of **China**
5. **Mr. Nain Singh Mahar**, Central Committee Member, *Nepali Congress* Party, Federal Democratic Republic of **Nepal**

Closing Session (14 October 15:15-16:00)

Moderator: Hon. Kwon Hee-seog, ICAPP Secretary-General, former Ambassador to Italy and Ambassador to ASEAN (Jakarta), Republic of **Korea**

1. **Summary Report and Closing Remarks** by **Hon. Dr. Rajan Bhattarai,** Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Co-Chairperson of the Asia-Europe Political Forum, Chief of the International Department of the Communist Party of **Nepal** (UML)
2. **Closing Remarks** by **Hon. Jan Zahradil**, Co-Chairperson of the Asia-Europe Political Forum, Member of the European Parliament, European Conservatives and Reformists Group (ECR)

3. **Closing Remarks** by **Hon. Mushahid Hussain Sayed**, Co-Chairman of the ICAPP

Standing Committee and Chairman of the Senate Defense Committee, **Pakistan**