

**Presentation
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**TO
The Standing Committee on
Mine Clearance, Mine Risk Education
And Mine Action Technology**

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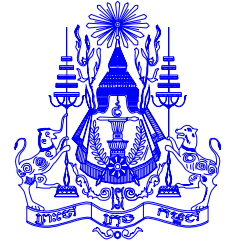
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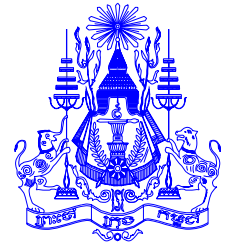
History of Mine Action



- **Establishment of CMAC in 1992, headed by HM the King**
- **Establishment of MCTU/UNTAC in 1992**
- **Establishment CMAC/Trust Funds in 1994**
- **CMAC has developed from 1500 to more than 3000 personnel**
- **CMAC enjoyed the prosperity until late 1998**

History of Mine Action Con't

Victim of the Success



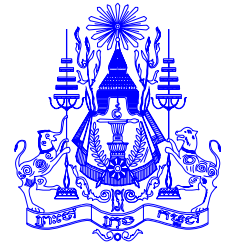
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CMAC faced with numerous challenges

- **Too many technical advisors, but take no responsibility**
- **Autonomous agency no authority placed above**
- **CMAC played as operator and in the same time acted as regulator and coordinator**
- **Reacting only to emergency, no demining plan at the national level**
- **Government has little say on mine action**
- **CMAC faced severe problem in mid 1999 and shut off 90% of its operations**

History of Mine Action Continued

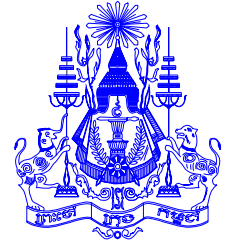
Mine Action Crusade to Survive



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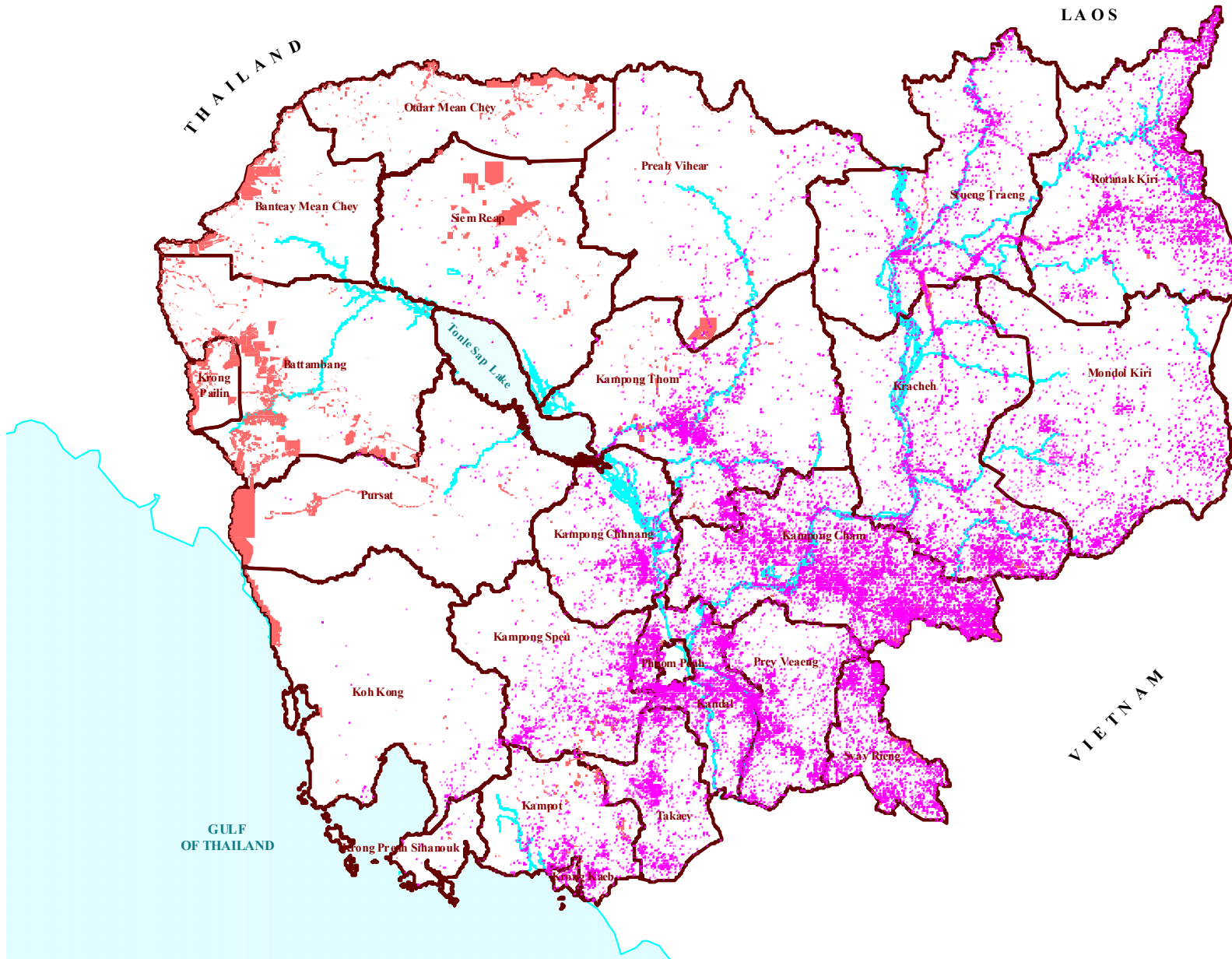
- **Royal Government established CMAA in September 2000**
- **National Symposium, Meeting with Donors called for the spirit of “Ownership” and “Partnership”**
- **Assisted CMAC with Reform**
- **Re-organized CMAC TA, July 2001**
- **Restructured mine action with legal framework, which limit CMAC as “Operator” and CMAA as national regulator**

