



[MEDIA STATEMENTS IN RESPONSE TO THE TRUMP-KIM SUMMIT]

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JUNE 12, 2018, SINGAPORE – “We are encouraged that this recalibration of the U.S.-North Korea relationship promises to lead to continued dialogue and negotiations. We hope that an extended dialogue will bolster security and lead to more trade and greater trade liberalization in the region. As American business has long known, Singapore has demonstrated that it is the perfect place to come together to explore new possibilities,” said Dwight Hutchins, Chairman of the American Chamber of Commerce.

“The Trump-Kim Summit is a major milestone in Singapore’s illustrious diplomatic history. It captures the essence of Singapore’s chairmanship of Asean to strengthen economic resilience that transcend national boundaries. We applaud the heightened level of engagement by the U.S. government to this region, and look forward welcoming President Trump to Singapore in November as Singapore wraps up its Asean Chairmanship,” said Ann Yom Steel, Executive Director of the American Chamber of Commerce.

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Background

The American Chamber of Commerce in Singapore is the leading international business association in Singapore, with over 5,000 members representing 700 companies. American companies' direct investment in Singapore exceeds an estimated US\$258billion.