Key outcomes



Adopt the world's first multilateral guidelines for unplanned air encounters between military aircraft to reduce risk of aircraft accidents.



Establish an Asean-wide network of chemical, biological and radiological defence experts to share best practices and make quick contact during crises.



Expand a current platform for information-sharing on counter-terrorism from six countries to all Asean member states.



A counter-terrorism drill rehearsal at Changi Airport last October.



Conduct the first Asean-US Maritime Exercise next year, in conjunction with the Southeast Asia Cooperation and Training exercise led by the US, which began in 2002.



Establish an Asean-China direct communications hotline, think-tank exchanges and a young leaders' exchange programme.



Formalise the Asean Chiefs of Defence Forces Informal Meeting from next year onwards.