

SINGAPORE AND CAMBODIA TO STRENGTHEN BILATERAL ENERGY RELATIONS

Mr Suy Sem, Minister of Industry, Mines and Energy of the Kingdom of Cambodia, and Mr S Iswaran, Minister in the Prime Minister's Office and Second Minister for Home Affairs and Trade & Industry of the Republic of Singapore, held a bilateral meeting at the sidelines of the 30th ASEAN Ministers on Energy Meeting in Phnom Penh and agreed to strengthen bilateral energy cooperation between Cambodia and Singapore.

2 As a first step towards strengthening bilateral energy cooperation, a delegation led by a Secretary of State of the Ministry of Industry, Mines and Energy of the Kingdom of Cambodia, will conduct a study visit to Singapore from 21 to 24 October 2012. The study visit, which will be organised by the Energy Market Authority (EMA) of Singapore, will facilitate the mutual exchange of views on energy issues. The delegation will also attend the Singapore International Energy Week (SIEW) 2012.

3 Mr Suy Sem and Mr S Iswaran have also tasked their officials to work on a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on specific initiatives to enhance bilateral energy relations. The MoU will be signed in October 2012 during SIEW.

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