



National AIDS Authority

**Speech of H.E Ieng Mouly, Senior Minister
Chairperson of the National AIDS Authority
In the
Closing Session of Plenary Meeting of the National AIDS Authority**

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The Council of Ministers, Municipality of Phnom Penh

- Excellencies/Lok Chumteav State Secretaries and Understate Secretaries, representatives of institutions members of the National AIDS Authority.
- Excellencies/Lok Chumteav, chairs of the municipal/provincial AIDS fighting committees.
- Excellencies/Lok Chumteav leaders and officials of the National AIDS Authority.
- Ladies, gentlemen, secretaries of the municipal/provincial AID fighting committees.
- Ladies and Gentlemen representatives of development partners and civil society.

Excellencies, Lok Chumteav, Ladies and Gentlemen.

We have spent time and physical and moral strength the whole morning to actively attend the first plenary meeting of the National AIDS Authority in 2015. Now, our meeting has come to an end.

Excellencies, Lok Chumteav, Ladies and Gentlemen.

Even though the meeting is brief, we have achieved great success as planned.

I would like to express my sincerest thanks for all the valuable contributions made by Excellencies, Lok Chumteav, Ladies and Gentlemen to actively fighting against the spread of AIDS in the past and especially for your participation in setting out the 4th national strategic plan and drawing up the national AIDS policy. The

National AIDS Authority will present the draft of this 4th national strategic plan for the Royal Government's final consideration and decision in accordance with Sub-decree 109, dated October 23, 2006, on the organization and functioning of the National AIDS Authority.

Our authority will play a leading and coordinating role in building policy, national strategic plan, and guideline as well as creating conditions for bolstering mutually supportive multi-sectoral intervention with the concurrent harmonization aim of achieving our objective and goal of fighting against the spread of and respond to AIDS.

We will offer possibilities and encouragement to spur national and subnational inter-sectoral administrations to compile action plans to implement their activities and program projects for fighting against and responding to AIDS in competent territories under their responsibilities.

In the face of the decline of financial assistance from overseas, we have been requesting the Royal Government to offer more investments in the combat against and response to AIDS.

We will provide subnational administrations or line ministries concerned with possibilities to formulate action plan program projects by making recommendations to the Ministry of Economy and Finance to earmark suitable budget to enable us to execute those blueprints.

We will further implement the seven-point policy of the Royal Government until the three zero objective is achieved.

Once again, I would like to extremely thank and applaud your presence, inputs, and continued support, contributing to further combating and responding to AIDS at territorial administrations or in the domains under the responsibility of Excellencies, Lok Chumteav, Ladies and Gentlemen.

Lastly, I would like to wish Excellencies, Lok Chumteav, Ladies and Gentlemen the best of luck and new, still greater successes in our greatest mission, contributing to fighting against and responding to AIDS in our Kingdom of Cambodia. Please enjoy forever the four Buddhist blessings: longevity, nobility, healthiness, and strength.

I wish now to declare closed our National AIDS Authority's plenary meeting.

Before separating, I would like to invite all Excellencies, Lok Chumteav, Ladies and Gentlemen to join the solidarity lunch at this Friendship Palace's eatery.

Thank you!