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Ministry of Health No: 002/00 ABS/MP

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on

The Determination of Roles and Duties of the Control Agent in Private Medical Paramedical and Medical Aid Services

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Senior Minister and Minister of Health

- Seen the Constitution of the Kingdom of Cambodia
- Seen Royal-decree No. NS/RKT/1198, dated on 30 November 1998, on the Appointment of the Royal Government of Cambodia
- Seen Royal Kram No. NS/RKM/0196/06 dated on 24 January 1996 promulgating the Law on the Establishment of Ministry of Health
- Seen Sub-decree No. 67 ANKr-BK, dated on 22 October 1997, on the Organization and Functioning of Ministry of Health
- Seen Decision No. 50 SSR, dated on 5 April 1991, of the Council of Ministers on the Establishment of the Consulting Cabinet, Dental Cabinet, Obstetric Clinic, Medical Laboratory, and Private Polyclinic
- Seen the Instruction No. 55 NKT, dated on 17 May 1991 of Ministry of Health
- Based on the urgent situation for the implementation.

Decides

- Article 1: The agent controlling the medical, paramedical and medical aid services have the important function to monitor the enforcement of the regulations, laws concerning the activities of the private medical, paramedical and medical aid services with a view to ensure the quality of the administrative and technical management.
- Article 2: The control agent team of the medical, paramedical and medical aid services is one section under the guidance of Ministry of Health and has the central bureau located in the Hospital Department.

- Article 3: The control agent of the medical, paramedical and medical aid services has the duty to:
 - 1. Examine the request to open the medical, paramedical and medical aid services.
 - 2. Instruct that the *Prakas* or other regulations are implemented in order to improve the services.
 - 3. Constantly visit the process of the services, in particular when something wrong eventually occurs.
- Article 4: Procedures for conducting the mission:
 - 1. The control agent can conduct their mission only if they have the assignment letter affixed with clear date issued by the Health Technical Department General.
 - 2. While on mission, the control agent shall wear the uniform:
 - A white long-sleeve shirt embroidered with the person's name on the left pocket.
 - A pair of trousers or a dark blue skirt (blue).
 - On the left sleeve affixed with the logo of Ministry of Health.
 - The dark blue plain tie (blue)
 - 3. In every mission conducted, the control agent shall make a report and submit to Ministry of Health through the Hospital Department.
- Article 5: The control agent has the following powers:
 - 1. Monitor the process of the services.
 - 2. Instruct that the *Prakas* or other regulations are implemented.
 - 3. Request that the service is suspended if the criminal offence occurs.
- Article 6: Anyone who opposes the function of the control agent or any control agent who colludes or abuses their duty shall be punished in accordance to the provisions set in the Law on the Management of Private Professional Practice in the fields of Medical Paramedical and Medical Aid.
- Article 7: The Health Technical Department General, the Department General of Administration and Finance, the Directorate, the Hospital Department, and provincial/municipal Health Department have the duty to implement this *Prakas* according to their individual duty.
- Article 8: Any provisions contrary to this *Prakas* shall be abrogated.

Article 9: This *Prakas* is in effect as of the date the signature is affixed.

Phnom Penh, 1 March 2007 [Signature and Seal]

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Submitted to:

- Cabinet of Samdech Prime Minister
- Cabinet of the Council of Ministers
- Inspectorate of the Royal Government
- Ministry of Economy and Finance
- Ministry of Interior
- All municipalities/provinces "for collaboration and implementation"
- As stated in Article 7
- Documentations-Archives.