

**Sub-Decree  
On  
The Establishment of Department of Agricultural Cooperative Promotion under  
General Directorate of Agriculture of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and  
Fisheries**

**Government**

- Having seen the Constitution of Kingdom of Cambodia,
- Having seen Preah Reach Kret No. NS/RKT/0913/903 dated 24 September 2013 on government appointment of Kingdom of Cambodia,
- Having seen Preah Reach Kram No. 02/NS/94 dated 20 July 1994 promulgating Law on Organization and Functioning of Council of Ministers,
- Having seen Preah Reach Kram No. NS/RKM/0196/13 dated 24 January 1996 promulgating Law on the establishment of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries,
- Having seen Preah Reach Kram No. NS/RKM/0613/008 dated 06 June 2013 promulgating Law on Agriculture Cooperative,
- Having seen Sub-Decree No. 17 អន្តរក្រក dated 07 April 2000 on the organization and functioning of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries,
- Having seen Sub-Decree No. 105 អន្តរក្រក dated 22 August 2005 on the supplement of function to the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries and the establishment of Department of Internal Audit, Department of Plan and Statistic, Department of International Collaboration, Centre of Agricultural Information and Document under the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries,
- Having seen Sub-Decree No. 188 អន្តរក្រក dated 14 November 2008 on the modification of General Directorate of Ministry to be General Secretariat, promotion of Forestry Administration, Fishery Administration to have the same level as General Directorate, promotion of Department of Agronomy and Agricultural Land Improvement to be General Directorate of Agriculture, and modification of General Directorate of Rubber Plantation to be General Directorate of Rubber under the control of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries,
- In accordance with the proposal of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries.

**Decision**

**Article 01**

Department of Agricultural Cooperative Promotion under General Directorate of Agriculture of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries was established.

New Structure of General Directorate of Agriculture of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries is attached with the appendix of this Sub-Decree.

**Article 02**

Department of Agricultural Cooperative Promotion has the following duties:

- Prepare policy, make plan and development program for agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance, agricultural production farm in the purpose of increasing productivity and agricultural

production, increasing the effectiveness of including agricultural techniques, and increasing market-negotiating power

- Organize promoting, educating program, and raise the awareness on the development of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance
- Coordinate between agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance with private sectors or other concerned sectors
- Coordinate with government institutions and national and international development partners on the development task of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance
- Update data of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance and prepare progress report on agricultural cooperative development task for General Directorate of Agriculture
- Coordinate the establishment of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance in legality registration.
- Study and evaluate economic situation of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union in order to respond to the marketing demands and inform marketing information of agricultural products to agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union
- Attend in following up and evaluating the functioning and operation of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance
- Attend in studying, evaluating, and coordinating in solving complaints and deputies of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance
- Train and strengthen the capacity of agricultural cooperative development agents
- Educate, build, strengthen the capacity of leaders and members of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance on agricultural cooperative development tasks
- Coordinate the organization of agricultural cooperative's annually national congress
- Coordinate and support agricultural techniques suitable for agricultural cooperative, and agricultural cooperative union
- Push business developing tasks of agricultural cooperative and agricultural cooperative union, introduce how to record book keeping to agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance
- Train and strengthen the capacity of agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance on internal audit affair
- Prepare external auditing subjects for agricultural cooperative, agricultural cooperative union, and Cambodian agricultural cooperative alliance
- Implement other tasks assigned by leaders of General Directorate of Agriculture

Department of Agricultural Cooperative Promotion is headed by one Director and one Deputy Director as assistant for necessity.

### **Article 03**

The organization and functioning of office and entity under Department of Agricultural Cooperative Promotion are determined by PRAKAS of ministers of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries.

## **Article 04**

Beside the first hyphen of Article 35, content of Sub-Decree No. 188 អ.ស.ច.ក.ប.ន dated 14 November 2008 on the modification of General Directorate of Ministry to be General Secretariat, promotion of Forestry Administration, Fishery Administration to have the same level as General Directorate, promotion of Department of Agronomy and Agricultural Land Improvement to be General Directorate of Agriculture, and modification of General Directorate of Rubber Plantation to be General Directorate of Rubber under the control of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries is still kept in-force.

## **Article 05**

Ministers in charge of the Council of Ministers, Ministers of Ministry of Economy and Finance, Ministers of Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries, Ministers of all Ministries, and Directors of all concerned Institutions shall be responsible for implementing this Sub- Decree through their accountabilities from the date of signature.

Phnom Penh, May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**Prime Minister**

*(Signed and Stamped)*

**Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen**

### **Receiving Place:**

- Ministry of Royal Palace
- General Secretariat of Constitutional Council
- General Secretariat of Senate
- General Secretariat of Assembly
- Secretary General of Government
- Cabinet of Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen Prime Minister
- Cabinet of His Excellency and Her Excellency Deputy Prime Minister
- As Article 05
- Gazette
- File, Timeline

**Structure of General Directorate of Agriculture**