Landmines Affected Cambodia



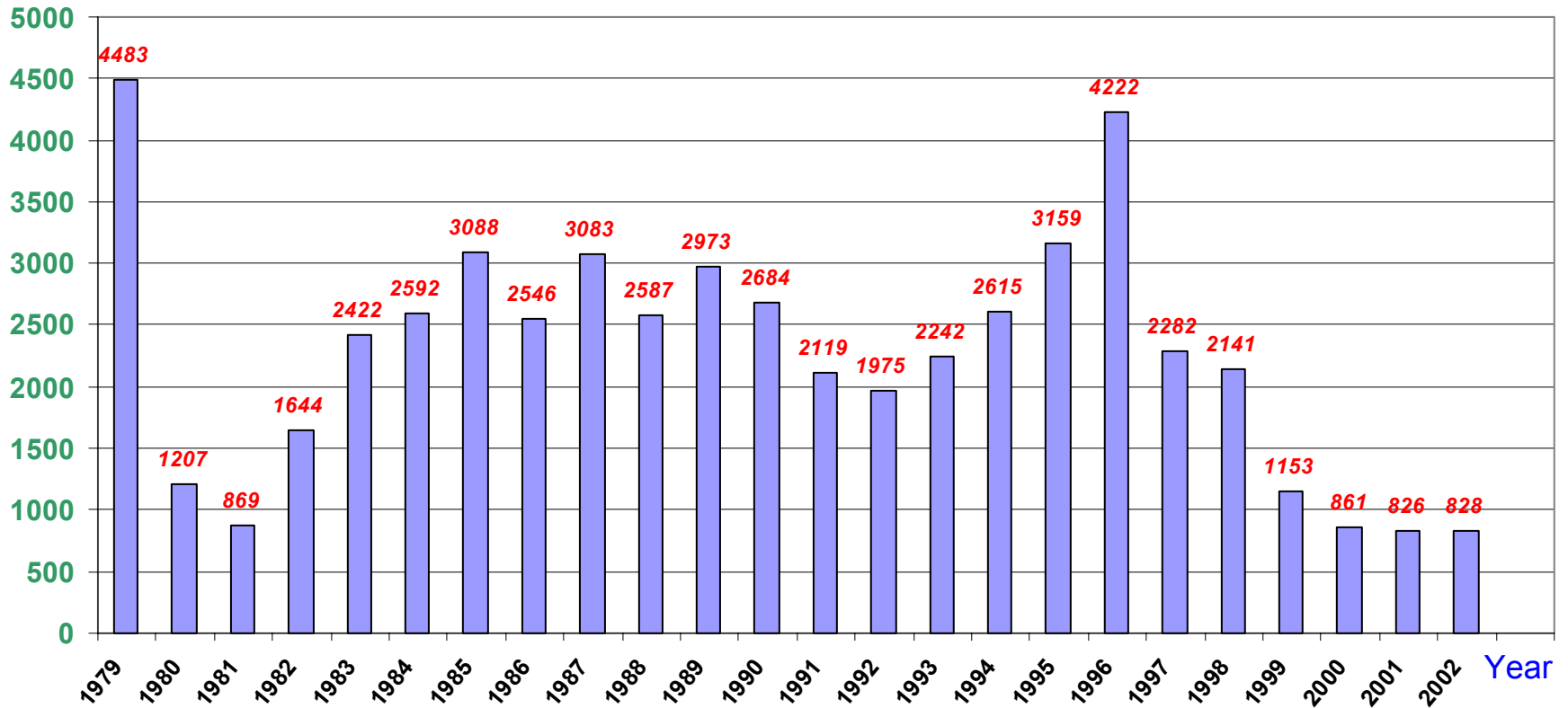
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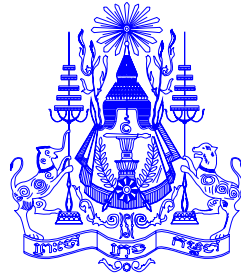
**Map of Cambodia with Landmines, UXOs
and US Bombing Data**



