

8 MARCH 2021

## TAKING STOCK OF THE SERIES OF EVENTS ON GUN VIOLENCE AND ILLICIT SMALL ARMS TRAFFICKING FROM A GENDER PERSPECTIVE IN ASIA-PACIFIC

VIRTUAL MEETING VIA CISCO WEBEX

5:30 AM-7:15 AM CET | 10:15 AM – 12:00 PM NPT | 11:30 PM -1:15 AM EST

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### Agenda

#### Opening session

- Video Statement from the EU Special Envoy for Non-proliferation and Disarmament, Ambassador Marjolijn van Deelen.
- Video Statement from the Under-Secretary-General and High Representative for Disarmament Affairs Izumi Nakamitsu on women's participation in celebration for Women's Day.

#### Outcomes of the series of events on Gun Violence and Illicit Small-Arms Trafficking from a Gender Perspective in Asia-Pacific

- A summary of the outcomes of the workshops.
- Initiatives undertaken by the members of parliament and CSOs at the national level - testimonies from the participants.

#### The Seventh Biennial Meeting of States (BMS7) on the UN Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat, and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons In All Its Aspects:

- Key challenges and opportunities relating to the implementation of the Programme of Action and the International Tracing Instrument at the national, regional and global levels.
- A Call to Action to civil society in preparation for BMS7.

#### Conclusions and way forward