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Press Release

Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen, Prime Minister of the Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia, will lead a high - level delegation to attend the following ASEAN Summit and Related Summits, under the theme "Partnering for Change, Engaging the World" to be held from 12 to 14 November 2017 in Manila, Republic of the Philippines, at the invitation of His Excellency Rodrigo Roa Duterte, President of the Republic of Philippines:

- The 31st ASEAN Summits;
- The 40th ASEAN-US Anniversary Commemorative Summit;
- The 20th ASEAN-China Summit;
- The 19th ASEAN-Republic of Korea Summit;
- The 20th ASEAN-Japan Summit;
- The 9th ASEAN-United Nations Summit;
- The 20th ASEAN Plus Three Summit;
- The ASEAN-Canada 40th Anniversary Commemorative Summit;
- The ASEAN-EU 40th Anniversary Commemorative Summit;
- The 12th East Asia Summit;
- The 15th ASEAN-India Summit;

The delegation will include His Excellency **Prak Sokhonn**, Senior Minister, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, His Excellency **Pan Sorasak**, Minister of Commerce, His Excellency **Hang Chuon Naron**, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports and other members of the Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

On the sidelines of the $31^{\rm st}$ ASEAN Summit, Samdech Techo Prime Minister will attend the following meetings and activities:

- Meeting among three Prime Ministers of Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam;
- ASEAN Plus Three (APT) Leaders Interface with East Asia Business Council;
- 9th Mekong-Japan Summit;
- Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) Leaders' Meeting;

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- Special Gala Celebration on the 50th Anniversary of ASEAN; and
- Lunch hosted by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte in Honor of EAS HOS/G and Guests of the Chair.

In addition, Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo HUN SEN will also hold bilateral meetings with H.E. Mr. Li Keqiang, Prime Minister of the People's Republic of China, Honorable Malcolm Turnbull, Prime Minister of Australia, , H.E. Mr. Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of the Republic of India, H.E. Mr. Dmitry Medvedev, Prime Minister of the Russian Federation, H.E. Mr. Antonio Guterres, United Nations Secretary-General and other heads of delegation of some countries.

Prior to the ASEAN Summit and Related Summits, Samdech Techo will pay a visit to Clark, Pampanga, the Philippines, on 11 November 2017 at the invitation of Her Excellency **Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo**, former President of the Philippines and a member of the House of Representatives representing the 2nd District of Pampanga.

During the visit, Samdech Techo will take a tour at Clark Freeport Zone to see its managements and infrastructures that will be beneficial for Cambodia's development. Samdech Techo will also attend a dinner hosted by Mrs. Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo.

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