Mine / UXO Incident Statistic

Casualties

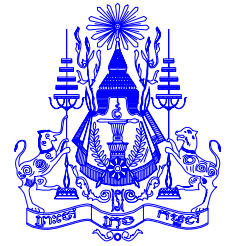




**NEW ROAD MAP
OF
MINE ACTION
IN THE KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA**

Mine Action in the New Mandate

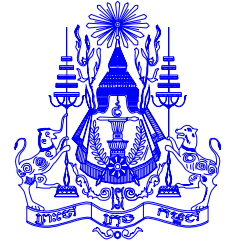
Role of Cambodian Mine Action Authority



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- **CMAA is a sole body to represent the RGC in mine action**
- **Developing policy guidelines for mine clearance**
- **Coordinating of all mine action activities and programs**
- **Developing mine action strategies (short, medium and long term)**
- **Monitoring mine action operations**
- **Regulating all program activities**
- **Focal point for national database**
- **Developing policy to manage post clearance land use**
- **Mobilization and oversight of resources**
- **Ensure obligations under national and international mine action laws, treaties and conventions – including international cooperation and exchange**

Achievements in 2002

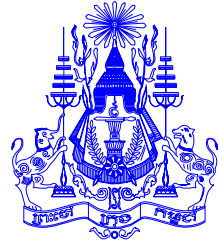


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- **Established a Database Center**
- **Has developed Cambodian M.A. Standards**
- **Conducted routine coordination of mine action**
- **Organized national workshops on mine action**
- **Conducted field visits to mine action operators**
- **Overseen the destruction of mines and UXO**
- **Developed a first draft of the Strategic Plan**
- **Initiated integration of mine action activities in the National Poverty Reduction Strategy**

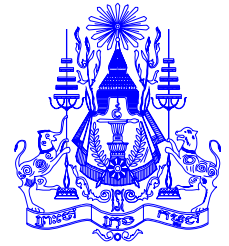
Achievements in 2002

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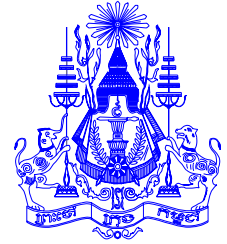
- **Finalized mine awareness strategic plan and established MA working group and its ToR**
- **Conducted planning development process involving key ministries, provincial governors and operators**



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National Mine Action Strategy

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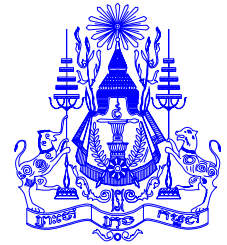


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The Followings are to Consider:

- **Current Situation**
- **Mine Action Organizations**
- **Long Term Strategy for Mine Action**
- **Five Year Mine Action Plan**

National Mine Action Strategy (Continued)



