

Press Release (December 26, 2018)

Acquisition of Shares of Sihanoukville Autonomous Port, Cambodia

On August 31, 2018, the Act for Promotion of the Participation of the Japanese Business in Overseas Infrastructure Projects came into force. With this act, it has been decided that port operating companies that operate international strategic ports will develop and operate overseas ports and conduct related studies in order to promote Japanese companies' participation in overseas port projects.

In light of this, Kobe-Osaka International Port Corporation, which is the port operating company for Hanshin Port, has decided to participate in the operation of Sihanoukville Port (Cambodia). In line with this, the Corporation acquired a portion of the shares of Sihanoukville Autonomous Port, which operates said port, on December 26, 2018, as described below.

Total number of acquired shares 2,144,300 shares

(Percentage of the total number of shares

with voting rights: 2.5%)

Acquisition price Approximately 500 million yen

Method of acquisition Negotiated Trading Method with

Japan International Cooperation Agency

End.