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## FORWARD

The Committee for Free and Fair Elections in Cambodia (COMFREL) serves to promote democracy and citizen participation in the spirit of building capacity for nationwide networking and cooperation with member organizations and partners. Democracy is not just about elections, but free and fair elections as a necessary condition of democracy. COMFREL continues to devote great efforts to promote democratic and legitimate elections.

Regarding the new modernized voter registration 2016, COMFREL and other election stakeholders, especially NIFEC, decided to conduct a research survey to uncover and understand the irregularities concerning voter registration and voter lists and voter registration audit on 2016-Voter List solve the questions of how many eligible citizens have not been registered and what were the challenges to them and the issues related to the degree of the accuracy and quality of the new 2016-voter list.

In this research study, COMFREL is indebted to master trainers and observers who were actively engaged in implementing the survey commenced from December 2016 to February 2017 and made the survey possible and successfully achieved.

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This report disclose the results of Voter Registration Process, New 2016-Voter List, Elections and Voter Registration Audit on 2016-Voter List for the upcoming Commune/Sangkat elections, 2017.

# VOTER LIST AUDIT IN CAMBODIA

FINAL REPORT – MARCH 2017

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report provides key findings of the Voter List Audit (VLA) conducted by the Committee for Free and Fair Elections (COMFREL) to examine the 2016 voters list. COMFREL deployed 269 observers to conduct a two-way test: People-to-list (P2L) in December 2016 and List-to-people (L2P) in January-February 2017.

This audit found that there are significant improvements on the quality of the 2016 voter list in its completeness, currency, and accuracy compared with the previous voter list. The audit revealed the following: **89.3 percent** of all eligible citizens who reside in Cambodia are currently on the voters list; **98 percent** of names on the list can be verified. The accuracy rate which reflects consistency between the list and the information provided by voters in their identification documents has improved since 2013; **96.8 percent** of records show matching data for name, **96 percent** of records show matching data for date of birth and 99.7 percent of records show matching data for gender.

This report also includes findings on the Cambodian citizens' experiences in voter registration and knowledge of the electoral processes. **92 percent** claimed that they had participated in the voter registration process however not all these respondents, managed to successfully registered.

Finally, this report includes recommendations to further improve the voter registration process and to enhance people's knowledge and experience in the electoral process.

## VLA METHODOLOGY

The Voter List Audit (VLA) is a systematic assessment used by independent observers around the world to evaluate the quality of a voter list by using a statistical methodology.

Three main criteria were used to evaluate the voter list: **comprehensiveness, accuracy, and validity/currency.**

A VLA doesn't rely on respondents' opinions or perceptions to assess the quality of the list. Rather, it collects results from two types of field tests:

1. The **people-to-list test** seeks to gauge the proportion of eligible citizens were listed on the list (*comprehensiveness*);
2. The **list-to-people test** seeks to verify that names on the voter list belongs to an actual person who is eligible to vote (*validity*).

These two-field tests are used to measure the error rate of voters' personal information, such as name, date of birth, and gender in the voter list (*accuracy*).

## OVERVIEW OF THE AUDIT METHODOLOGY

The Committee for Free and Fair Elections in Cambodia (COMFREL) conducted an independent and scientific assessment to evaluate the quality of the 2016 voter list, the list that will be used for the June 2017 commune/sangkat elections in Cambodia. In addition to conducting a Voter List Audit (VLA), which focuses on assessing the overall quality of the list, COMFREL also elicited citizens' evaluations of their experiences with the voter registration process. COMFREL also surveyed citizens to understand their opinions and attitudes on electoral issues ahead of the 2017 commune elections. COMFREL hopes these findings can be used to improve the quality of the voter list in the future.

**People-to-list test:** The sample for the people-to-list test is statistically representative of the Cambodian voting-age population (age 18+) across 25 provinces/ municipality. A total of 2,676 voting-age adults were interviewed for the people-to-list test within the selected villages.

**List-to-people test:** A total of 2,690 voters were randomly selected from the preliminary voter list, and their information was verified through interviews with the voters themselves.

**List-to-List test:** the test was conducted to verify the information of registered voters in the preliminary voter list of the 269 polling stations where COMFREL used them as the sample based for the *list-to-people test*. The list-to-list test (L2L) was used to verify the information of registered voters in preliminary voter list compare to information of registered voters in final voter list.

