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His Excellency Antonio Vitorino
Director General
International Organization for Migration Geneva, Switzerland

Your Excellency,

I am pleased to inform Your Excellency that the Royal Government of Cambodia is interested in becoming a “champion country” as a testament of its firm commitments and progress towards the implementation of Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration (GCM).

The Royal Government of Cambodia welcomes the noble initiative launched by the United Nations Network on Migration to support national migration priorities towards meeting the GCM objectives through its active implementation of the national priorities and constructive engagement in the Colombo Process with the main focus on migration in the regional and multilateral cooperation framework. In this regard, the Royal Government of Cambodia is of its firm belief that Cambodia is well-qualified to become a “champion country” on the GCM's objective one: “*collect and utilize accurate and disaggregated data as a basis for evidence-based policies*” and objective twenty-three: “*strengthen international cooperation and global partnerships for safe, orderly and regular migration*”.

Taking this opportunity, the Royal Government of Cambodia would like to express its sincere appreciation to the United Nations Network on Migration, especially Your Excellency for the remarkable and committed leadership.

I wish Your Excellency and your colleagues all success in your endeavors, good health, and stay safe in the COVID-19 pandemic.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my sincere consideration.

Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo HUN SEN
Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Cambodia