

**Priority To The Dissemination Of Asean Human Rights Declaration**  
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JAKARTA, Feb 4 (Bernama) -- The Asean Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights (AICHR) convened its first meeting for the new term 2013-2015, under the Chairpersonship of Brunei in Bandar Seri Begawan last week, and agreed to give first priority to the dissemination of the Asean Human Rights Declaration (AHRD).

The dissemination programme will include the publication of the AHRD and the Phnom Penh Statement on the Adoption of the AHRD in a booklet format, its translation into national languages and the possibility of developing future Asean human rights instruments.

At the meeting, AICHR discussed and followed up on the progress of the implementation of its priority programmes and activities, including progress of the thematic studies in Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) and Human Rights, and Migration and Human Rights, the Asean Secretariat said in a statement here Monday.

The AICHR meeting, which was held from Jan 29 to Feb 2, was chaired by Pehin Datuk Dr Awang Ahmad Jumat, the Representative of Brunei Darussalam and the Chair of AICHR.

Brunei's Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade Prince Mohamed Bolkiah, who is the Chair of the Asean Foreign Ministers Meeting, has hosted a luncheon for the AICHR Representatives and their delegations on the first day of the meeting.

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