

MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT

Addressed to: the director of SAWAC Consultants for development

Aim: Related to the request for permission to conduct full research on the social and environmental impacts (ESIA)

(...) the Ministry of Environment has accepted the request to conduct research on the social and environmental impacts (ESIA) of the Chay Areng hydro dam, located at Thmo Bang district, belonging to the company SINOHYDRO (HONG KONG) HOLDING LIMITED. This authorization is valid starting from the date this document is signed onwards until the 30th of September 2014.

The company **must**;

- Keep contact with the ministry, relevant institutions and local authorities;
- Allow the provincial department of Environment to examine the activities of the company;
- Finish off its research on time to avoid interfering with the (start of the) investment;

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