**The sample based:** The margin of sample is the randomly selection approach made of 538 polling stations (equivalent to 514 villages). Each sample based conducted by using 269 polling stations of the 22,337 polling stations, the total polling stations estimated by the NEC. The numbers of the sample based polling stations are covered 252 communes/sangkats in all 25 provinces/capital.

The margin of for each sample of the tests was made equal numbers of respondents, 2690 respondents and the margin of error for the samples is  $\pm 2$  percent with a 95% of confidence level. The fieldwork of the people-to-list test was conducted from December 13 – 24, 2016 by deploying 252 observers to conduct the survey. The field work for the list-to-people was conducted from January 20 -February 14, 2017. The test was made by deploying 252 observers to conduct the survey. Data for the analysis was weighted by province to adjust for slight discrepancies in the total number of responses received per province, and to ensure that the sample is representative of the national population and demographics (male/ female and urban/ rural).

### The Collection and Submitting the Surveyed Reports

COMFREL has designed a new mobile data collection application (Mobile App) to enable observers of any area by using their smart phone devices and could identify the accuracy of the targeted locations. The deployed observers went through out the target areas (the sample based polling stations) to gather information of eligible voters. In term of gathering and submitting information of respondents, COMFREL employed two methods at the times of the submitting surveyed reports and gathering information from respondents; (1) the using of questionnaires for interviewing the respondents in each sample based location (2) the using of smart phone devices to take pictures of documents of respondents and submit them via Mobile App after they finished the interview. The Mobile App is available for both Offline or Online.

In term of submitting the survey reports, observers used their smart mobile devices with the installation of the App which has been already designed with the form of questionnaires format to submit their reports. The information submitted (data) were including the attachment of pictures of identified documents (all relevant documents) and a front-face picture of the respondent and also location (linked with Google Map) where the interviewed has been conducted by the observers. The App could automatically identify where the observers stationed.

## The Verification of Information

All information received from the observers was carefully verified by COMFREL Central office's staff by using Web Database Interface. In case the verification detected wrong or unclear information or lacking of some related information, the Central office's staff immediately contacted the observers and respondents for clarification and additional information. The task was to ensure the information submitted is real and clear and they (observers) were required to correct or find more information, if any mistake detected.

The verification of the received information by Central office's staff was made in accordance with the information contained in attached pictures which were sent via Mobile App by the observers. Any data or information which was detected mistakenly in the written form of the Mobile App and appeared in Web Database Interface, Central office's staff edited in accordance with the information of relevant documents contains in the attached pictures.

There are limitations to the VLA data. COMFREL was unable to interview any eligible citizens displaced from their commune, including both international migrants and domestic migrants. Additionally, because it was not able to receive the voter list in an analyzable format, COMFREL is unable to conduct a comprehensive computer test and could only check their registration status in locations where observers could identify voters, rather than the entire voter list. Further, as with any sample-based research, the VLA will have sampling and non-sampling errors. VLA also does not contain information about the voter registration process<sup>1</sup> or other aspects of the elections, and therefore can only draw conclusions on the quality of the voter list.

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<sup>1</sup> You can check the findings about the voter registration process in COMFREL's voter registration monitoring report (only available in Khmer).

## QUALITY OF THE VOTER LIST

### Comprehensiveness

The Voter List Audit has found that the majority of eligible citizens who reside in Cambodia have been registered to vote for the upcoming 2017 commune elections. The VLA found that 89.3 percent of all eligible voters who reside in Cambodia are currently on the voters list. There were no significant differences in registration rate between male and female voters or between voters in urban and rural locations. The 2017 registration rate of 89.3 percent indicates an improvement from the 2013 COMFREL VLA, which was at 86.5 percent<sup>2</sup>.



*Of eligible citizens who reside in Cambodia have been registered on the 2016 voter list.*

On February 12, 2017, the National Election Commission (NEC) announced that 7,865,033 voters have been listed on the final voter list or 81.38 percent of the original estimated eligible to register. The discrepancy with the NEC's statistic might be influenced by two factors: 1) the fact that COMFREL was only able to interview respondents who during the fieldwork reside in Cambodia, so it excludes migrant workers, and 2) the accuracy in the method used to estimate the number of citizens eligible to vote.

