PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE ECONOMIC COMMISSION

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Concerning change of schedule for the High-level Forum, Asean Smart Cities Summit & Expo 2020



On behalf of the co-hosts, the Central Economic Commission has sent you the invitation for the **ASEAN Smart Cities Summit & Expo 2020** under the theme "Smart Cities – Towards community, identity and sustainable development for a cohesive and responsive ASEAN". The event is expected to be convened under hybrid format (both virtually and in-person) on 22 and 23 October, 2020 at the National Convention Centre, Hanoi.

As an event of great significance in Viet Nam's 2020 ASEAN Chairmanship Year, the ASEAN Smart Cities Summit & Expo 2020 is expected to enhance the exchange of initiatives, experience sharing and cooperation between Vietnamese cities and the ASEAN smart cities network, so as to accelerating the productive implementation of the Politburo's Resolution No. 52-NQ/TW, dated September 27th, 2019 on "Some orientations and policies to actively engage Viet Nam into the Fourth Industrial Revolution".

Due to objective reasons, with approval of H.E. Prime Minister Nguyen Xuan Phuc and H.E. CEC Chairman Nguyen Van Binh, the Organizing Team would like to announce new date for the High-level Forum, which was previously scheduled on the morning of 23 October, 2020 (Friday). Accordingly, the High-level Forum's new date shall be on the **afternoon of 22 October, 2020 (Thursday)**. Venue of the High-level Forum and schedules for other 05 conference sessions are the same as previously scheduled in the invitation that you have received.

The Central Economic Commission has the honor to inform you of the above mentioned new date for the High-level Forum and invite you to attend the event.

For the Organizing Team's convenience, please confirm your attendance to the High-level Forum and other Conference Sessions (including name, tittle, position, office, telephone/mobile phone, e-mail, high-level forum/conference session) by e-mail or telephone to the Secretariat **before 14:00**, 21/10/2020: Ms Nguyen Hong, Mobile phone: 0973 466 428 Or Mr. Huy Le, Mobile phone: 0989 080 388 | *Email: attendee@smartcitysummit.org.vn*

Sincerely yours,

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