

Key Points for Mr. Ram Sharan Chimoria, DG, Customs for the opening speech in Inception Meeting on SASEC Customs Reform and Modernization for Trade Facilitation Program.

Respected Sishir Kumar Dhungana, Revenue Secretary, Ministry of Finance
Mr. Ronald Antinio Butiong, Director, ADB
Dignitaries
Joint Secretaries from MOF and MOC
Government officials,
Officials from Trade and Industry Organization
Ladies and gentlemen

Good

- I am very pleased to see the success of two days program.
- Today, we are very much benefitted by the risk remarks from the Respected Revenue Secretary and respected Commerce secretary.
- We also very much benefitted by the presentation made by Ms. Sonoko Sunayama, Mr. Shyam Dahal, Mr. Ronald Antineo Butiong , Mr. Toya Narayan Gyawalit and Mr. Shreekrishna Nepal.
- Yesterday, the task force drafted a work plan. The work plan will be further improved taking inputs from the concerned agencies. I assure ADB that Department of customs will give its high priority to implement the work plan.
- At this moment, I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to Revenue Secretary respected Sishir Kumar Dhungana giving full time and moderating the today program.
- I also thank Joint Secretaries for their valuable presence.
- I would like to thank for the active participation.
- I am confident that this will pave a way for our successful implementation of our program.
- Last but not the least, I thank our ADB colleague for their presence and making this program successful.
- I would like to invite you all to join in the today's dinner.

Thank you,
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