We, fellows of the 7th Building a Better Asia Retreat held on 31st January to 6th February 2010 in Bangkok, Thailand, commit ourselves towards an Asia of peace and prosperity for all in harmony with nature.

We pledge to pursue human security, shared prosperity, ecological balance and common security in Asia through networking, continuous capacity building and innovations based on mutual respect, care and cooperation starting from ourselves to our communities.

We share this vision with the Asian Dialogue Society, the Nippon Foundation Group, other BABA fellows and other entities beginning with the projects initiated during the retreat. We shall also organize national BABA groups and influence others to join us in this endeavor to build a better Asia.

Signed this 6th day of February in the year 2010 at Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand.

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