

Siem Reap, Cambodia, October 2018

#### Dear **BENEFACTORS**,

During the month of October, we have received the visit of the local authorities. Specifically, the Ministry of Social Affairs and Vulnerable Youth, from Phonm Penh, abbreviated MoSAVY.

We are pleased to communicate, the intention of both parties to sign an agreement called MOU (Memorandum of Understanding), through which, said ministry recognizes us as one of the organizations that applies the established requirements for the safety and welfare of children and young people in our charge, cooperating both parties so that this wellbeing is solid and lasting. With this recognition, the NGO is placed at the head of the established institutions that offer alternative care to vulnerable children.

And all this would not have been possible without our BENEFACTORS, who support and care for us in the distance, through the different Social Assistance Programs. In order to sign this agreement or MOU, it is necessary to comply with a series of requirements, which are carefully monitored, firstly by the Department of Social Affairs of Siem Reap. Once this supervision is over, this department approves it and then representatives of the Ministry have visited us to approve or make recommendations prior to signing.



Welcome with the national song to our flag by the youngest members.



Executive Director and Social Worker being interviewed.

It has been a resounding success! After several simple recommendations to apply and on which we are already working hand in hand with the Department of Siem Reap, in a couple of months the application of these recommendations will come to value and the agreement will be signed.



**Checking and reviewing documentation** 



Supervision was divided into two camps on different days, led by specific teams representing the Ministry:

\*\*\* Group 1- Recognition of our Residential Home that we affectionately call DEI KOMA -THE CHILDREN'S LAND- as an Alternative Care Center for Children and Youth. Supervision and approval focuses on the qualities offered to children and young residents, from the type of accommodation, nutrition, hygiene, education, extra-curricular activities, free time, number and qualification of employees working directly with children, budgets, financial reports, etc.



Interviewing some of the young residents.

\*\*\* Group 2- Recognition of the Programs that the NGO runs to improve the quality of life of vulnerable people. This group also visited the DEI KOMA -THE CHILDREN'S LAND- and our programs in the community as below:





- 2.1 DIAMOND Program, we went to visit several of our adorable grandparents. During a interview they explained the kind of help we provide, so they can enjoy their last years with dignity. The representatives of the Ministry were thrilled and excited about this program, encouraging us to help more people.





- 2.2 SEWING WORKSHOP Program, in which a group of vulnerable mothers sew cloth bags, thereby learning a skill, and generating resources within a fair-trade system. The Empowerment of these Mothers becomes effective from the first day, improving the quality of life of their families The main objective is that their Children grow up in a Safe and Happy environment. We were applauded for having an effective program to maintain the family unit through the empowerment of women.



Interviewing the mother's team of the Sewing Workshop of Bags.



- 2.3 FAMILY SUPPORT Program, visiting some of the students that have scholarships in their communities, interviewing them and encouraging them to continue learning and become people of positive impact for their communities.



And all these visits, and all these adjectives, and all these emotions would not be possible without OUR BENEFACTORS, to whom we provide these supervisions and whom we applaud from our hearts.

Three Hurray for our Benefactors:

I am available to anyone who has questions, I will respond with all my affection.

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