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The Royal Thai Government



High-Level Side Event “Community, Rights-Based and Disability-Inclusive Development”

**Monday 23 September 2013, 13.15 - 14.30 hrs.
at Conference Room 6, North Lawn Building, UN Headquarters, New York**

The Royal Thai Government and the Government of Japan together with the Asia-Pacific Development Center on Disability (APCD) and UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) will be co-hosting a High-Level Side Event “Community, Rights-Based and Disability-Inclusive Development” on the occasion of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on the Realization of the MDGs and Other Internationally Agreed Development Goals for Persons with Disabilities.

The High-Level Side Event will provide a platform for discussion towards disability-inclusive development agenda, and how the international community can galvanise efforts to promote the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) and Community-Based Inclusive Development as the main poverty reduction and empowerment strategies for persons with disabilities.

Representatives of member states, UN agencies and accredited civil societies organizations are cordially invited.

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