### Accuracy of the voters' particulars on the voter list

To measure the accuracy of the list, COMFREL matched the ID numbers, name, date of birth, sex, address, and polling station information as recorded in the respondents' identity documents used for registration and voter registration receipt, with the information on the voter list. The accuracy test included all registered respondents from both list-to-people and people-to-list.

It is notable that voter registration data was captured with a high degree of accuracy with more than 95 percent in each case: gender information was accurately recorded in 99.7 percent of cases, 96.8 percent of voters' names were accurately recorded, 96 percent of records for date of birth were accurate, 95 percent of ID numbers, and 97 percent of the selected voters' addresses were accurate. The polling station locations were accurately recorded in almost 94.6 percent of cases. The accuracy of these data points is important to ensure that there is no confusion on Election Day about the polling station in which a person can vote.

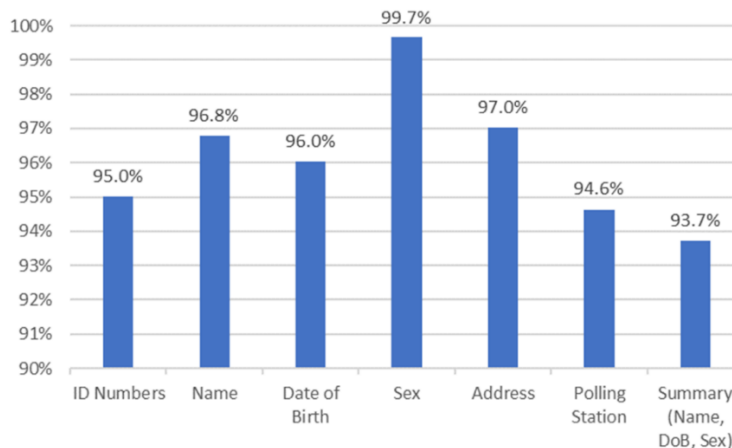


Figure 1: Level of accuracy

<sup>2</sup> COMFREL, Final Report of Survey on the Voter List, Voter Registration, and Audit of the Voter List Plus Verification of the Deletion Forms for the 2013 National Elections (SVRA-Plus), March 2013,

[http://www.comfrel.org/eng/components/com\\_mypublications/files/4846/8Voter\\_Survey\\_2012\\_SVRA\\_Plus\\_Eng\\_01\\_04\\_2013\\_Final.pdf](http://www.comfrel.org/eng/components/com_mypublications/files/4846/8Voter_Survey_2012_SVRA_Plus_Eng_01_04_2013_Final.pdf)



Compared with the 2013 VLA implemented by the Neutral and Impartial Committee for Free and Fair Elections (NICFEC) and the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs (NDI)<sup>3</sup>, the 2016 voter list demonstrates a significant higher degree of accuracy. The improvement in accuracy across all indication points is likely the result of the fresh biometric registration efforts by NEC during the 2016 voter registration process.

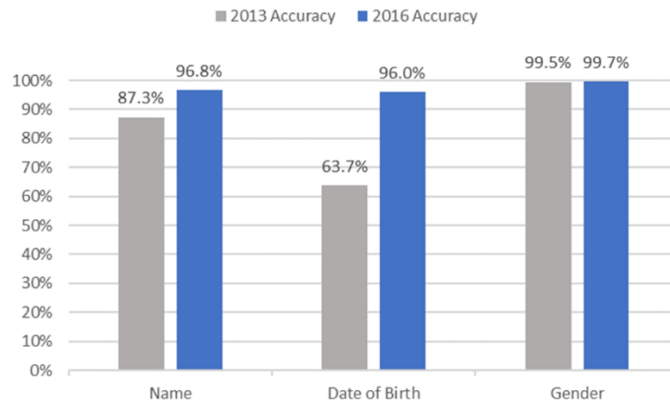


Figure 2: Comparison of 2013 VLA and 2016 VLA on Accuracy

### Validity/ currency of the voter list

Nearly all registered voters on the voter list (98 percent) could be verified by COMFREL as legitimate voters through the list-to-people test. The reasons why the rest of voters were not verified are: COMFREL observers were unable to locate the respondents during the fieldwork; their names were unknown by the village chief and members of the community; or the respondents resides primarily in different location



In the 2013 NICFEC-NDI's VLA, only 81 percent of records were verified to be valid. This means that, there has been significant improvement (17 percent) since 2013 in the validity of the voter list.

