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ANUKRET on Kingdom of Cambodia's Map Management, Production and Exploitation

- Referring to the Constitution of the Kingdom of *Cambodia*,
- Referring to Preah Reach Kret No. NSIRKT11 198172 of November 30, 1998 on the appointment of the Royal Government of Cambodia,
- Referring to Preah Reach Kram No. 02 NS/ 194 of July 20, 1994, promulgating the Law on the organization and functioning of the Council of Ministers
- Referring to Preah Reach Kram No NS/RKM/0699/09 of June 23,1999 promulgating the law on Establishment of the Ministry of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction
- Referring to Sub-decree No 62 ANK.BK of July 20,1999 on the organization and functioning of the Ministry of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction,
- Pursuant to the approval of the Council of Ministers at its plenary session of December 17, 1999.

DECIDES

Article 1:

The purpose of this Anukret is to prevent the publication and formal use of maps that fail to meet a standard criteria which is required to regulate the production and commerce of all kinds of maps of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

Article 2:

General Department of Cadastre and Geography of the Ministry of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction is the only department that has the duty to produce master geographical map or topographical maps of the Kingdom of Cambodia and to regulate and monitor the production of all kindstypes of maps of the Kingdom of Cambodia in order to maintain the uniformity throughout Cambodia.

Article 3:

Each specialized entity shall collaborate and use the data of the master map of the General Department of Cadastre and Geography for any production of all types of specialized maps and shall submit to the General Department of Cadastre and Geography two pieces printed maps for recording.

The production of any map of Cambodia both inside and outside the country must be previously authorized by receiving a stamp of authorization endorsed by the Ministry of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction.

Only maps that are endorsed by Ministry of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction may be imported and formally used.

The Khmer version is the official version of this document.

Article 4:

Any person who makes a copy or photocopies or makes any modification to any data on the original master map and produces the map in violation to Article 3 of this Anukret shall be punished under the laws in force.

Article 5:

Any provisions which is contrary to this Anukret shall be deemed null and void.

Article 6:

The Minister in charge of the Council of Ministers, Minister of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction and all relevant institutions shall individually implement this Anukret from the date of signature herein.