



NEWSLETTER

No. 1

ASSOCIATION OF FORMER INTERNATIONAL CIVIL SERVANTS THAILAND

25 November 2025

Dear Members,

This Newsletter is the 1st issue released by the current AFICS-T Executive Board 2025-2027. As communicated in the Newsletter No. 16 dated 14 October 2025, which was issued by the previous Executive Board (2023-2025), in its caretaker capacity, the current Executive Board 2025-2027 was elected in accordance with the directives of the 2025 AFICS-T Annual General Assembly (AGA). After commencing its tenure on 18 October 2025, the Executive Board (EB) held its 1st monthly meeting on Friday, 7 November 2025, and decided to inform members at large on following matters:

1. Composition of the AFICS-T Executive Board 2025-2027

The EB co-opted the following 4 (four) members, in addition to the list which was circulated in the Newsletter No. 16:

Ms. Pagapunt Aneknidhi (UNICEF)
Ms. Junpen Jirasavetakul (UNESCAP)
Ms. Tanawan Sarabhuddhi (UNEP)
Ms. Chavinda Engcharoensoonthorn (UNESCAP)

Thereby, the AFICS-T Executive Board 2025-2027 composed of the following members:

No.	Name of Member	Designation
1.	Mr. Suraphon Songweera (UNESCAP)	President
2.	Mr. Sumiter Singh Broca (FAO)	Vice-President
3.	Ms. Uraiwan Siriwatananukul (UNESCAP)	Treasurer
4.	Ms. Vena Visaruitawongse (UNESCAP)	Deputy Treasurer
5.	Ms. Yupa Wongsuchat (UNESCAP)	Secretary
6.	Ms. Soythip Udomyingcharoen (UNESCAP)	Registrar
7.	Ms. Sumetee Jongmu (UNESCAP)	Communication Officer
8.	Ms. Duanglutai Khomson (UNDP)	Web Master
9.	Ms. Suthasinee Maruttamarn (UNAIDS)	Member
10.	Ms. Siraprapha Khomson (UNESCAP)	Member

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| 11. | Ms. Pagapunt Anekniidhi (UNICEF) | Member |
| 12. | Ms. Junpen Jirasavetakul (UNESCAP) | Member |
| 13. | Ms. Tanawan Sarabuddhi (UNEP) | Member |
| 14. | Ms. Chavinda Engcharoensoonthorn (UNESCAP) | Member |

2. Compositions of AFICS-T Committees and Sub-Committees

The following members have been appointed to serve in AFICS-T Committees and Sub-committees:

2.1 Committee on Pension and Group Life Insurance Benefits

Chairperson:	Mr. Suraphon Songweera
Members:	Ms. Suntaree Suwannasing Ms. Yupa Wongsuchat

2.1.1 Sub-Committee on Certificate of Entitlement (CE)

Chairperson:	Ms. Duanglutai Khomson
Members:	Ms. Suntaree Suwannasing Ms. Soythip Udomyingcharoen Ms. Siraprapha Khomson Ms. Tanawan Sarabuddhi

2.2 Committee on Medical Insurance Benefits

Chairperson:	Mr. Suraphon Songweera
Members:	Ms. Suntaree Suwannasing Mr. Jean-Louis Vignuda Ms. Yupa Wongsuchat

2.3 Committee on Information and Communication

Chairperson:	Ms. Sumetee Jongmu
Members:	Ms. Siraprapha Khomson Ms. Tanawan Sarabuddhi

2.4 Committee on Newsletters

Co-Chairpersons:	Mr. Sumiter Singh Broca (English) Ms. Yupa Wongsuchat (Thai)
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2.5 Committee on Benevolent Fund and Funerals

Chairperson:	Ms. Suthasinee Maruttamarn
Members:	Ms. Soythip Udomyingcharoen Ms. Tanawan Sarabuddhi

2.6 Committee on Recreation and Excursion

Chairperson:	Ms. Tanawan Sarabuddhi
Members:	Ms. Vena Visaruitawongse

Ms. Chavinda Engcharoensoonthorn

2.7 Committee on Charity Activities

Chairperson: Ms. Pagapunt Aneknidhi
Members: Ms. Sumetee Jongmu
Ms. Siraprapha Khomson
Ms. Tanawan Sarabhuddhi

2.8 Committee on Foreigners Living in Thailand (FLiT):

Chairperson: Mr. Sumiter Singh Broca
Members: Mr. Peter Hegenbarth
Mr. Jean-Louis Vignuda

3. Closure of AFICS-T office during festive season and New Year

The office of AFICS-T will be closed for business from Monday, 15 December 2025 to Monday, 5 January 2026. The office will open again for business on Tuesday, 6 January 2026.

The Executive Board would like to take this opportunity to thank all members for their continued support to AFICS-T's activities and wishes every member a joyful festive celebration and Happy New Year 2026 and beyond.

With best regards,



Suraphon Songweera
President, AFICS-T 2025-2027