

Announcement No. 2908 on the Extension of the Penalty to Apply for the E-Commerce Permit or License Issued by the Ministry of Commerce on

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The Announcement No. 2194 dated 15 September 2021 on the Granting of the E-commerce Permit or License issued by the Ministry of Commerce (the "MOC") expired on 1 December 2021. Considering that a significant number of sole proprietors, legal entities or foreign branches (the "E-Commerce Service Providers and Intermediaries") conducting E-commerce business activities in Cambodia have yet fulfilled their obligation to apply for the E-commerce Permit or License, the MOC issued on 1 December 2021, the new Announcement No. 2908 on the Extension of the Penalty to apply for the E-Commerce Permit or License (the "Announcement No. 2908").

The Announcement No. 2908 provides that the MOC has decided to extend the period for receiving such application without applying any penalties until 1 March 2022, giving more time to the E-Commerce Service Providers and Intermediaries to fulfil their legal obligations. It is to be noted that any E-Commerce Service Providers and Intermediaries failing to apply for an E-commerce Permit or License may be subject to a fine or closure of business.

The applications, formality, conditions and required documents are available at www.ecommercelicensing.moc.gov.kh or the MOC's website www.moc.gov.kh. Also, each applicant can submit an application directly either at the Department of Business Registration, General Department of Trade Services of the MOC or via the website www.ecommercelicensing.moc.gov.kh.

If you require our assistance with application for an E-commerce Permit or License or any other corporate related matters, please feel free to contact us.

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