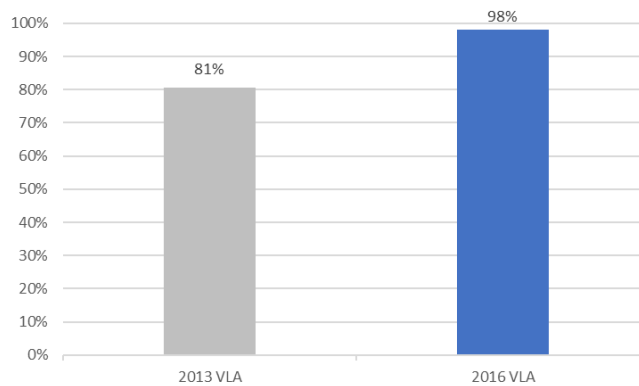


Figure 3: Comparison of 2013 VLA and 2016 VLA on Currency/Validity of the Voter List

<sup>3</sup> NICFEC/ NDI, Report on the Voter Registry Audit (VRA) in Cambodia, <https://www.ndi.org/sites/default/files/Cambodia-Voter-Registry-Audit-2013.pdf>

## OPINIONS ON PARTICIPATION IN THE REGISTRATION PROCESS

### Participation in the 2016 Voter Registration Process

- All people-to-list respondents were asked if they have registered themselves to vote in the 2016 registration. Nine out of 10 respondents (92.1 percent) claimed that they had participated in the voter registration process. But not all these respondents, managed to successfully registered (see page 6).
- Of the respondents who had successfully registered (as confirmed by both tests), nearly all reported to have had a positive experience in the 2016 voter registration process, during which biometrics were used to create a more accountable voter list. Only 2 percent of respondents indicated that they experienced challenges or problems during the registration process.
- Nine in ten (93 percent) registered voters used a Khmer national ID card to register. This shows an increase compared with the 2013 VLA when only 57.3 percent of respondents used a national ID to register to vote.

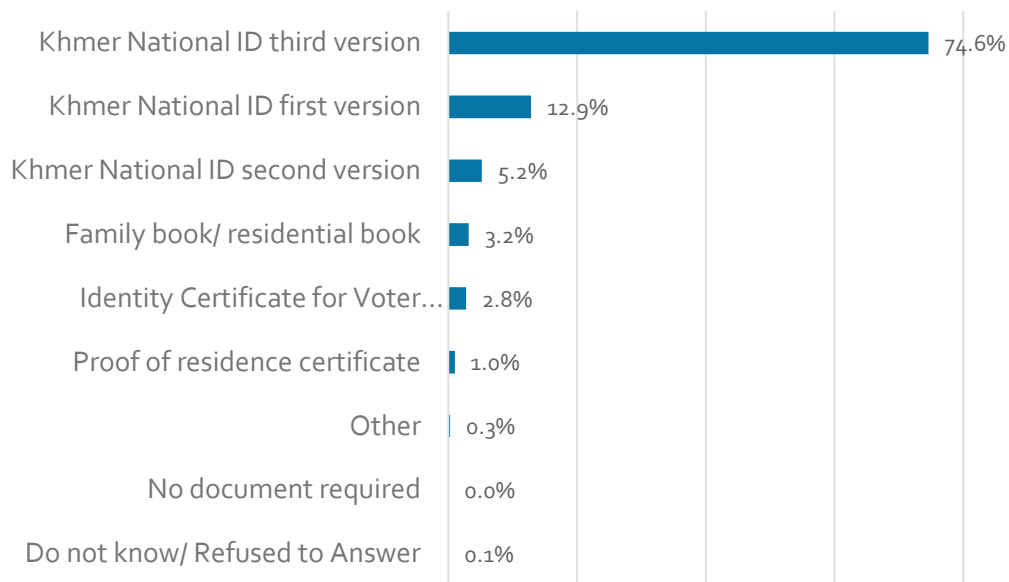


Figure 4: Identity document(s) used for registration by all registered respondents

- Among the 7.3 percent who did not use a Khmer ID card for registration, 42.2 percent claimed that they have applied for a Khmer ID had yet to receive them and 40.3 percent lost their Khmer ID card.

