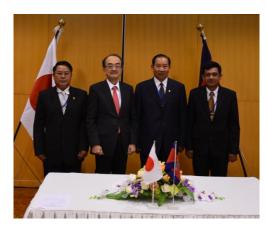
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## JAPAN PROVIDES US\$112,423 FOR THE PROJECT FOR INSTALLING CLEAN WATER SUPPLYING SYSTEM IN KEP TOWN AND DAMNAK CHANGAEUR DISTRICT, KEP PROVINCE



Under Japan's economic cooperation framework, the Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects ("KUSANONE" Grant), the Government of Japan provides US\$112,423 to KEP Provincial Department of Industry, Mines and Energy, KEP town and DamnakChangaeur District, KEP Province. The Grant Contracts were signed today between Mr. KUMAMARU Yuji, Ambassador of Japan to the Kingdom of Cambodia and KEN SATHA, Provincial Governor, and representatives of the

recipient organizations, which would carry out the following project with the presence of H.E.Excellency, EK SONN CHAN, Secretary of State, Ministry of Industry and Handicrafts and H.E.Excellency, KEN SATHA, Provincial Governor, Ministry of Interior.

The Project for Installing Clean Water Supplying System in KEP Town and DamnakChangaeur District, KEP Province (US\$112,423)

Recipient: KEP Provincial Department of Industry, Mines and Energy

This project is to install a portable water filtration system with the capacity of processing up 2,500 liters per hour. The clean water purified through this system will be kept in three large water tanks provided by the project



and serviced to the local residents. This project is expected to improve the level of hygiene and health among local communities.

Japan's "KUSANONE" Grant Assistance started in Cambodia in 1991 in order to support Cambodia's reconstruction and development efforts at the grassroots level. The assistance is aimed at protecting vulnerable individuals from such factors as poverty and misfortunes that directly threaten their lives, livelihood, and dignity, as well as at promoting self-reliance of local communities. Since 1991, the Government of Japan has provided over US\$50.6 millions for local authorities and non-governmental organizations to implement 506projects throughout the country.



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