



AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY
PHNOM PENH

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STATEMENT

Mr Hong Lim MP does not speak on behalf of the Australian Government or the Australian Embassy. He is not a member of the federal Government or federal Parliament.

Australia has a robust tradition of different views being aired in public discussion. This is an important element of our democratic system.

We recognise the concerns this particular matter has raised.

Australia values its strong and enduring relationship with Cambodia and we look forward to this continuing.