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THE FORMAL INAUGURATION OF  
THE LEGAL DOCUMENTATION CENTRE RELATING TO THE EXTRAORDINARY CHAMBERS  
IN THE COURTS OF CAMBODIA (LDC)

The records of the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC), need to be kept safely as a legacy for the coming generations of Cambodians, and for both national and international researchers. The location for that is the Legal Documentation Centre relating to the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (LDC). The centre will be officially inaugurated on 27 June 2017 at 9:00 am, presided over by H.E. Bin Chhin, Deputy Prime Minister and Acting Minister in charge of the Council of Ministers in the presence of representatives of relevant ministries of the Royal Government of Cambodia, the ECCC and other judicial and educational institutions, the United Nations and, diplomatic missions, as well as other national and international guests.

The LDC was established in 2015 under the Office of the Council of Ministers to preserve and make accessible documentation of all cases from the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia, including judgments and proceedings of the Court, and other relevant books, magazines, newspapers and electronic publications. Until now, the LDC has received from the ECCC 7,026 public documents from Case 001 in both electronic (soft copy) and paper (hard copy). . In addition, all students, scholars, and legal experts can also know LDC through the website as well: [www ldc-eccc.gov.kh](http://www ldc-eccc.gov.kh).

These documents are very important for the study of the history of the Khmer Rouge and in particular, to keep the legacy of the ECCC for truth, justice and memory which represents a major accomplishment of national and international jurists and donors.

We have the honor to invite national and international journalists to join this event. Please register with officers of Public Affairs at LDC by 23 June 2017.

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