ASEAN Youth Video Competition:
“ASEAN Against Trafficking: Humans are not for Sale”

Application Details

Background and Introduction

ASEAN’s firm commitment to combat trafficking in persons (TIP) can be seen through its adoption of various instruments with the latest being the ASEAN Convention Against Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children (ACTIP) which has entered into force in March 2017. Further, the ASEAN Human Rights Declaration (AHRD) expressed ASEAN’s firm understanding of human trafficking as an infringement of human rights, as stated in article 13 of the AHRD.

Based on the above commitments, the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights (AICHR) and the Committee of Permanent Representatives to ASEAN (CPR) are pleased to announced the launch of a region-wide Youth Video Competition with the theme “ASEAN Against Trafficking: Humans are not for Sale!” The Competition is designed to raise awareness of ASEAN youth on the inter-relatedness between human rights and trafficking in persons (TIP).

We invite youth citizens of ASEAN to submit a 3 – 5 minute video to express their view on the importance of fighting human trafficking, and the need for collaborative efforts in fighting human trafficking which constitutes a violation of human rights.

The Competition consists of three (3) categories: national level, regional level and a people’s choice award. The Winners for the Regional and People’s Choice Award will be invited to the 31st ASEAN Summit in November 2017 in the Philippines.
Timeline/Process

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<td>30 June – 15 Aug 2017</td>
<td>Period of submission of videos by participants to the National Focal Points.</td>
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<td>21 - 25 Aug 2017</td>
<td>Selection of national winners</td>
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<td>31st Aug 2017</td>
<td>Announcement of the national winners</td>
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<td>16 October 2017</td>
<td>The regional panel of judges to vote for a regional winner</td>
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<td>18 September – 16 October 2017</td>
<td>Voting period for the people’s choice award</td>
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<td>1 November 2017</td>
<td>- The Announcement of the Regional Winner</td>
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Judging Criteria

1. Originality: videos must be original, authentic and had never been submitted for competition or published in the media;
2. Creativity: presents its topic in an inventive way and offers something new;
3. Content: relevance of the content of the video to the theme of the competition;
4. Interactivity: the ability for the video to draw in viewers; and
5. Quality of Production:
   a. Visual Aesthetics – the appearance of the video;
   b. Cinematography - quality of the audio, lighting, camera steadiness; and
   c. Adherence to time limit: Duration of the video must be 3-5 minutes only. Deduction of 1 point per second will be applied in the quality of production when the video exceeds 5 minutes.

Prizes:
Number of winners: 10 national winners, 1 regional winner, 1 people’s choice award

- National winners : Cash prize of USD 500/person
- Regional winner: Cash prize of USD 2,000
- People’s choice award winner: Cash prize of USD 500

Eligibility:

1. The competition is open to ASEAN nationals from the age of 18 until the age of 25.
2. Submissions of video must be accompanied by completed registration and waiver forms. The registration form are to contain the following information:

   - Name
• Date of birth
• Nationality
• Address
• Contact information
• Title of video
• Brief narrative/description of video (the narrative should not exceed 300 words).

3. Any videos which provoke hatred and incitement, intentionally misinterpret the ACTIP and/or ASEAN, or are not in conformity with AHRD and national laws shall not be accepted.

4. Any videos containing materials deemed by the organisers to be inappropriate, misleading, injurious and contrary to the public interest of ASEAN or its Member States shall not be accepted. The decision of the organisers is final and may not be appealed.

Disclaimer and Warranties:

1. Please note that by submitting any video to the ASEAN Youth Video Competition: “ASEAN Against Trafficking: Humans are not for Sale!” (the "Competition"), the participants hereby grant to ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates, an irrevocable, perpetual and royalty-free right to use, reproduce, edit display, transmit, prepare derivative works of, modify, publish and otherwise make use of any and all submitted video in any and all media, whether now known or hereinafter created, throughout the world and for any purposes. In addition, the rights granted to ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates reserve the right including but are not limited to alter, censor, compress, edit, feature, caption, affix logos to, and otherwise provide the ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates with full authority to use any of the submitted video for any activities.

2. In addition, by submitting any video to the Competition, participants hereby represent and warrant that the submitted video together with any information contained in the video does not and shall not infringe any copyright or any other relevant rights of any party or third party, and the participants has agreed to grant ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates the non-exclusive, perpetual, royalty-free right and any rights and worldwide licenses, including but not limited to all necessary rights under copyright, free and clear of any claims or encumbrances. ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates may use, print, post, display, make multiple copies, or otherwise make publicly available any video submitted by participants, ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates’ sole discretion and unfettered discretion, remove, edit, modify or delete any portion of the video or information that you have submitted to the Competition.

3. The participants hereby acknowledge that any breach of these warranties that may cause ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates damage
or loss, the participants agree to indemnify ASEAN including the ASEAN Secretariat, AICHR and its affiliates of full and permanently against any third party(ies) liabilities, claims, costs, loss or damage incurred as a result of publishing the video that you have submitted to the Competition, including any consequential losses.

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