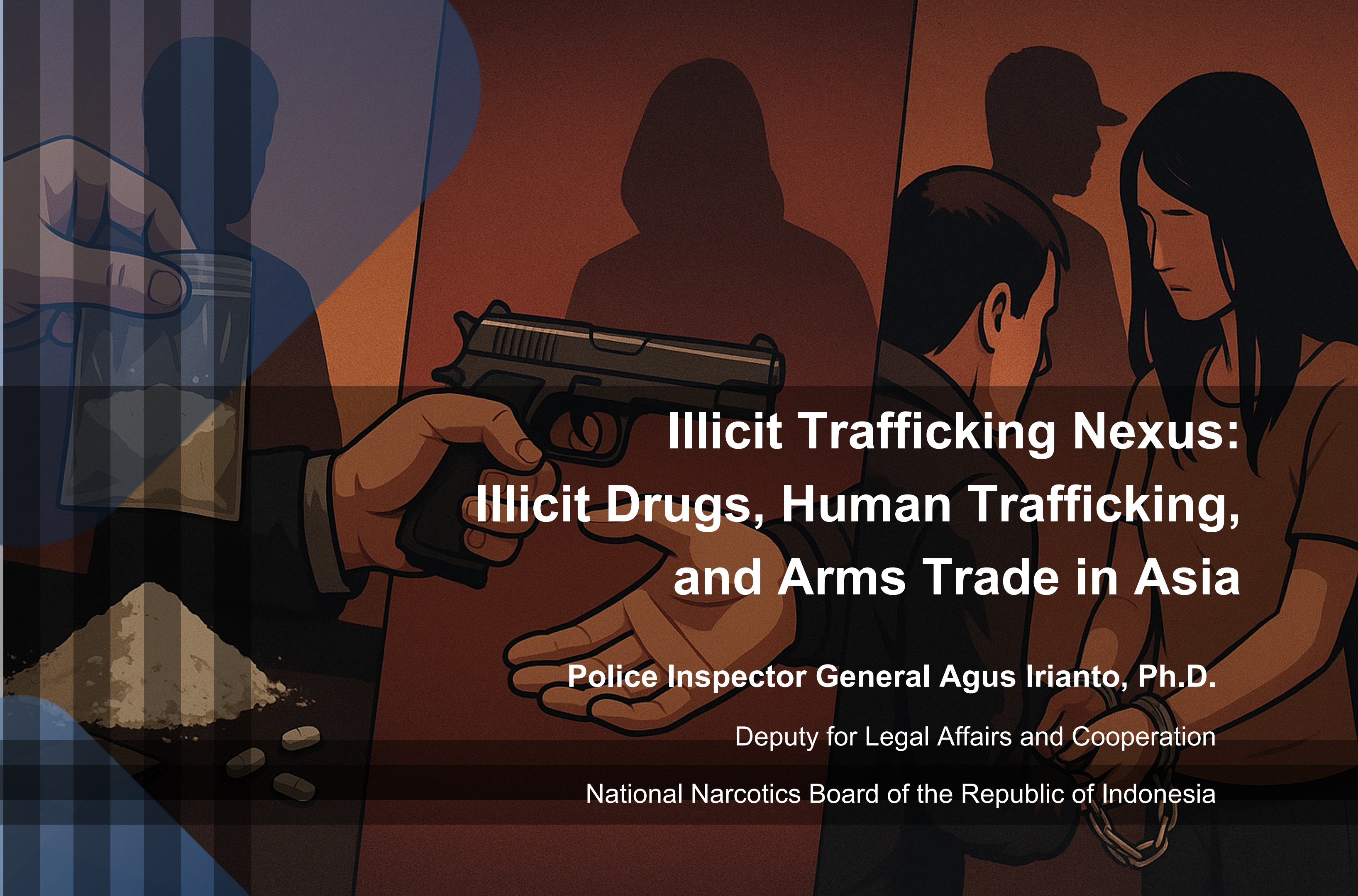




Illicit Trafficking Nexus: Illicit Drugs, Human Trafficking, and Arms Trade in Asia

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Introduction



Drug Problem

- Health
- Social problem
- Security
- National Stability
- Transnational Organized Crimes

Drug Related Crimes

- Drug Trafficking
- Human Trafficking
- Arms Trade

Objectives

to highlight the linkages and the need for stronger regional cooperation.



The Nexus

between

Illicit Drugs – Human Trafficking – Arms Trade



Illicit Drugs = Core Driver

- Primary source of funding for organized crime groups.
- Shared same routes and infrastructures for multiple illegal trades.



People Smuggling- Human Trafficking

- Smuggling routes for narcotics are frequently used for irregular migration.
- Victims are often coerced into becoming couriers or forced labor.



Arms Trade

- Illicit arms trade empowers drug syndicates and armed groups.
- Direct threat to national and regional stability.

Challenges in Asia

- **Borders:** Extensive and Porous
- **Legal Diversity:** Punitive vs Lenient
- **Non-State Actors:** Terrorist group, Militia, Transnational Mafia
- **Technology:** Dark web, Cryptocurrency, Encrypted platforms.



Strengthening Regional Responses



Legal and Policy Alignment

- Full implementation of UN Convention Against Transnational Organized Crime and 3 UN Drug Conventions
- Harmonizing drug, migration, and arms control laws in regional level

Operational Cooperation

- Cross-border joint operations.
- Faster and real-time intelligence sharing.
- Capacity building for law enforcement officers.

Cross-Sector Collaboration

- Collaboration with logistics, transport, and fintech sectors.
- Civil society engagement in preventing illicit trafficking.
- Asset tracing and recovery to cut syndicate financing.



Conclusion

- ◆ Drugs – people – arms trafficking is a **pressing security challenge** in Asia.
- ◆ No single country can tackle it alone.
- ◆ Breaking the Nexus through Law Enforcement, Cooperation, and Collective Responses

*“The most effective weapon against crime is cooperation...
The efforts of all law enforcement agencies with the support and
understanding of the American people.”*

J. Edgar Hoover

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