



**KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA**

**ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF CAMBODIA**

**NATION RELIGION KING**

**No: 08**



**SUB DECREE**

**ON**

**DEFINING DATE, ORGANIZING AND PROCEEDING OF CAMBODIA 2008  
GENERAL POPULATION CENSUS**

**ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF CAMBODIA**



- Have seen the constitution of Kingdom of Cambodia
- Have seen the Royal Decree No: xx dated 15 July 2004 on appointment of Royal Government of Kingdom of Cambodia
- Have seen the Royal Code No: xx dated 20 July 1994 declared to use the law on organizing and proceeding of council of Minister
- Have seen the Royal Code No: xx dated 24 January 1996 declared to use the law on formation of Ministry of Planning
- Have seen the Royal Code No: xx dated 09 May 2005 declared to use the Statistics law
- Have seen the Royal Decree No: xx dated 29 February 1996 on organizing the General Population Census of Cambodia
- Have seen the Su-Decree No: xx dated 31 January 1997 on the formation of National Committee for General Population Census of Cambodia
- Have seen the Sub-Decree No: xx dated 23 September 1997 on organizing and proceeding of Ministry of Planning
- According to the necessity of Royal Government of Cambodia

## DECIDE

### Article 1:

Define the time of General Population Census of Cambodia (GPCC) at Zero hour, 03 March 2008.

### Article 2:

Composition of National Committee for 2008 General Population Census of Cambodia is formed:

1. Co-Minister of Interior (01 Person)	Chairman
2. Minister of Planning	Vice chairman
3. State Secretary of Council of Minister (01person)	Member
4. State Secretary of Ministry of Economy and Finance (01person)	Member
5. State Secretary of Ministry of National Defense (01person)	Member
6. State Secretary of Ministry of Planning (01person)	Member
7. State Secretary of Education Youth and Sport (01person)	Member
8. State Secretary of Ministry of Labor and Vocational Training (01person)	Member
9. State Secretary of Ministry of Land Management Urbanization and Construction (01person)	Member
10. State Secretary of Ministry of Rural Development (01person)	Member
11. State Secretary of Ministry of Health (01person)	Member
12. State Secretary of Ministry of Information (01person)	Member
13. State Secretary of Ministry of Woman's Affairs (01person)	Member
14. State Secretary of Ministry of Industry, Mine and Energy (01person)	Member
15. State Secretary of Ministry of Tourism (01person)	Member
16. Director General of National Institute of Statistics	Member

### Article 3:

The National Committee of GPCC has its tasks:

- a. Introduce and approve all general affairs involved in GPCC
- b. Organize and form Technical Committee for GPCC, located in Ministry of Planning and under the lead of Minister of Planning for direct implementation of GPCC
- c. Organize and form every provincial and Municipal committee for GPCC
- d. Assign staff to join the GPCC regarding to the request from Technical Committee of GPCC
- e. Meeting is to be held one time in every month, invited by chairman or vice chairman of committee when absence of chairman.
- f. Report to Royal Government of Cambodia on results of GPCC

**Article 4:**

National Committee of GPCC has right to use the seal of Interior Ministry

**Article 5:**

The implementation of GPCC will include:

1. Initial operation of census:
  - a. Mapping preparation
  - b. Counting and listing household
  - c. Survey and census pre-testing
2. Interview for census
3. Final operation of census:
  - a. Survey for evaluating done census
  - b. Other survey in case of necessity

**Article 6:**

Director General of National Institute of Statistics, Ministry of Planning, is the director general of General Population Census and assisted by technical and administrative officials of National Institute of Statistics and Provincial Planning Department with all census works.

**Article 7:**

Census officials are Interviewers, supervisors and assistant agency to census operation which is appointed by Ministry of Planning regarding the request of appointment of director general of the census. This organizing is only for duration of census.

**Article 8:**

Minister of Planning is eligible to request for staff from line ministries, public institution and ordinary people in order to assist the GPCC.

**Article 9:**

All people living in the territory of Kingdom of Cambodia are censused, except member of diplomatic corps and same diplomatic corps accordance with agreement defined with Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation.

**Article 10:**

All kinds of dwelling and all managers of places have to allow census staff to enter their own dwelling or place with the aim of census and allow them to paint; stick scripts, sign or identify number on significant places for GPCC.

**Article 11:**

Minister of Planning can declare to appoint manager for significant place of interview in the circle of management.

Managers for the significant places are:

- a. Commander of arm forces, police, who manage gathering organization.
- b. Marine captain who manages his/her ship.
- c. Director of public hospital and private, chief of prison, chief of education and correction center, chief of assistance centre, chief of education gathering centre and head of Buddhist monastery of pagoda, head of Islamist mosque.
- d. Manager of hotel, guesthouse and head of physical relaxation center.
- e. Organizer of rail ways, business centre and establishment.

**Article 12:**

Staff who are not responsible for census have not right to check note book, register or records which are done by census staff.

**Article 13:**

Budget which is used in the GPCC is to be in national budget plan. Minister of Planning is to plan and organize the utility of national budget or international finance for this task.

**Article 14:**

Minister of Council of Minister, Minister of Economy and Finance, Co-Minister of Ministry of Interior, Co-minister of Ministry of National Defense, Ministers, State Secretaries, line ministries/institutions all walks of local authorities and members of National Committee as in article 2 have the task to implement this sub-degree from the date of signature.

**Receivers:**

- Ministry of Royal Palace
- Secretariat General of Council for Constitution
- Secretariat General of Senate
- Secretariat General of National Assembly
- Secretariat General of Royal Government
- Cabinet of Prime Minister
- As in Article 14
- Documentation

Phnom Penh, 30 January 2006

**Prime Minister**

**Hun Sen**