The Fourth Joint Coordinating Committee (JCC) Meeting of the Project on Improving Official Statistics in Cambodia Phase II

At the Meeting Room (1st Floor), New Building, National Institute of Statistics Wednesday, 11 March 2009

Brief Report of Action Plan of the Project Phase II in 2009FY

I. Duration of the Project Phase II

From 23 April 2007 to 30 September 2010

II. Major activities of the Project Phase II in 2009FY (from April 2009 to March 2010)

1. Dispatch of JICA Experts

- (1) Experts from the Government of Japan
 - 2 or 3 experts are planned to be dispatched to the NIS quarterly as usual.
- (2) Experts contracting with JICA Some experts are planned to be dispatched as usual although the details are not fixed yet.

2. Training in Japan

3 NIS officers are planned to be dispatched to the Statistics Bureau of Japan and other organizations for the purpose of the training on the Economic Census in Japan.

3. Training in Indonesia

3 NIS officers are planned to be dispatched to the Statistics Indonesia (BPS) for the purpose of the training on the Population Census in Indonesia.

4. Training in Cambodia

Trainings on Visual Basic Advanced (VBA) programming for the statistical staff of line ministries are planned to be held.

5. Technical Cooperation to the 2008 Population Census

Technical cooperation on data processing, analysis, and dissemination will mainly be provided.

6. Technical Cooperation to the 2009 Nation-wide Establishment Listing

Technical cooperation on data processing, analysis, dissemination, post enumeration survey will mainly be provided.

Technical cooperation on planning, form design, pilot census, and census mapping for 2011 Economic Census will mainly be provided.

7. Provision of machinery and equipment

Machinery and equipment for the data analysis and dissemination of 2008 Population Census such as Internet service software, plotters and GIS software are planned to be provided.

8. Holding of seminars

- (1) Seminar on the final results of the 2008 Population Census is planned to be held in Phnom Penh in Sep. 2009. The statistical staff of line ministries and provinces will be invited.
- (2) Seminar on the final results of the 2009 Nation-wide Establishment Listing is planned to be held in Phnom Penh in Dec. 2009. The statistical staff of line ministries and provinces will be invited.

III. Related activities

1. Construction of new building of the NIS, Ministry of Planning

The construction was completed and the inauguration ceremony was held on 14 Jan. 2008 through the first counterpart fund of Japan non-project grant aid of USD 885,827-.

2. Fund contribution to the 2008 Population Census

The preliminary results of the 2008 Population Census were released on 3 Sep. 2008 and the data processing is ongoing through the second counterpart fund of Japan non-project grant aid of USD 1,968,212-.

In addition, the enumeration of the 2009 Nation-wide Establishment Listing was almost completed from 9 Feb. to 8 March 2009 through the second counterpart fund.

3. Fund contribution to the 2011 Economic Census

The Ministry of Economy and Finance submitted an application form to the Embassy of Japan on 29 Jan. 2009. The application is requesting the third counterpart fund of Japan non-project grant aid for 2011 Economic Census.

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