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Summary**

Indonesia was selected as the new Chair of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names for the Asia South-East Division during the sixth divisional meeting, held in Manila on 26 March 2018. The Chair’s tenure will be for a period of four years, from April 2018 to April 2022. The Asia South-East Division, in accordance with the adoption of resolution X/5, now comprises 12 member countries, namely, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, the Lao People’s Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Viet Nam. At present, the activities of the Division include the establishment of its website, organized by Indonesia.

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