



Office of the President of the Philippines

STATEMENT

Participation of President Rodrigo Roa Duterte in the ASEAN-China Special Summit to Commemorate the 30th Anniversary of Dialogue Relations 20 November 2021

President Rodrigo Roa Duterte will participate in the ASEAN-China Special Summit to Commemorate the 30th Anniversary of Dialogue Relations on 22 November 2021, via video conference.

Upon the invitation of President Xi Jinping of the People's Republic of China, the President will join his ASEAN counterparts to take stock of the achievements of ASEAN-China Dialogue Relations over the past three decades and chart the future of the partnership for the next 30 years.

The Special Summit will be co-chaired by President Xi and His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah of Brunei Darussalam, the ASEAN Chair for 2021.

President Duterte is expected to articulate Philippine positions on key areas of cooperation and regional issues.

The President will be joined by Foreign Affairs Secretary Teodoro L. Locsin Jr., Trade and Industry Secretary Ramon M. Lopez, Senator Christopher Lawrence Go, Presidential Assistant for Foreign Affairs Robert E.A. Borje and Social Welfare and Development Undersecretary Luzviminda Ilagan. **END**