



TENTATIVE AGENDA

Workshop on Free Trade Agreements (FTAs): Trends, Challenges and Opportunities for Cambodia

8 February 2021 - Venue: Sofitel Phnom Penh Phokeethra

- 07:30 - 08:30** Registration
- 08:30 – 08:40** Opening Remarks - **Mr Tassilo BRINZER**, EuroCham Chairman
- 08:40 – 09:10** **The Royal Government’s Dimension – General introduction to Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) and their role in Cambodia’s economic future**
- **H.E. Mr SOK Sopheak**, Secretary of State and **H.E. Mr. RATH Saravuth**, Director General of International Trade, Ministry of Commerce
- 09:10 – 09:40** **The Negotiators’ Dimension - Cambodia’s recent FTAs and insights in the ongoing negotiation of Cambodia’s pipeline FTAs**
- **H.E. Mr. RATH Saravuth**, Director General of International Trade, member of negotiation team on Cambodia-China FTA, Ministry of Commerce
- **Mr. LONG Kemvichet**, Deputy Director General of International Trade, member of negotiation team on Cambodia-South Korea FTA, Ministry of Commerce
- 09:40 – 10:10** **The Customs’ Dimension – Impact on customs regulations and procedures, rules of origin and preferential treatment and trade facilitation**
- **Dr. SANG Sinavith**, Director of the Department of International Customs Cooperation, and **Ms. OUK Chansopheap**, Chief of Free Trade Office, Department of International Customs Cooperation, General Department of Customs and Excise
- 10:10 – 10:30** Coffee Break
- 10:30 – 11:00** **The Private Sector’s Dimension - Opportunities and challenges from the perspective of the logistics sector**
- **Mr. SUY Bunthan**, Chairman of EuroCham Transport and Logistics Committee, Head of Operations at DHL Express
- 11:00 – 12:00** **FTAs in practice – a 5th dimension? Panel Discussion on Free Trade Agreements and Logistics: which challenges and opportunities for the involved parties?**

Moderator: Mr. Tom HESKETH, Deputy Director of EuroCham Cambodia

• **Panellists:**

- **H.E. Mr. RATH Saravuth**, Director General of International Trade, Ministry of Commerce
- **Mr. LONG Kemvichet**, Deputy Director General of International Trade, Ministry of Commerce
- **Ms. SORN Sopheavatey**, Deputy Director General of Logistics, Ministry of Public Works and Transport

- **Ms. OUK Chansopheap**, Chief of Free Trade Office, Department of International Customs Cooperation, General Department of Customs and Excise
- **Mr. SUY Bunthan**, Chairman of EuroCham Transport and Logistics Committee, Head of Operations at DHL Express

Slido (Q&A)

- 12:00 – 12:15** Closing Remarks by **Mr. Noë SCHELLINCK**, Advocacy Manager of EuroCham Cambodia
- 12:15 – 01:30** Lunch (Provided)