

## Concept Note

# Consultative Workshop on CSOs' Inputs into the National Strategic Development (NSDP) 2024-2028

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Venue: Phnom Penh Ecumenical Diakonia Centre, No.19, St 330, Phnom Penh

### Introduction:

Previously, the Royal Government of Cambodia (RGC) has always provided opportunities for civil society organizations to provide input to the National Strategic Development Plan (NSDP) in the formulation process. In fact, civil society organizations provided input into the NSDP 2019-2023 at the end of 2018 and during the mid-term review of NSDP in 2021. Civil society organizations actively engage with policy-makers and demand them to have accountabilities toward their commitments with transparency and inclusively in the monitoring and evaluation processes. The NSDP 2019-2023 has been formulated for implementing the Rectangular Strategy Phase IV of the RGC under the coordination of the Ministry of Planning (MoP) and in collaboration with all development actors.

On 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023, MoP organized a workshop to guide input preparation for the National Strategic Development Plan (NSDP) 2024-2028. After this workshop, **civil society organizations can prepare and provide input to each concerned ministry by 7 April 2023 and MoP by 13 April 2023.**

The National Strategic Development Plan (NSDP) 2024-2028 is the only essential instrument for implementing the priority policies of the RGC towards achieving Cambodia's Vision 2050. It is a national plan for implementation to achieve the Cambodian Sustainable Development Goals (CSDG) 2030 and contribution to accomplishing the global agenda, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Furthermore, it is a vital tool and policy to bring Cambodia to leave the least developed country status.

For this reason, Cooperation Committee for Cambodia (CCC) together with 192 members organizations, including domestic and international organizations, and the 16 provincial NGO networks are going to organize a full-day consultative workshop on CSOs' Inputs into the National Strategic Development (NSDP) 2024-2028 with approximately 70 participants.

### Objectives:

- To provide information on the National Strategic Development Plan (NSDP) 2024-2028 formulation process to member organizations, provincial NGO networks, and partner organizations.
- To introduce the template and content of the input which will be prepared by civil society organizations for sending to the Ministry of Planning (MoP).
- To discuss, collect, and receive input from CSOs into the NSDP 2024-2028 for providing to each concerned ministry and MoP.

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## Tentative Agenda:

Time	Activity	Facilitator
8:00-8:30	Registration	Organizing Team
8:30-8:45	National Anthem and introduction to the objective and agenda of the workshop	Ms. Prak Keo Kongkea, Legal Specialist of CCC
8:45-8:55	Welcome remark by Mr. Chan Pheakdey, Acting Executive Director of CCC	Mr. <b>Chan Pheakdey</b> , Acting Executive Director of CCC
8:55-9:05	Keynote remarks by UNDP Representative	Representative from UNDP (TBC)
9:50-9:30	Opening remark by a representative of the Ministry of Planning	Representative from the Ministry of Planning (TBC)
9:30-9:50	Coffee Break	All
9:50-11:00	Presentation: The process, template, and content of input to be prepared by civil society organizations for MoP	Official from the Ministry of Planning (TBC)
11:00-12:00	Introduction to group discussion (The Process of the discussion) Group discussion and provide input: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Acceleration of Governance Reform</li> <li>2. Overarching Environment for Implementing the Strategy</li> <li>3. Human Resource Development</li> <li>4. Economic Diversification and Competitiveness</li> <li>5. Private Sector and Development</li> <li>6. Inclusive and Sustainable Development</li> <li>7. Economic Development and Digital Society</li> </ol>	Organizing Team
12:00-01:30	Lunch break	All
01:30-3:00	Continue group discussion and provide input	Organizing Team
03:00-3:20	Refreshment	All
03:20-4:30	Presentation from each group	Organizing Team
04:30 – 4:45	Wrap-up and closing remark by Ms. Luy Theory	Ms. Luy Theory, Head of program of CCC

***Note: This agenda is subject to be changed!***

*There will have simultaneous interpretation between English and Khmer. Some of pictures and key ideas will be quoted and shared in public through organizers' social media and website.*

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