

## CONCEPT NOTE

### CCC MEMBERS 280<sup>TH</sup> BI-MONTHLY MEETING ON “SHAPING THE FUTURE AND STRENGTHENING VOICE OF CSOs IN CAMBODIA”

**Date:** 02 September 2025 (Time: 8:00am - 12:00pm)

**Venue:** Cambodiana Hotel

#### Introduction

The Cooperation Committee for Cambodia (CCC), as the long-term membership-based organization representing civil society organizations (CSOs) in Cambodia, plays roles to coordinate, monitor, and advocate to strengthen the enabling environment for CSOs. Within these roles CCC organize bi-monthly meeting, aiming to address the emerging challenges and needs of NGOs members as a part of CSOs strengthening for sustainable development in Cambodia.

Recently, Cambodia’s civil society sector is navigating a rapidly evolving funding landscape affected by the donor priority shifting, Cambodia graduation from Least Developed Country (LDC) in 2029 and the recent impact of funding situation from the US. To ensure sustained relevance, resilience, and strategic alignment over the next decade, there is an urgent need for a collective exercise that maps sectoral strengths, gaps, and ways forward that lay the groundwork for a forward-looking CSO Roadmap for 2025–2035.

The 280<sup>th</sup> Bi-Monthly Meeting will include the update of CSO Roadmap (2025–2035) that have been discussed with key stakeholders, including the executive leadership from NGOs, unions, for co-design of a sectoral mapping process, survey questionnaire on NGO mapping & assessment for CSOs Roadmap (2025–2035).

In addition, CCC will coordinate the collection of the inputs from CSO members for the upcoming Partnership Forum between CSOs and the government, organized by Ministry of Interior (Mol), following the notice from Mol. The inputs will be consolidated for the key asks from CSOs to the government during the national partnership dialogue forum.

#### Objectives

1. To update on the CSOs Roadmap
2. To collect the inputs from CCC members for national partnership dialogue forum with Mol

#### Meeting Agenda

Time	Key Agenda	Facilitator
8:00 am – 8:30 am	<b>Registration and networking among members (coffee)</b>	CCC and All
8:30 am – 8:35 am	<b>Opening</b>	MC
8:35 am - 9:00 am	<b>Opening remarks, handover certificates to new members and group photos</b>	<b>Ms. Sin Putheary,</b> Executive Director of CCC
		All
9:00 am – 10:20 am	<b>Update of the CSO Roadmap</b>	<b>Mr. Hong Reaksmeay,</b> Country Director, Save the Children Cambodia, Member of EXCOM of

		CCC
10:20am – 10:35 am	<b>Coffee break</b>	<b>All</b>
10:35 am - 12:00 pm	<b>Inputs from CSOs for the partnership forum with Mol</b>  <i>Discussing and Collecting Inputs</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What key issues you wish to raise with Mol?</li> <li>• What suggestion and collaboration you want to raise with Mol?</li> </ul>	<b>Mr. Chea Vibol</b> , Head of Communications and Membership Development, CCC
12:00 pm - 12:10 pm	<b>Wrap-up and Closing Remarks</b>	<b>Mr. Chea Vibol</b> , Head of Communications and Membership Development, CCC

**Note:**

- The meeting will be available in Khmer and English languages. Organizer reserves the right to alter the agenda depending on time constraints and the availability of speakers.
- Some of the pictures and key ideas will be quoted and shared in public through the organizer’s social media and website:  
<https://www.ccc-cambodia.org/en/resources/event-archives>  
[www.facebook.com/CCCsinc1990](https://www.facebook.com/CCCsinc1990) [www.youtube.com/CCCambodia](https://www.youtube.com/CCCambodia)

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