

**The minutes of the Annual meeting between
The Government of the People's Republic of China and
The Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia
On Strengthening cooperation in preventing and combatting trafficking in
persons
Anhui, China, 21-23 March 2017**

Following the meeting to discuss the joint action plan between the Government of the People's Republic of China and The Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia on Strengthening cooperation in preventing and combatting trafficking in persons in Anhui, China from 21 to 23 March 2017, the two parties agreed the following minutes.

The Inter-Ministerial Delegation of China is comprised of representatives of the Ministry of Public Security, Ministry of Civil Affairs, Office of the National Working Committee for Women and Children, the Supreme People's Court, the Supreme People's Procuratorate, Beijing Municipal Public Security Department, Anhui Provincial Public Security Department, Guangdong Provincial Public Security Department, Jiangxi Provincial Public Security Department, Shandong Provincial Public Security Department, Zhejiang Provincial Public Security Department, Hebei Provincial Public Security Department and Fujian Provincial Public Security Department, led by H.E. Chen Shiqu, Deputy Director General of Criminal Investigation Department of the Ministry of Public Security.

The Inter-Ministerial Delegation of Cambodia is comprised of representatives from the National Committee on Counter Trafficking (NCCT); General Commissariat of Cambodia National Police of the Ministry of Interior; Ministry of Woman's Affairs; Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport; Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation; Ministry of Justice; Ministry of Social Affairs, Veterans and Youth Rehabilitation; the Royal Embassy of Cambodia to China and representatives of development partners, which is led by Her Excellency Chou Bun Eng, Secretary of State of the Ministry of Interior and Permanent Vice Chairperson of the National Committee on Counter Trafficking in Persons.

According to the Agreement on Cooperation in Preventing and Combating Human Trafficking, signed by the Chinese Government and the Cambodian Government in 2016.

To ensure that the fight against transnational trafficking is effective, the two sides will cooperate on the prevention and combating of trafficking in crime. The priorities of the cooperation till the next meeting are as follows:

- 1) A hotline between the two parties will be established, with focal persons appointed and contact details shared, to improve the mechanism for effective information exchange.
- 2) Taskforces will be set up by both parties to implement the agreement and the joint activities described in these minutes.
- 3) A joint special sting operation against human trafficking will be carried out April to August 2017.
- 4) Special preventative measures to strengthen education and awareness will be carried out annually by both parties, especially in hotspot areas.
- 5) Discussions and communication will be conducted on procedures and documents for transnational marriage registration and other legal affairs.
- 6) Regular bilateral meetings will be carried out annually, with the second meeting planned for the first quarter of 2018.

These meeting minutes are signed on the 23rd March 2017 in Anhui province of China.



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