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Dear Dr. Tzu-Lien Tzou, Technical Delegate of CHINESE TAIPEI

**Subject: Invitation to the 8<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Skills Competition 2010**

We are very pleased to inform you that Thailand, by Department of Skill Development, Ministry of Labour will hold the 8th ASEAN Skills Competition at [Impact Exhibition Center](#), Nonthaburi province, from November 19 - 21, 2010.

In this regard, we would like to invite you and your colleagues to attend the event. Please find details of the competition including skills areas, schedule, activities etc. at [www.aseanskills2010.com](http://www.aseanskills2010.com)

ASEAN Skills Competition (ASC) is the initiative under the ILO/Asian Pacific Skill Development Program (APSDEP) resolution in 1993. The competition has been held every two years since 1995 with the aims to promote the development of quality vocational and technical skills together with work values among the youths and skilled workers in ASEAN member countries. Since then, ASC has been one of the important platforms for technical cooperation in vocational/technical education and training.

The ASEAN Skills Competition is the biggest state-sponsored skills showcase in Southeast Asia region. In the coming competition, there are about 1,000 registered participants from 10 ASEAN member countries. Usually, ASEAN countries who are WorldSkills members will select some of their ASEAN winners to participate in the WorldSkills event.

We are looking forward to receiving your favorable reply at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,

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Director-General