









HIGH LEVEL DIALOGUE ON ASEAN ITALY **ECONOMIC RELATIONS 2020**

1° DIGITAL ROUND TABLE

July 2, 2020 10.00 am - 1.00 pm (CEST time)

AN EXCLUSIVE, INFLUENTIAL COMMUNITY OF LEADERS FOR GROWING THEIR ENTERPRISES, THEIR **COUNTRIES, AND THEIR CONTINENTS**

The High-Level Dialogue on ASEAN Italy Economic Relations is the reference event in the ASEAN Region for strengthening economic and strategic ties between ASEAN countries and Italy.

The first three editions - Jakarta (2017), Singapore (2018) and Hanoi (2019) - gathered more than 1,000 Chairmen and CEOs of companies, Ministers and Institutional leaders from ASEAN Countries and Italy. The latest edition in Hanoi saw the attendance of both Prime Ministers of Italy and Vietnam along with the ASEAN **Deputy Secretary-General** and senior Ministers from the other ASEAN countries.

This year, in the light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the High Level Dialogue turns into a cycle of 4 high-level digital Round Tables programmed from July 2020 to January 2021.

The 1° digital Round Table of the High Level Dialogue on ASEAN Italy Economic Relations 2020 will take place on Thursday, July 2, 2020 from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm (CEST time).

During the Round Table, the role of the ASEAN region and the value of cooperation with Italy in the current global scenario will be discussed. A forward-looking perspective for broadening opportunities between Italy and ASEAN countries from an economic and an industrial point of view will be provided also in the light of the Corona virus crisis and the restart phase.

To date, the following personalities have confirmed their attendance as speakers: Mohamed Azmin Ali (Senior Minister of International Trade and Industry, Malaysian Government), Barbara Beltrame (Vice President for Internationalization, Confindustria), Valerio De Molli (Managing Partner and CEO, The European House -Ambrosetti, Italy), Manlio Di Stefano (Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Italian Government), Carlo Ferro (President, Italian Trade Agency), Douglas Foo (President, Singapore Manufacturing Federation; Nominated Member of Singapore Parliament), Enrico Letta (President, Associazione Italia-ASEAN, Italy; Dean, Paris School of International Affairs, Sciences Po; former Prime Minister, Italy), Azman Mahmud (CEO, Malaysian Investment Development Authority – MIDA), Bui Nhat Quang (President, Vietnam Academy of Social Science), Soh Thian Lai (President, Federation of Malaysian Manufacturers), Ramesh Subramaniam (Director General for South East Asia, Asian Development Bank) and Akiko Yamanaka (Special Advisor to the President, ERIA – Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia).

Participation is by invitation only.