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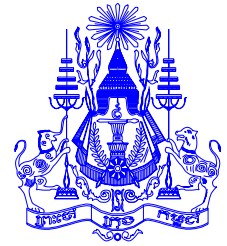
Current Situation:

- **Progress 1992 – 2002** **263,661,582 m²**
- **CMAC** **2,400 men**
- **HALO Trust** **900 men**
- **MAG** **400 men**
- **RCAF** **1,000+ men**

Estimated Year 2002

- **Current Resources** **33,000,000 US / year**
- **Clearance Rate** **38,000,000 m² / year**

National Mine Action Strategy (Continued)



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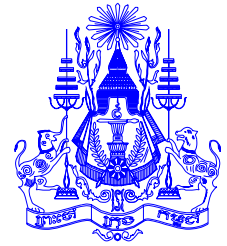
Current Situation (continued)

- **Territory 181,608 km²**
- **Population 11,460,661**
- **Households 2,201,645**
- **24 Provinces; 185 Districts; 1,629 Communes**
- **13,910 Villages**

Level One Survey Result

- **13,908 villages has been surveyed**
 - **3,000 suspected areas, with 300 cluster bombs**
 - **11,400 UXO spots**

National Mine Action Strategy (Continued)

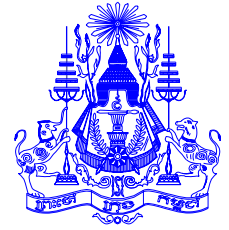


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Mine Action Organizations/Consortiums:

- **Cambodian Mine Action Center (CMAC)**
- **Royal Cambodian Armed Forces (RCAF)**
- **The HALO Trust**
- **Mines Advisory Group (MAG)**
- **Cambodian Red Cross (CRC)**
- **UNDP, SEILA, UNICEF, CCBL, HI, NPA, WVI, CARE, WE, DAC...**
- **Mine Action Advisory Board**
- **Technical Advisory Group**
- **Mine Awareness Working Group**

National Mine Action Strategy (Continued)

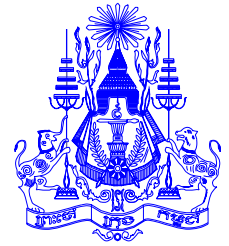


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Long Term Strategy

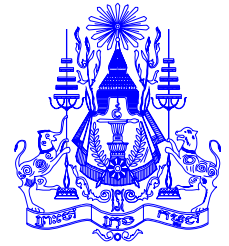
- **Assumption**
 - Decreasing Threats
 - Sustainable Efforts
 - Full Government Involvement
- **Vision (short term and long term)**
 - Toward Zero Victim - Demining at High Risk - Intensive MRE
 - Socio-Economic Impact – National Capacity Sustainable
- **Broad Strategic Priorities**
 - National Coordination
 - Humanitarian Purposes
 - Development Sustainability
 - Compliance with International Requirements

Mission Statement



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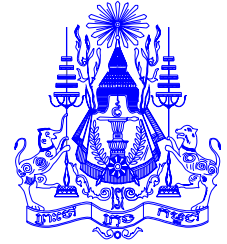
- **All partners of mine action should take all necessary measures in a coordinated manner under a coherent national policy**
- **to eliminate as soon as possible the risk of death or injury to individuals, to rapidly reduce the negative impact of landmines/UXO on poverty and on national development,**
- **to ensure the prioritization for the poor and the rehabilitation and welfare of victims**
- **compliance with all international conventions and treaties on mine action to which Cambodia is party.**



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Five Year Mine Action Plan “2003-2007”

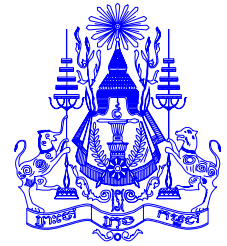
Five Year Mine Action Plan



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- Objective 1- Implementation of National Co-ordination**
- Objective 2- Improvement of Socio-Economic Action**
- Objective 3- Expanding Upon Mine Action Achievements**
- Objective 4- Development of Preventive and Curative Responses:**
 - Mine Risk Reduction Education**
 - Victim Assistance**

Five Year Mine Action Plan (Continued)

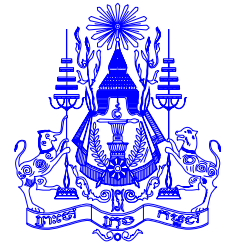


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Objective 1: National Coordination

