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## **NagaWorld Kind Hearts donates 100 hand sanitiser and temperature checker kiosks to help students stay safe at school**

**Phnom Penh, Cambodia, 7 October 2020** – NagaWorld Kind Hearts, the corporate social responsibility (CSR) arm of NagaWorld, donated 100 Portable Hand Sanitiser and Temperature Checker kiosks to the Ministry of Health to assist their efforts to curb the spread of COVID-19 in Cambodia. The kiosks are to be used at selected schools, which were reopened on 7 September after a 6-month closure.

Each kiosk includes clear information on COVID-19 Precautionary Measures from the Ministry of Health and are equipped with a contactless digital infrared thermometer and a sensor-based automatic hand sanitiser gel dispenser. Before entering into the school, students will stand in front of the scanner for temperature checking. A green light will indicate a safe temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or below and they can proceed to get the hand sanitiser automatically dispensed to them. A red light will signify the individual has a fever and should seek medical attention. The entire process is contactless, hygienic, quick and safe.

Minister of Health H.E. Prof. Mam Bunheng received the kiosks together with Secretary of State H.E. Prof. Eng Hout, Secretary of State H.E. Dr. Youk Sambath and Secretary of State H.E. Dr. Or Vandine during a presentation ceremony attended by NagaWorld Managing Director Mr. Pern Chen, Managing Director of Finance & Operations Mr. Cherchi Chen, Head of Occupational Safety & Health Administration Mr. Emilio Thiel and Director of Corporate Social Responsibility Ms. Cheong Cheng.

“We hope the donation of these Portable Hand Sanitiser and Temperature Checker kiosks will ease the minds of both students and educators alike as they return to school,” said Mr. Pern Chen. “These kiosks contain both a hands-free sanitiser and an automatic temperature checker, thereby cutting down on manually scanning students’ temperatures one by one, or manually picking up hand sanitisers to use. If students are not feeling well, they can walk up to the kiosk at any time to have their temperature scanned, and to sanitise their hands as well.

“The information on the kiosks will also educate students on the best practices regarding COVID-19, such as wearing masks and adequate hygiene measures. Again, we thank the Ministry of Health allowing us to assist them in keeping the country safe during these trying times,” he added.

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H.E. Prof. Mam Bunheng said, “This contribution of these Portable Hand Sanitiser and Temperature Checker kiosks to schools is much appreciated in helping keep our students safe when returning to study. We are truly thankful for the unwavering support from NagaWorld through their various donations, which supply vital assistance to the government’s efforts of prevention, control and response to the spread of COVID-19 in Cambodia.”

The donation of 100 kiosks, worth a total of US\$50,000, is NagaWorld Kind Hearts’ fourth contribution to the Ministry of Health following a series of donations including 5 laptops, 500 bottles of hand sanitiser gel, a Nucleic Acid Extraction System, 6,400 viral DNA extraction kits and 3,000 units of virus sample collection kits.

Over the past 4 months, NagaWorld Kind Hearts has also gifted over 40,000 face masks, 4,000 bottles of hand sanitiser gel, and 720 litres of isopropyl alcohol to the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport, the Ministry of Land Management, Urban Planning and Construction, the General Commissariat of National Police and Phnom Penh City Hall – bringing their overall donations to more than \$118,000 in value.

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### **About NagaWorld Kind Hearts**

NagaWorld Kind Hearts was formed in March 2014 by employees with NagaWorld’s full support to promote volunteerism towards Corporate Social Responsibility programmes focussing on 4 key pillars: Education Enhancement, Community Engagement, Sports Development and Environmental Care. At present, over 339,000 Cambodians have benefitted through these programmes.

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