

KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA
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The Royal Government
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DECISION

on

***the Creation of National Committee for Reform of
Weapons and Explosives Management in Cambodia***

- - *Having seen the Constitution of the Kingdom of Cambodia;*
- - *Having seen Reach Kret No. NS/RKT/1198/72 of November 30, 1998 on the Appointment of the Royal Government of Cambodia;*
- - *Having seen Reach Kram No. 02/NS/94, dated July 20, 1994, promulgating the Law on the Organization and Functioning of the Council of Ministers;*
- - *Having seen Reach Kram No. NS/RKM/0196/09 of January 24, 1996, promulgated the Law on the Creation of the Ministry of Interior;*
- - *Having seen Anukret NO. 38/ANK/BK of January 30, 1999, on the Management and Control of Importation, Production, Sale, Purchase, Distribution, and Use of all Kinds of Weapons and Explosives;*

DECIDES

Article 1:

To create the Creation of National Committee for Reform of Weapons and Explosives Management in Cambodia with the following composition:

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| 1) H.E. Sar Kheng, Deputy Prime Minister and Co-Minister of Interior | Chairman |
| 2) H.E. Sok An, Senior Minister and Minister in charge of the Council of Ministers | Vice-Chairman |
| 3) H.E. Tea Banh, Senior Minister and Co-Minister of Defense | Vice-Chairman |
| 4) H.E. You Hokry, Senior Minister and Co-Minister of Interior | Vice-Chairman |
| 5) Prince Sisowath Sereyath, Co-Minister of Defense | Member |
| 6) H.E. Uk Vothun, Minister of Justice | - |
| 7) H.E. Ker Kimyan, Commander-in-Chief of the Royal Armed Forces | - |
| 8) H.E. Uk Rabun, Secretary of Sate, Ministry of Economy and Finance | - |
| 9) H.E. Em Saman, Secretary of Sate, Ministry of Interior | Permanent member |
| 10) H.E. Hok Lundy, Director General of the Nation Police | Member |

Article 2:

The Creation of National Committee for Reform of Weapons and Explosives Management shall have following missions:

- - To prepare draft laws on the management and use of weapons and explosives;
- - To prepare regulations for implementation that ensure strict management;
- - To define procedures for control, management, use, storage of weapons and explosives at all entities;
- - To determine the quantity of weapons authorized for each entity;
- - To identify entity and composition that are eligible to use weapons and explosives;
- - To collect weapons and explosives from the armed forces to be demobilized and anarchic armed forces;
- - To confiscate and collect weapons and explosives which are illegally possessed, used and kept;

- - To deprive and collect weapons that are scattered and abandoned;
- - To evaluate quality of and categorize weapons and explosives for destruction if a storage of which is unnecessary;
- - To establish relationship with all local and international non-governmental organizations and countries to seek for technical, material, financial assistance; and
- - To conduct dissemination and awareness of laws and reform of weapon and explosives management to the population in order to participate in the maintenance of social security.

Article 3:

The National Committee for Reform of Weapons and Explosives Management shall be entitled to create a number of sub-committees to support this activity.

Article 4:

This Committee shall have the rights to create an account for allocation of certain budget as determined and shall have the right to use the Ministry of interior's seal.

Article 5:

The Minister in charge of the Council of Ministers, the Co-Ministers of Interior, the Co-Ministers of Defense, the Minister of Economy and Finance, the Minister of Justice, the Commander-in-chief of the Royal Armed Forces, and interested persons listed in Article 1 shall effectively implement this Decision from the date of signature.

Phnom Penh, April 21, 2000

Prime Minister: **Hun Sen**