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## EVENTOS / EVENTS

# VIETNAM

"VIETNAM: SITUACIÓN ACTUAL Y PERSPECTIVAS EMPRESARIALES EN EL MARCO DEL TRATADO DE LIBRE COMERCIO ENTRE LA UE -VIETNAM"

Fecha / Date: 23 Marzo / March

Sede / Venue: Webinar

Organizador / Organizer: ASEMPEA

Más información / Further information: info@asempea.com

# THAILAND

## "THE FUTURE OF COCCONUT MARKET FROM SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS & INNOVATION PRODUCT 2021"

Fecha / Date: 24 Marzo / March

Sede / Venue: Webinar

Organizador / Organizer: THAI COCONUT

### Más información / Further information:

www.thaicoconut.com-event.com

# INDONESIA

## "CUMBRE ESPAÑA -INDONESIA"

Fecha / Date: 25 Marzo / March

Sede / Venue: Webinar

**Organizador / Organizer:** Casa Asia

Más información / Further information:

## PHILIPPINES

## "PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR UPDATES ON THE BUILD BUILD BUILD PROGRAM"

Fecha / Date: 25 Marzo /March

Sede / Venue: Webinar

Organizador / Organizer: Spanish Chamber of Commerce in the Philippines and Acciona

Más información / Further information:

www.lacamaramanila.com

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# **NEGOCIOS / BUSINESS**

## INDONESIA: NEW INMIGRATION REGULATION

The new Indonesian regulation GR 48/2021, that came into force very recently, introduces some significant chages on immigration, such as:

#### -Limited Stay Permits

It provides that a Limited Stay Permit (ITAS) is valid for a maximum of five years and can be extended under the condition that the aggregate stay of a foreigner does not exceed ten years. It further clarifies that an ITA for work purposes that is valid for no more than 90 days can be extended under the condition that the aggregate stay does not exceed 180 days.

#### -Visit Stay Permits

It provides that a Visit Stay Permit is valid for a maximum of 180 days and is non-extended.

#### -Visit Visa

It adds a new eligibility for both Single and Multiple-Entry Visit Visa, i.e., pre-investment activities, such as field surveys and feasibility studies.

#### SINGAPUR: GST CHANGES FOR 2021

The move to expand the scope of GST comes only one year after foreign digital service providers were obligated to register and be charged for GST, under the Overseas Vendor Registration (OVR) regime.

Foreign digital service providers with global revenue of more than \$1 million and selling more than \$100,000 worth of digital services to Singaporean customers, during a 12-month period, are obligated to pay the seven percent GST rate.

To cushion the impact of the GST rate increase, the government has set aside \$6 billion in the Assurance Package issued last year. All adult Singaporeans received cash payments between \$700 and \$1,600 over five years. The government has argued that without the necessary increase, it cannot fulfill its spending needs, particularly in healthcare.

Businesses should review their contracts with suppliers and customers to determine which party should bear the cost of the GST when the rate does increase. Moreover, businesses should review any changes required to be made to their systems or processes in the event of a GST hike.

## **PUBLICACIONES / PUBLICATIONS**

## **UE: CUSTOMS CONVENTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT**

Council Decision (EU) 2021/463 of 9 March 2021 on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the Administrative Committee established by the Customs Convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR Carnets, as regards the amendments to that Convention. (Official Journal of the European Union – OFEU N° L95, 18 March 2021)

## **UE: DIGITAL GREEN CERTIFICATE**

The European Parliament and of the Council has presented its "Digital Green Pass", project, a digital green certificate known as a COVID-19 vaccination passport. According to the Commission, it will facilitate free movement under conditions of safety during the pandemic within the EU.

https://gacetamedica.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/en\_green\_certif\_just\_reg130\_final.pdf

## **BAD: OBJETIVOS DE DESARROLLO SOSTENIBLE**

El Banco Asiático de Desarrollo (BAD) acaba de publicar un informe donde se explica el enfoque del Banco para integrar los 17 Objetivos de Desarrollo Sostenible (ODS) y sus metas asociadas a sus estrategias, programas y financiamiento bajo la Estrategia 2030.

Informe:

https://www.adb.org/sites/default/files/institutional-document/684471/adb-support-sdgs-2030-

## CÁMARA DE COMERCIO DE ESPAÑA EN FILIPINAS: ACUERDO DE COLABORACIÓN

La Cámara de Comercio de España en Filipinas y Asempea acaban de firmar un acuerdo a través del cual ambas entidades se comprometen a colaborar celebrando acciones conjuntas que ayuden a promover negocios entre España y Filipinas, así como compartir información entre los socios de la Cámara y los socios de Asempea.

## SPANISH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN THE PHILIPPINES: COLLABORATION AGREEMENT

The Spanish Chamber of Commerce in the Philippines and Asempea have just signed and agreement to celebrate joint actions in order to promote business between both countries and share information among their respective Members.