



Embassy of Japan in Cambodia

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Exchange of Notes for Japan's Grant Assistance**

**Friday, September 23, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.**  
**at the Multi-Purpose Hall, Embassy of Japan**

In response to a request from the Royal Government of Cambodia and the World Food Programme (hereinafter referred as “WFP”), the Government of Japan has agreed to extend a Grant Assistance of **two hundred and twenty million Japanese Yen (¥220,000,000)**, equivalent to **about 2 million US dollars**, to the Kingdom of Cambodia through WFP for the purpose of contributing to the implementation of the School Feeding Programme.

Notes to this effect were exchanged between **Mr. Gianpietro Bordignon**, Representative and Country Director of World Food Programme Cambodia, and **H.E. Mr. KUMAMARU Yuji**, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the Kingdom of Cambodia, on September 23, 2016 at 10:30 am at the Multi-Purpose Hall, Embassy of Japan.

In this project, approximately 290 metric tons of canned fish will be provided for breakfasts for school children in the most vulnerable communities. This Grant Aid is extended by the Government of Japan to the Royal Government of Cambodia through WFP with a view to improving food security and access to education in the Kingdom of Cambodia, and further strengthening the cordial and cooperative relations between the two countries.

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