The 2nd/2020 meeting of the Steering Committee of the 30th Annual Meeting of the Asia-Pacific Parliamentary Forum (APPF)

On Monday 1st September 2020, Mrs. Pornpith Phetchareon, Deputy Secretary – General of the House of Representatives, chaired the 2nd/2020 meeting of the Steering Committee of the 30th Annual Meeting of the Asia-Pacific Parliamentary Forum (APPF) in order to prepare for hosting the 30th Annual Meeting of the Asia-Pacific Parliamentary Forum, which the Thai Parliament will host in 2022. The meeting acknowledged preliminary comparative information about the physical aspects of 5 hotels to consider as meeting venues.

In addition, the meeting resolved to the timeline revision of the Steering Committee, the addition of the draft appointment of the Administrative Committee, and the amendment of the sub-committees' duties under the Administrative Committee, including preventive measures and plans for the Coronavirus Disease 2019 outbreak. Moreover, the meeting assigned the relevant bureaus to reduce the estimated cost of hosting the meeting by adhering to the principle of saving, cost-effectiveness and efficiency, and expedite the delivery of the draft budget and manpower plans for the Bureau of Inter-Parliamentary Organizations, which is the main agency.

