

## 令和6年度日本 NGO 連携無償資金協力署名式典

### 公益社団法人 セーブ・ザ・チルドレン・ジャパン 「カンボジア・コンポンチャム州の学校における子どもに対する暴力削減事業」(第3年次)

令和6年6月21日(金)、令和6年度日本 NGO 連携無償資金協力に係る署名を実施しました。植野篤志特命全権大使が、(公社)セーブ・ザ・チルドレン・ジャパンの宮脇麻奈・現地事業総括との間で「カンボジア・コンポンチャム州の学校における子どもに対する暴力削減事業」(第3年次)(供与限度額 497,018 米ドル)について、贈与契約書に署名しました。

(公社)セーブ・ザ・チルドレン・ジャパンは、2022年より、N 連事業を通じて、コンポンチャム州の 43 の公立小学校において、学校における体罰やいじめ・暴言などの子どもに対する暴力を削減することを目的とした事業を実施しています。本事業は、今年度で3年目となりますが、今回対象となる事業は、1年次及び2年次での学校内での子どもの保護メカニズムに関する好事例や教訓の文書化や、地域の子どもの保護メカニズムに関する既存システムへの組み込みの強化を実施することにより、学校における暴力の予防と暴力の特定・対応の仕組みを整備するものです。この事業により、学校における暴力が削減され、子どもたちが暴力のないより安全でインクルーシブな環境で学べるようになることに加えて、長期的には子どもたちの発達や健やかな成長の促進につながることを期待されます。



(公社)セーブ・ザ・チルドレン・ジャパン  
宮脇麻奈現地事業総括による署名の様子



植野篤志特命全権大使  
による署名の様子

署名後、植野大使は、今回の支援が対象地域の人々に直接裨益し、カンボジアと日本の更なる友好促進につながることを願うというメッセージを発出しました。

June 21th, 2024

On 21st June, the grant contract of Japanese NGO project was signed. Regarding the each circumstance of Embassy of Japan and Receptient organization, both sides signed the grant contract and related documents separately.

The Grant Assistance for Japanese NGO Projects, so called “N-ren”, had started since 2002 to support Japanese NGOs to implement their economic and social development projects in developing countries or regions. In the last 20 years, the Embassy of Japan has provided assistance to more than 160 projects in Cambodia through this program and these projects have directly contributed to improving the quality of life for the Cambodian people.

The abstract of the signed project today is as below.

Save the Children Japan (SCJ)

Eliminate Violence Against Children in Schools in Kampong Cham, Cambodia  
(Year 3)

I would like to introduce briefly the project which we signed today:

The government of Japan will provide 479,018 US dollars for the project implemented by Save the Children Japan.

Since 2022, Save the Children Japan has been implementing projects through the Grant Assistance for Japanese NGO Projects, at 43 public schools in Kampong Cham province: they aim to eliminate Violence against Children (VAC) such as physical punishment, bullying and abusive language. In this project, they will make protective system from VAC and make system to seek and solve VAC in schools by documentation of some good examples and lessons regarding child protection mechanism in schools, and enforcement of

the current system for child protection mechanism by neighbourhoods. Through these activities, I wish that Children will benefit from a safer and more inclusive environment free from violence through the elimination of VAC in schools, ultimately leading to an improvement in children's development outcomes and well-being.

I am pleased to note that Cambodia has been rapidly developing recently. However, I also recognize that there are still various challenges to be addressed to improve people's quality of life. The Government of Japan would like to contribute to proceed various type of problem-solving by collaborating with Japan's international corporation NGOs.

I wish all people regarding this project good health and happiness and further development of the friendship between Japan and Cambodia.

Embassy of Japan  
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the Kingdom of  
Cambodia  
UENO Atsushi



EMBASSY OF JAPAN  
IN THE KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA

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**Japan Provides US\$479,018 for  
Eliminating Violence against Children in Schools**

The Government of Japan will provide US\$479,018 for a recipient organizations under the framework, *the Grant Assistance for Japanese NGO Projects*. The Grant Contract was signed today between H.E. Mr. UENO Atsushi, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the Kingdom of Cambodia, and the representative of recipient, to carry out the following projects:

‘Eliminate Violence Against Children in Schools in Kampong Cham, Cambodia (Year 3)’  
(US\$479,018)

Recipient: Save the Children Japan (SCJ)

In this project, Save the Children Japan will implement awareness-raising activities toward children, parents and school officials, establish School-Based Child Protection Systems (SBCPM) and advocate for school-based child protection, with the aim of eliminating violence against children in schools. Through this project, students and teachers of the targeted 43 public schools in Kong Meas district, Kampong Cham province will be able to benefit from safer and more inclusive violence-free environment, which will lead to an improvement in healthy development and well-being of children.

*The Grant Assistance for Japanese NGO Projects* started in Cambodia in 2002 to support activities by Japanese NGOs to help Cambodia's reconstruction and development efforts at the grassroots level. Since 2002, the Government of Japan has provided over US\$56 million for 160 projects, mainly in the field of primary education, health, agriculture and mine clearance in Cambodia.

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