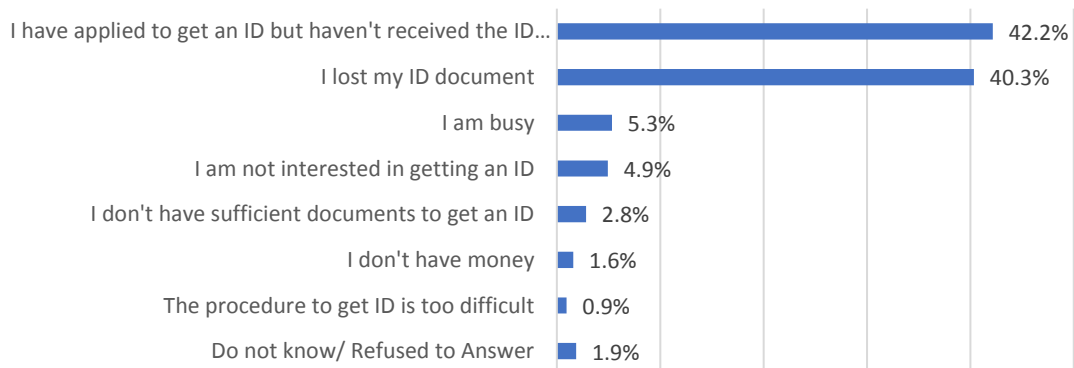


Figure 5: Reasons for not using the Khmer ID card during the voter registration

### Intention to vote

An overwhelming number of respondents (including those whose names were not found on the list) claimed that they intended to vote in the upcoming elections. The intention to vote varied only slightly between urban and rural respondents.

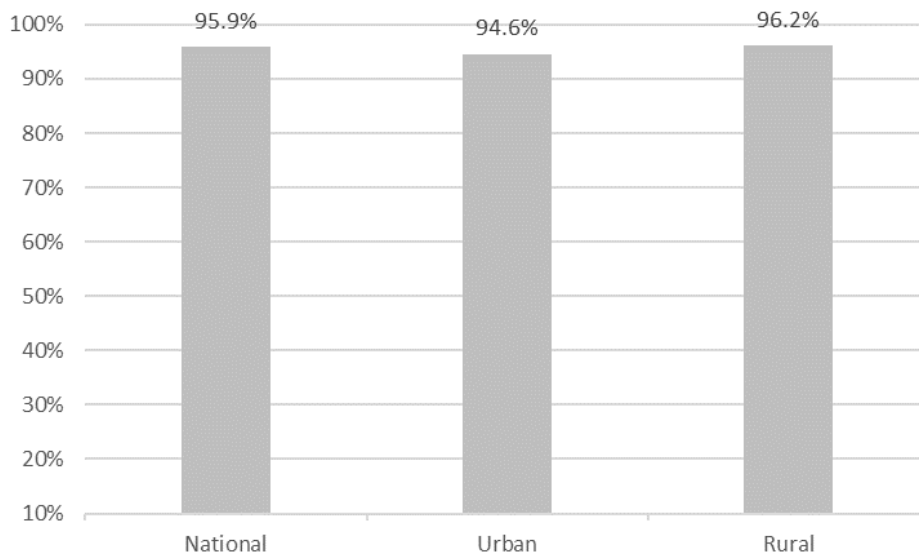


Figure 6: Intention to vote (all respondents from both tests)

Cambodian voters are required to bring specific documents to the polling station in order to vote. 85.5 percent respondents know the right document that they need to bring to the polling station to be able to vote. However, few have little or no knowledge about the alternative documents to use if their national ID card is lost.

