

The 5th Mekong Capital Markets Cooperation Meeting held in Luang Prabang, Lao PDR



The 5th Mekong Capital Markets Cooperation (MCMC) Meeting was hosted by the Lao Securities Commission Office at Luang Prabang View Hotel in Luang Prabang Province, the World Cultural Heritage Site, on June 8th, 2015 under the chairmanship of Mme. Saysamone Chanthachack, Acting Secretary-General of The Lao Securities Commission Office. Participated in this meeting were securities regulators of 4 Mekong Sub-region countries including the Lao Securities Commission Office, State Securities Commission of Vietnam, Securities and Exchange Commission of Cambodia and Securities and Exchange Commission of Thailand; and the guest speakers from China Securities Regulatory Commission and Shanghai Stock Exchange.

The 1st MCMC Meeting was held in February 2013 in Bangkok, Thailand. Then the 5 Mekong Sub-region countries including Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Thailand, and Vietnam (CLMTV) agreed to take turn to host the MCMC meeting at least once a year. The objective of the meeting is to provide the opportunity to Mekong Sub-Region capital market regulators to discuss and to share idea and experiences on capital market development.

The purpose of the 5th MCMC meeting is to adopt the 4th MCMC meeting minutes which was held in Siem Raep, Cambodia; to shared views and experiences on “the capital market development in China & Promoting SMEs to go public” and the “Mechanism in promoting IPOs and China’s new IPOs rule” by the delegates from China Securities Regulatory Commission; to learn about the “Shanghai – Hong Kong Stock Connect” presented by expert from Shanghai Stock Exchange. Additionally, this meeting provided

opportunity for the 4 securities regulators to share and update the progress of capital market development and to discuss future cooperation.

