

Australia to Provide AUD 83.7 million ODA to Cambodia

The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Australia has announced recently that Australia will provide an estimated AUD 83.7 million in total Official Development Assistance (ODA) to Cambodia in 2018-2019, which is about the same amount granted in the previous period 2017-2018.

The assistance package committed to Cambodia for 2018-2019 includes AUD 56.1 million bilateral funding for Cambodia Country Programs and the remaining amount to be funded through regional and other channels.

Australia has been working in cooperation with the Royal Government of Cambodia, private sector and others to assist Cambodian people, particularly the vulnerable, in three priority areas, namely improving access to infrastructure, increasing agricultural productivity and farmer incomes and promoting better health and education outcomes.

As a leading bilateral donor, Australia has contributed significantly to poverty reduction and inclusive growth of Cambodia for which Cambodia highly appreciates.

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