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To: ASEM Customs Directors-General/Commissioners,

<u>Subject</u>: **OFFICIAL INVITATION to the 13th ASEM Customs Directors-General/Commissioners' Meeting**.

Dear Colleagues,

Viet Nam would be delighted to host the 13th ASEM Customs Directors-General/Commissioners' Meeting which will be held from 9 - 10 October 2019 in Ha Long City, Quang Ninh Province, Viet Nam.

On behalf of the General Department of Viet Nam Customs, I am honored to invite you and your staff to attend the Meeting where we will bring together a review of the ASEM Customs Action Plan 2018-2019, as well as approval of ASEM Customs' next work programs in the "Ha Long Declaration" and the upcoming Action Plan 2020-2021.

As regards, please be kindly advised that the official website for the 13th ASEM Customs Directors General/Commissioners' Meeting (www.asemcustoms2019.vn) is available for online registration of delegates and all administrative and logistics information. For online registration, all delegates are kindly requested to log in the official website of the Meeting and use the same passcode "asem13" to submit their registration by 20 September 2019.

The first version of the Draft Agenda and Administrative Circular of the Meeting is attached herewith for your information and inputs. If you have any further queries and information relating to the Meeting, please address to email <u>asem13@customs.gov.vn</u> to ask our team's assistance.

Taking this opportunity, I would like to convey my sincere thanks to all ASEM Customs members for your cooperation and support extended to Viet Nam Customs over the past years. It is believed that this Meeting will be a great chance for all leaders and participants to meet again, strengthen our existing networks and together look at the future work and prospects of ASEM Customs.

I am looking forward to warmly welcoming you to Ha Long City. With my best regards.

Yours sincerely,

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