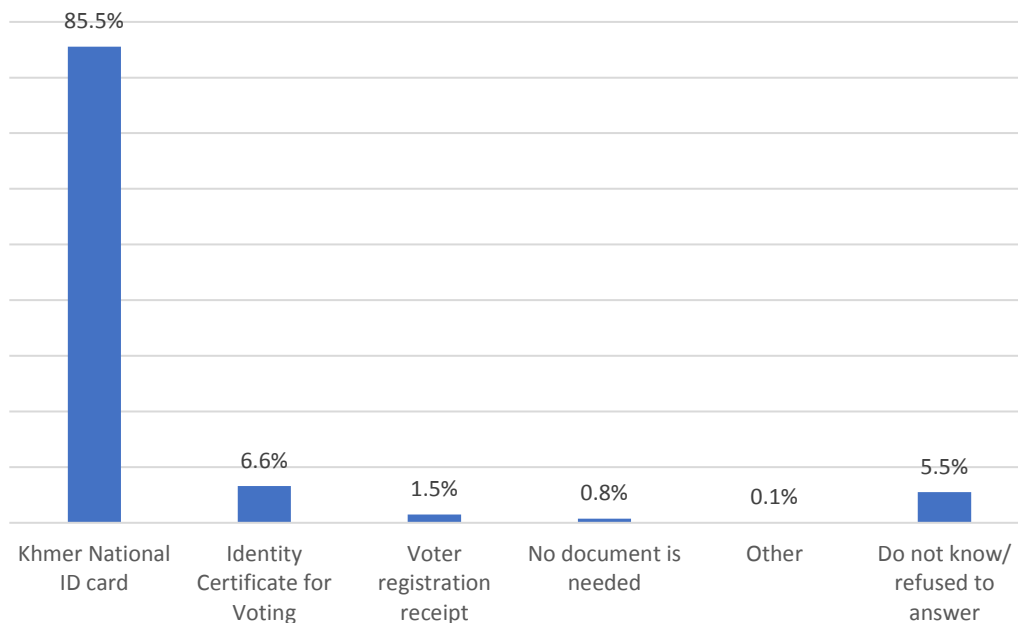


Figure 7: Knowledge about document needed for voting

### Understanding the eligible citizens who are not on the list

According to article 12 of the Commune/ Sangkat Councils Elections Law, voters must meet the following requirements to be registered: have Cambodian nationality, be at least 18 years of age on election day, reside in the commune/ sangkat in which he/ she intends to vote, not serving prison term, and demonstrate no mental illness. Only those that meet these criteria and actively go to the registration centers, can exercise their right to vote for the 2017 commune elections. Though the NEC has allocated 90 days for all eligible citizens to register (from September 1 to November 30, 2016), voter procrastination nonetheless led many registration stations to exceed their capacity in the final days of registration.

- Unfortunately, approximately two of three unregistered respondents (67.4 percent) admitted that they had never attempted to register during the 90-day period. Only 32.6 percent of those unregistered respondents claimed to have attempted to register but failed.

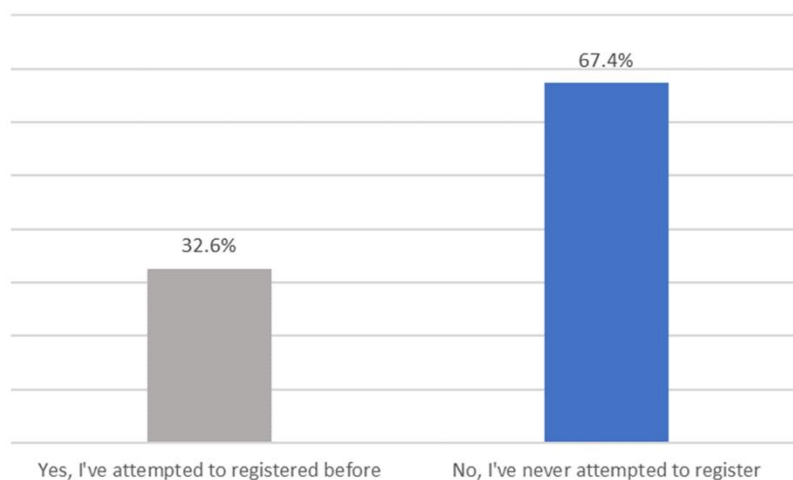


Figure 8: Attempt to register among unregistered respondents

- 29.1 percent of unregistered respondents said that they were too busy to go to the registration center; while another 23.3 percent said they were unable to go to the registration center because they were sick/ disabled/ too old; and 11.9 percent of those who are unregistered respondents said their registration attempt failed because they did not have the required proper documents for registration.

