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### KUSANONE Grant Assistance Grant Contract Signing Ceremony

June 26<sup>th</sup> 2007 at 3:00 p.m.

At the Multi-Purpose Hall, the Embassy of Japan

The Government of Japan will provide a total of US\$939,748 for 5 non-governmental organizations to carry out 2 projects through its Grant Assistance for Grassroots/Human Security Projects ("KUSANONE" Grant), and 3 projects through Grant Assistance for Japanese NGO's Projects.

Grant Contracts will be signed on 26th June 2007 at 3 pm at the Multi-Purpose Hall of the Embassy of Japan between H.E. Mr. SHINOHARA Katsuhiro, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the Kingdom of Cambodia, and representatives from the recipient organizations, which will carry out the following projects:

**1. The Project for Installing Laboratory Equipment at Referral Hospital and Constructing Kbal Damrei Health Post in Kratie Province (US\$35,070)**  
**Recipient: Cambodian Medical Services Support Organization**

The project will install laboratory equipment such as hematology analyzers, a spectrophotometer, microscopes, erythrocyte sedimentation rate instruments, and automatic pipettes at Kratie Referral Hospital and Chlong Referral Hospital. The equipment purchased with the grant will enable these two hospitals to provide appropriate public medical service for the people in the region. Under this project, the recipient organization will also construct Kbal Damrei Health Post in the village, where people currently have only a limited access to healthcare facilities, thereby benefiting approximately 3,500 people.

**2. The Project for Installing Portable Microscope for Otology Treatment (US\$5,388)**  
**Recipient: All Ears Cambodia**

All Ears Cambodia will install one medical microscope for diagnosis and treatment of ear diseases in its clinic in Phnom Penh, where the organization treats people free of charge. This organization will also provide treatment at Prea Andong Hospital in Phnom Penh as well as at project sites of its partner NGOs in Kandal, Pursat, Kampot, Kompong Chhnang, and Sihanoukville. It is estimated that their treatment utilizing the medical microscope will benefit approximately 2,300 patients every year.

**3. The Project for Construction of Wat Kok Primary School (US\$51,848)**  
**Recipient: School Aid Japan**