Joint Declaration

on

Joint Action Plan towards Strengthening Strategic Partnership between the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea (2022-2027)

- 1. H.E. General Prayut Chan-o-cha, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand, and H.E. Mr. Yoon Suk Yeol, President of the Republic of Korea, held a bilateral meeting at the sidelines of the 40th and 41st ASEAN Summit and Related Summits on 11 November 2022 in Phnom Penh;
- 2. RECALLING the Memorandum of Understanding between the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Thailand and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea on the Kingdom of Thailand Republic of Korea Strategic Partnership signed on 10 November 2012 during the official visit by the President of the Republic of Korea to the Kingdom of Thailand on 9 11 November 2012 with the purpose of establishing a Strategic Partnership between the two countries;
- 3. WELCOMING the continued progress in the relations between the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea since the signing of the aforementioned Memorandum of Understanding in November 2012 and the marking of its 10th anniversary in 2022;
- 4. AIMING to strengthen the Strategic Partnership between the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea on the occasion of the 65th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations in 2023 with a view to aligning with respective national development strategies and effectively responding to the evolving regional and international landscapes;
- 5. THEREFORE, the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea have agreed on the First Joint Action Plan for the period 2022-2027, with a shared determination to steer forward the Strategic Partnership between the two countries in six areas of cooperation, namely: (1) political-security, (2) people-to-people exchange and culture, (3) health, (4) future industries and trade, (5) green economy, and (6) sustainable development. Both sides concur that the Joint Action Plan will be construed as a political, non-legally binding instrument to strengthen the Strategic Partnership in leading towards the 70th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea in 2028.
- 6. TO THIS END, H.E. Mr. Don Pramudwinai, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Thailand and H.E. Park Jin, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea, on behalf of the two governments, have signed the Joint Declaration to launch the first Joint Action Plan towards

Strengthening Strategic Partnership between the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea (2022-2027).

7. Signed at Phnom Penh on 11 November 2022 in duplicate in the English language.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA

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