



CHAIR OF THE COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT



COMMUNIQUÉ OF THE COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT (NAM) ON THE INTER-KOREAN SUMMIT

1. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM), true to its commitment to enhancing its role as an anti-war and peace-loving force, applauds the Summit between the Heads of State of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and the Republic of Korea, on 27 April 2018, which constitutes a milestone in the improvement of inter-Korean relations and a positive step towards peace in the Korean Peninsula and stability in the region as a whole.
2. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) welcomes the adoption at that time of the "Panmunjom Declaration for Peace, Prosperity and Reunification of the Korean Peninsula", and looks forward to its full and effective implementation, while making vows for further inter-Korean political dialogue, as well as for the implementation of trust-building and reconciliation measures, with a view to achieve tangible progress towards lasting peace and the denuclearization on the Korean Peninsula.
3. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) reaffirms once again the validity of the purposes and principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations, and the importance of upholding the norms of international law, particularly in relation to the peaceful settlement of disputes, including through political and/or diplomatic means.

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