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THE KHMER KAMPUCHEA KROM COMMUNITY  
LA COMMUNAUTÉ DU KHMER KAMPUCHEA KROM

No.:..... KKC

## APPEAL FOR FUNDS TO ORGANIZE A PUBLIC FORUM ON KAMPUCHEA KROM

On July 6, 2014, the Khmer Kampuchea Krom Buddhist, civic associations and non-governmental organizations, known as the Khmer Krom Coalition, will organize a Public Forum on Kampuchea Krom at the Headquarters of the Khmer Kampuchea Krom Association for Human Rights and Development, KKHD, situated at Koak Khleang village, Phnom Penh Thmei commune, Sen Sok district, Phnom Penh.

This forum is intended to collect recommendations or documents that are relating to the Khmer Kampuchea Krom territories from the Khmer Buddhist monks and citizens as additions in order to transmit official documents to the Socialist Republic of Vietnam, SRV, to acknowledge the fact of history on the Khmer Kampuchea Krom territories. Due to Mr. Tran Van Thong, Spokesperson of Vietnam's Embassy to Kampuchea (Cambodia), had fabricated Khmer history by stating that the Khmer Kampuchea Krom territories belong to Vietnam for a long time and that France did not transfer [Kampuchea Krom] to Vietnam. As Spokesperson of Vietnam's Embassy that represents SRV, Mr. Tran Van Thong must be accountable for his statement and if Mr. Tran Van Thong failed to show document that Kampuchea Krom territories belong to Vietnam for a long time, [he] must apologize to Khmer citizens publicly for degrading them seriously.

As already stated above, I would like to respectfully appeal to you, the Buddhist monks and compatriots for your contributions in funds or spring water according to your conscience in order for us to be able to organize this forum successfully.

The Khmer Krom Coalition hopes strongly that you, the Buddhist monks and compatriots support this forum as its success depends on complete contributions.

May you, the Buddhist monks and compatriots accept my high respect.

Phnom Penh, June 24, 2014

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**Former Senator**

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