



“VECONAC FOREVER, FOREVER VECONAC”

**Opening Speech
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VECONAC 24TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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- **Excellencies Heads of Delegation**
- **Distinguished Delegates and Observers**
- **Ladies and Gentlemen**

Good morning.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you all today at the official Opening of the 24th General Assembly of the Veterans Confederation of ASEAN Countries (VECONAC), an organization dedicated to the protection and promotion of the general welfare of all veterans of each member nation.

VECONAC is committed to promoting and fostering goodwill, understanding, and harmony among its members, regardless of differences in religion, language, culture and traditions.

In accordance with these ideals, the 24th General Assembly aims to adopt the 9 (nine) Resolutions reviewed and proposed in the 37th Executive Board Meeting conducted on 24 November 2025. Our main determination is to accomplish these objectives and the ability to work together for a common good - for the good of the veterans in the ASEAN Region – will be the key to the success of this 24th General Assembly held in this beautiful country, Indonesia.

On behalf of all Members of LVRI and spouses of the *Legiun Veteran of the Republik of Indonesia*, we are very honored to host the VECONAC 24nd General Assembly today.

Thank you

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