- **Establish/strengthen national coordination mechanisms**
 - **Consultation Group and Technical Coordination Team**
 - **Mine Action Coordination Committee**
 - **Mine Awareness Working Group**
 - **Mine Action Advisory Board**
 - **Technical Advisory Board**
 - **Provincial Mine Action Committee “PMAC”**
- **“National Mine Action Database Center”**
- **Focal Point for International Conventions and Treaties**

Five Year Mine Action Plan (Continued)

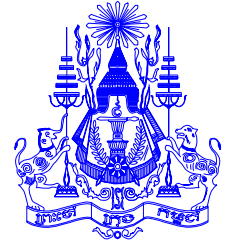


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Objective 2: Improvement of Socio-Economic Impact

- **Development of SE regulations for clearance pro-poor prioritization**
- **Selection of land to be cleared according to SE concerns**
- **Implementation of SE mechanism & Mine Action Planning Unit “MAPU”**
- **Participation of mine clearance in national development (tourism, infrastructures...)**
- **Improvement of effectiveness of mine clearance including cost benefit analysis which impact on SE**

Five Year Mine Action Plan (Continued)



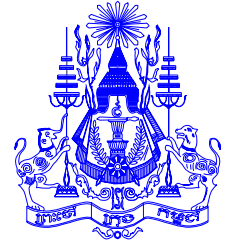
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Goal 2: Improvement of SE Impact (cont.)

Improvement of Socio-Economic Mechanism

- **Compilation of priorities at local and national levels through Technical Coordination Group**
- **Links with ministries, provinces and operators**
- **Management and approval of annual clearance plan to be submitted by the provincial authority**
- **Establishment of way to evaluate socio-economic impact**
- **Setting up of socio-economic clusters**

Five Year Mine Action Plan (Continued)

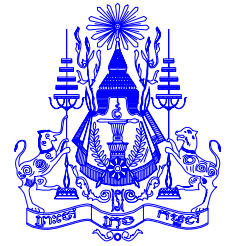


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Objective 3: Expanding Upon Mine Action Achievements

- **Reduce the number and size of the suspected mine areas**
- **Prioritize based on impact**
- **Rationalize the distribution of clearance capacities**
- **Application of regulations and standards on mine/UXO clearance**
- **Implementation of QM (QA, QC, Evaluation) procedures**
- **Application of new technologies**

Five Year Mine Action Plan (Continued)

