

**S ISWARAN TO ATTEND THE 15TH ASEAN TOURISM MINISTERS'
MEETING IN MANADO, INDONESIA
(11 - 12 JANUARY 2012)**

1. Minister in the Prime Minister's Office and Second Minister for Home Affairs and Trade & Industry, Mr S Iswaran will attend the 15th ASEAN Tourism Ministers' Meeting (ATM-M) in Manado, Indonesia from 11 to 12 January 2012.
2. Held annually, the ATM-M reviews ASEAN's progress in regional tourism cooperation. During this round of meetings, the ASEAN Tourism Ministers will assess ASEAN's tourism performance and the progress of various workstreams under the ASEAN Tourism Strategic Plan 2011-2015, which charts the sector's medium-term direction.
3. Mr Iswaran will be accompanied by officials from the Ministry of Trade and Industry and the Singapore Tourism Board.

**Ministry of Trade and Industry
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