

**DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER FOR TRADE AND INDUSTRY GAN
KIM YONG TO CO-CHAIR THE 16TH SIX BILATERAL ECONOMIC WORKING
GROUPS MINISTERIAL MEETING IN JAKARTA**

Deputy Prime Minister (DPM) and Minister for Trade and Industry Gan Kim Yong will be making an official visit to Indonesia, Jakarta to co-chair the 16th Singapore-Indonesia Six Bilateral Economic Working Groups Ministerial Meeting (6WG MM) with Indonesia Coordinating Minister for Economic Affairs Airlangga Hartarto on 9 June 2026. This will be DPM Gan's first visit to Indonesia in his current capacity.

2 The 6WG MM is a key economic platform and high-level forum established between Singapore and Indonesia to advance and evaluate bilateral cooperation across six strategic sectors, namely (i) Batam, Bintan and Karimun (BBK) and Other Special Economic Zones, (ii) Investments, (iii) Manpower, (iv) Transport, (v) Agribusiness, and (vi) Tourism.

3 Singapore and Indonesia continue to enjoy strong and close economic ties, with growing trade and investment links between both countries. Indonesia is Singapore's 6th largest trading partner globally, while Singapore has remained Indonesia's largest source of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) since 2014. Cooperation has also expanded in areas such as digital economy, green economy, industrial infrastructure and agri-tech, supported by regular high-level engagements and partnerships, as our nations look ahead to the 60th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations in 2027.

4 DPM Gan will be accompanied by Senior Minister of State for Defence and Sustainability and the Environment Zaqy Mohamad, and officials from the Ministry of Trade and Industry, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Manpower, Ministry of Transport, Economic Development Board, Enterprise Singapore, Singapore Food Agency, and Singapore Tourism Board.

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