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Kampong Chhnamg No. 95 Lor Sor

Kampong Chhnang, date 27/07/1997

Kampong Chhnang Governor

Would like to Inform Samdech Second Prime Minister

Subject:

Request land concession 236,100 hectares of Pheapimex Co, Ltd in

Kampong Chhnang for investment of plantation and establishment of paper

factory.

Reference: - Letter No. 315 Kor Sor Kor, dated 21 /01/97 of MAFF

- Letter No. 78 Sor Chhor Nor Kor Sor dated 28/01/97 of The council of

Ministers

- Annotation of Second prime Minister, dated 22 /01/97

Attachment: Report from the committee of Survey and Assessment of Agricultural Land Use of Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fishery in Kampong Chhnang, dated 27 / 08 / 97

As mentioned in subject, references and attachment above, I would like to inform Samdech Prime Minister that:

- 1. We are welcome and have agreed in the principle of RGC and MAFF for investment plantation and establishment paper factory, which was on depleted forest areas and not impact to local people property according to referred to letter No. 315 Kor Sor Kor dated 21 /01/97 of MAFF.
- 2. Agreed to report requested by the committee of survey and assessment of agricultural land use, studied by Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fishery in Kampong Chhnang added more 144,800 hectares to company for investment of plantation and establishment paper factory. While the tree nursery station covering an area of 21,065 ha and fuel wood concession on an area of 7,000 ha should be transferred to Pheapimex for additional tree planting.

The total land area given to company is 176,065 ha. It is necessary that the company allocate the land area for its own production and another part of the concession to encourage local people to plant the trees that are raw materials to be supplied to the processing factory.

As mentioned above, Samdech Second Prime Minister, please, check and decide in favour.

Please, accept my highest respect.

Governor of Kampong Chnnang

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