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Office of the Co-Investigating Judges Bureau des Co-juges d'instruction

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Before:

**YOU Bunleng** 

Laurent KASPER-ANSERMET

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## NOTIFICATION OF SUSPECT'S RIGHTS [RULE 21(1)(D)]

### **Co-Prosecutors**

Mrs. CHEA Leang
Mr. Andrew CAYLEY

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We, Laurent Kasper-Ansermet, International Reserve Co-Investigating Judge before the Extraordinary Chambers within the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC),

#### Hereby inform

Madame **IM Chaem**, of Cambodian nationality, born in 1946 in Kbal O, Cheang Toeng commune, in Takeo province (Cambodia), daughter of Each Iv and POT Chim, residing in the O Angre village in Trapeang Tav commune, Anlung Veng district, in Oddar Meanchey province,

- 1. That she is named as a suspect in the ongoing judicial investigation initiated by the Co-Prosecutor's Introductory Submission dated 20 November 2008 and the Supplementary Submission dated 18 July 2011, for planning, instigating, ordering, aiding and abetting or committing, individually or by participating in a joint criminal enterprise, the following crimes under the jurisdiction of the ECCC:
  - A. Homicide, Torture and Religious Persecution of Cham (Articles 209, 210, 500, 501,503, 504, 505, 506, 507 and 508 of the 1956 Penal Code), punishable under Articles 3 (new), 29 (new) and 39 (new) of the ECCC Law.
  - B. Violations of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide of 1948, punishable under Article 4, 29 (new) and 39 (new) of the ECCC Law.
  - C. Murder; Extermination; Enslavement; Imprisonment; Torture; Rape; Persecutions on political, racial and religious grounds and other Inhumane Acts, which constitute Crimes Against Humanity, punishable under Article 5, 29 (new) and 39 (new) of the ECCC Law;
  - D. Wilful Killing, Wilfully Causing Great Suffering or Serious Injury to Body or Health, Unlawful Transportation, Deportation or Confinement of Civilians, constituting Grave Breaches of the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, punishable under Article 6, 29 (new) and 39 (new) of the ECCC Law.

Based on offences committed from 1976 to January 1979 on Cambodian territory as a senior leader of Democratic Kampuchea and/or a person most responsible for the above-mentioned crimes, having held the positions of Secretary of Koh Andet District, Sector 13 of the Southwest Zone from 1976 to June 1977, Secretary of Preah Net Preah District Sector 5 of the Northwest Zone and exercising authority over all of Sector 5 of the Northwest zone from June 1977 to January 1979. The high number of victims attests to the gravity of the crimes with which she is charged.

- 2. That these charges are based on both the facts alleged by the co-prosecutors and those uncovered thus far during the course of the investigation.
- 3. That in accordance with the law, she shall be presumed innocent as long as her guilt has not been established, and that we remain available to hear evidence from her relating to these charges should she so wish.

- 4. That in accordance with the Internal Rules of the ECCC [Rule 21(1)(d)], procedural rights and guarantees attached to the status of Suspect notably include the right to be defended by a lawyer of his/her choice, to have access to the case file (application, by analogy, of Rules 55(6), 55(1) and 58, except for the provisions of Rule 58(6) of the ECCC) and to remain silent at every stage of the proceedings.
- 5. We advise her, as necessary, to refer to the ECCC's Defence Support Section, whose function is to provide her with assistance in preparing her defence. It can also provide her with a list of counsels kept available for all those entitled to legal assistance before the ECCC.

Done in Phnom Penh, 24 February 2012

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