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Decision Regarding

The Lockdown of Phnom Penh and Ta Khmao City of Kandal Province to curb the spread of COVID-19

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Hereby Decided

Article 1

Temporary suspend the areas of Phnom Penh and Ta Khmao city of Kandal province for 14 days, starting from 12am of 15 April 2021 to 28 April 2021, with the goal of ensuring the effectiveness in the management of the spread of COVID-19 in Phnom Penh and Ta Khmao city of Kandal province and prevent this virus from spreading to other areas.

Phnom Penh and Ta Khmao city of Kandal province are considered as one area under lockdown.

Article 2

During the implementation of these lockdown measures, every individual is prohibited from leaving their residence or lodging, if not necessary.

However, traveling outside of the residence or lodging is allowed for necessary purposes as follows:

- Traveling to work or conduct businesses, within the lockdown areas that are not prohibited under Article 3, and with employment certificates issued by relevant businesses or the nearest local authority.
- Traveling to purchase food and other daily necessities, at locations that are allowed to be opened by the authority. This kind of traveling can be done by no more than 2 members of a household and no more than 3 times per week at the nearest location of your city or district. Must bring Cambodian Identification card or ID card (no mention of which types of ID card).
- Traveling to hospitals, health centres, maternity clinics, or pharmacies for urgent health reasons within the lockdown areas. This kind of traveling in or out of the lockdown areas is allowed with permission from relevant authorities, with no more than 4 people in each case. However, each individual must implement strict safety and health measures such as wearing masks and maintaining safe distancing.

- Traveling to COVID-19 testing sites, or vaccination venues within or outside of the lockdown areas as set forth by MOH
- Traveling for purposes that serve the public interests or other necessary purposes requested and set forth by the relevant authority.
- Individual sport activities within their residential areas, no more than 2 people together.
- The traveling of diplomats, staff of foreign representatives, staff of United Nations, International financial Organization, International Organizations, International Nongovernmental Organizations, with Identification card and employment certificate attached.
- The traveling of journalists, with Identification card and employment certificate attached.
- Traveling in and out of the lockdown areas via airway, with respect to regulations and health safety measures in place.
- Traveling for other emergency and necessary purposes, with prior permission from relevant authority.

For all of the exemptions above, individuals must implement health measures including wearing face masks, keeping social distance, taking care of personal hygiene, and checking temperature to combat the spread of COVID-19.

Article 3

During the implementation of lockdown measures, must ban the operation of all work operations, occupations, or businesses that do not serve the daily necessity.

However, work operations, occupations, or businesses could be allowed to operate in necessary condition as follows:

- Work operation of public services and armed forces. However, each head of the institution must reduce the number of workers to the minimum level to ensure the sustainability of their institution. The leader of each institution could temporarily suspend unnecessary works based on reality.
- Factory, enterprise, craft, or food producer including livestock slaughterhouse which serves the daily necessity.
- Work activities relevant to the public services based on the designation of each institution including firefighter service, electricity, water supply, and waste collection.
- All works, occupations, or businesses that are conducted online.
- Businesses activities that supply the daily necessities, including store, wholesale market, food market (that are arranged orderly), mart, restaurant (for packaging and delivery service), gas station, and other places that provide the daily necessity and are allowed to be opened by the authority.
- Essential services including ambulance, health and medical service, telecommunication, banking and finance, and other necessary services that are allowed to be operated by the authority. However, they must reduce the number of workers to the minimum level.
- Hotel and guesthouse services
- Necessary goods transportation services to serve the needs of the lockdown area.

- Goods transportation in and out the lockdown areas to serve the social and economic sector of the country.
- Other works, occupations or businesses that are allowed to operate by the authority.

Individuals whose works, occupations or businesses are allowed to operate by the authority must implement the health safety measure including wearing a mask, social distancing, maintain good hygiene, and temperature check to stop the spread of COVID-19.

Article 4

During the implementation of the lockdown measures, all gatherings are prohibited, with the exception as follows:

- Gathering of family members living in the same residence
- Organizing funerals according to the regulations set forth by the authorities
- Meeting of the medical staff to collect samples for COVID-19 testing on direct and indirect contacts of COVD-19 patients, or to collect COVID-19 patients or to perform other emergencies
- Meeting of the authority to maintain security and social order

For all of the reasons above, individuals must implement health measures including wearing face masks, keeping social distance, taking care of personal hygiene, and checking temperature to combat the spread of COVID-19.

Article 5

All authorized travel as stated in Article 2 of this decision must not be carried out between 8 PM to 5 AM, with the exception of traveling for health reasons, urgent and necessary reasons in the family, transportation of goods, fulfilment of service duties, conduct works in enterprises, institutions, or business locations authorized by to authority as stated below, and other necessary cases as stated by the authority.

All public institutions, enterprises, or private institutions or businesses allowed to remain opened as stated in Article 3 of this decision must suspend their operation between 8 PM to 5 AM for direct services to customers, with the exception of emergency services, health services, pharmacies, gas stations, and other necessary public services with permission from the competent authorities.

All traveling (entering or exiting) lockdown areas are prohibited, with the exception of emergency services, other necessary and emergency public services, service relevant to security and social order, or goods transportation services, as well as other necessary cases authorized by the authority.