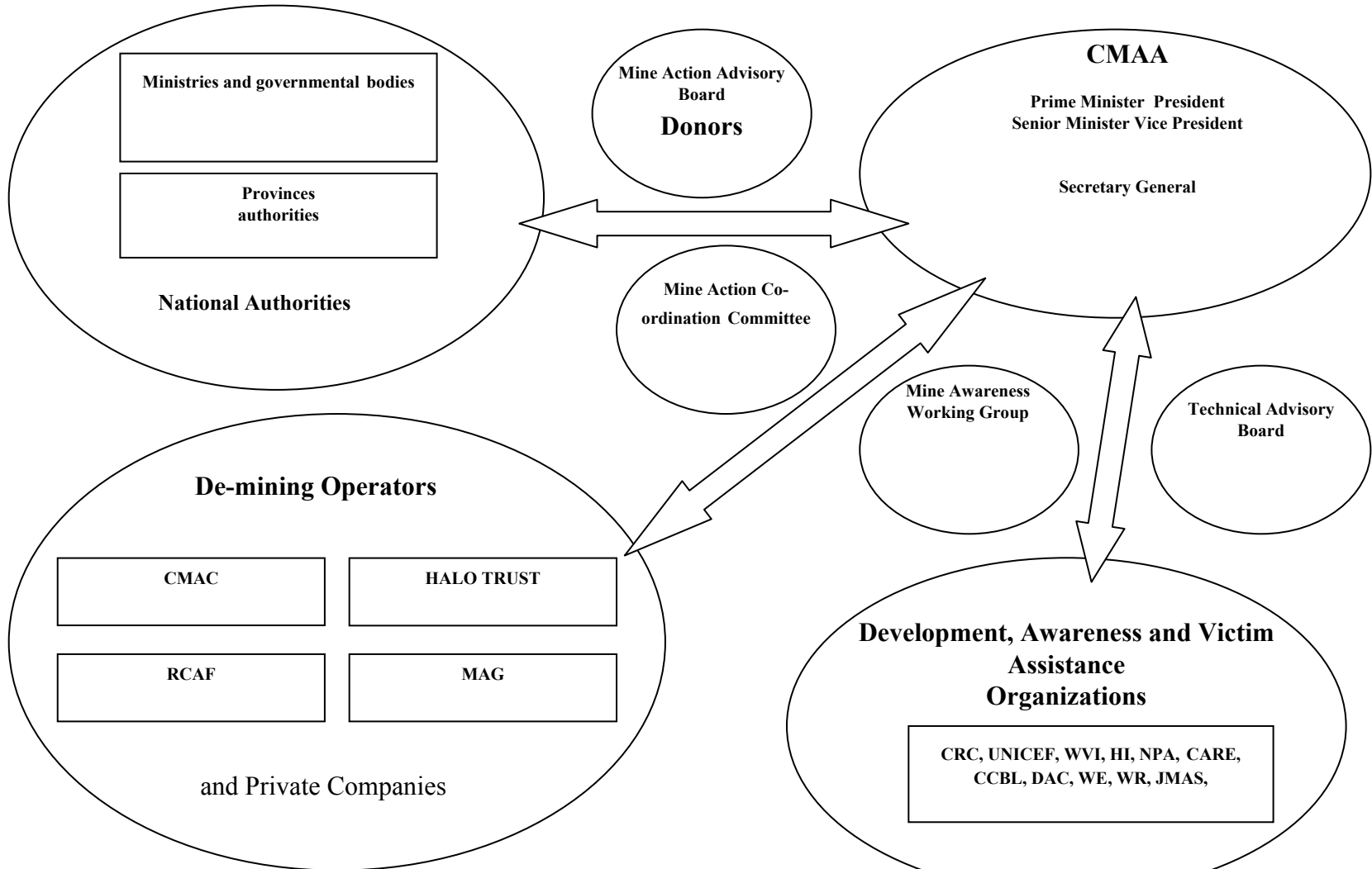


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Objective 4: Development of Preventive and Curative Responses

- **Co-ordination of mine awareness**
- **Co-ordination of victim assistance**

Co-ordination of Mine Action Sector in the Kingdom of Cambodia



Clearance Planning

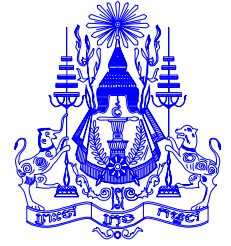
OPERATOR	PERSONNEL	CLEARANCE RATE	COST
• CMAC	2,400		
• HALO Trust	900		
• MAG	400		
• Total	3,700	1,820 ha. per year	20,000,000 USD 6,000,000 USD (in kind)
• RCAF	1,000 + men	2,000 ha. per year	7,000,000 USD
	TOTAL ESTIMATED	3,820 ha. per year	33,000,000 USD
• CMAA			800,000 USD

Estimated Areas to be Cleared:

- 3,000 suspected areas (440,000 ha.)
- 11,400 UXO spots with 300 cluster bombs

- Severe impact areas: 12,270 ha.
- High impact areas: 18,000 ha.
- Medium impact areas: 10,300 ha.
- Low impact areas: 1,900 ha.

- **TOTAL AREAS TO CLEAR: 42,470 hectares.**



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Some Activities



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CR: STRATEGIC GOALS
 YEAR 2004 - 2009

1. TO STRENGTHEN THE CAPACITY BUILDING PROCESS AT NATIONAL AND LOCAL LEVEL.
2. TO INCREASE THE NUMBER AND SUSTAINABILITY OF VOLUNTEERS.
3. TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF THE AND CREDIBILITY OF THE BLOOD SUPPLY.
4. TO PROMOTE BLOOD, COM AND SOCIAL VALUES AMONG THE BLOOD VOLUNTEERS.
5. TO PROMOTE STRONGER INTERLINK, HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL COOPERATION AND TO WORK TOGETHER WITH THE GOVERNMENT.



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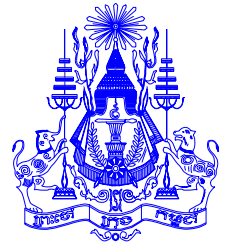






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