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**Cambodia, Japan Sign Exchange of Notes on Extension of Japanese Yen Loan for
the Sihanoukville Port New Container Terminal Development Project (II)**

On 13 July 2026, His Excellency Deputy Prime Minister PRAK Sokhonn, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the Kingdom of Cambodia, and His Excellency UENO Atsushi, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the Kingdom of Cambodia, signed the Exchange of Notes and accompanying documents on the extension of the Government of Japan's Yen Loan, amounting to seventeen billion seven hundred and seventy-six million Japanese Yen (JPY 17,776,000,000), approximately USD 119 million, for the implementation of the Sihanoukville Port New Container Terminal Development Project (II).

The project aims to improve the container cargo handling capacity of the Sihanoukville port, the only international deep-sea port in Cambodia, as well as logistic efficacy of Cambodia by developing new container terminal and its related infrastructure.

The continued financial assistance demonstrates Japan's firm commitment to promoting trade and socio-economic development in Cambodia, as well as further strengthening the Cambodia-Japan Comprehensive Strategic Partnership.



Phnom Penh, 13 July 2026