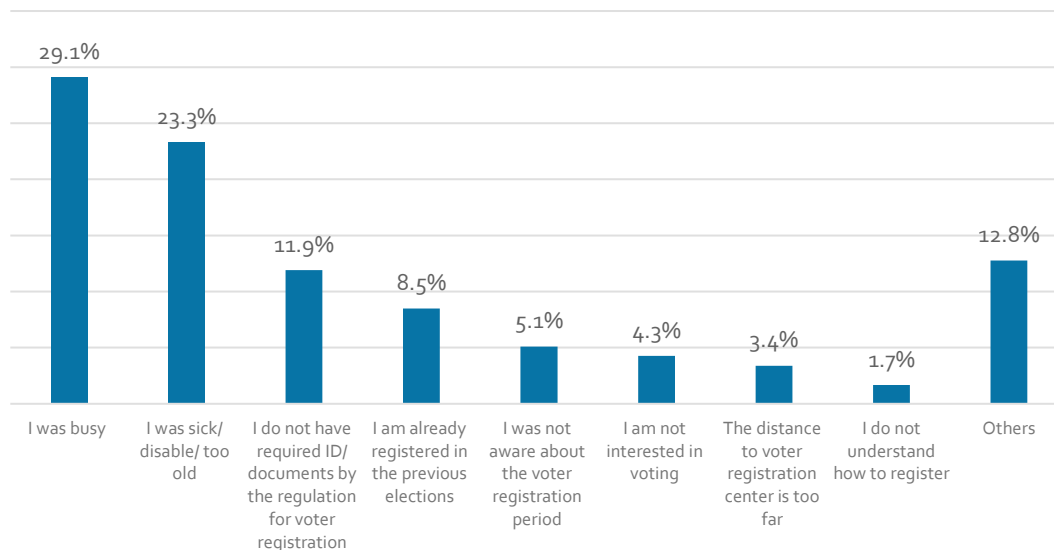


Figure 9: Reasons for not registering

- 70.4 percent of those whose names were not on the list said that they were registered as voters in the previous elections.

## KNOWLEDGE OF ELECTORAL ISSUES AND INFORMATION SOURCES

### Source of information

The vast majority of Cambodians knew about the voter registration process. Village chiefs were cited as the most common sources to learn about voter registration by all respondents (including unregistered citizens). Television and radio were also important sources of registration information for a significant percentage of respondents.

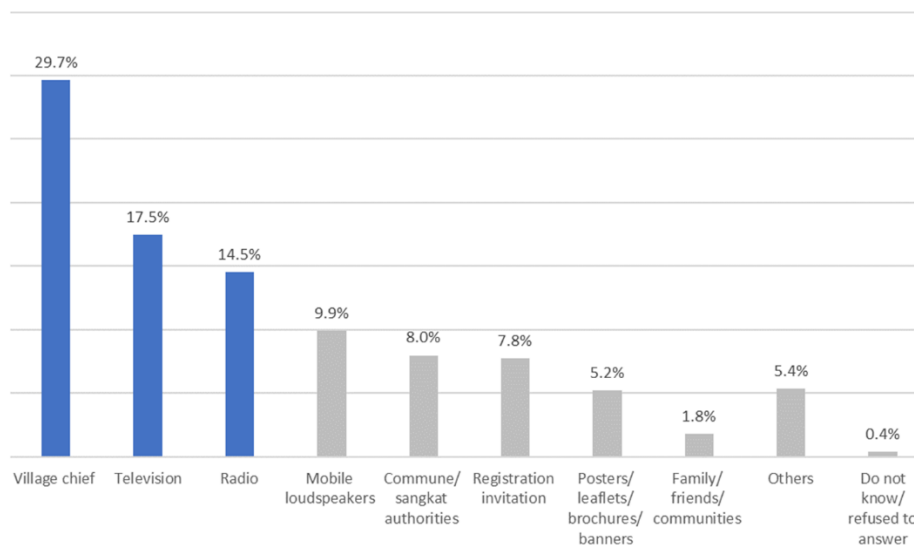


Figure 10: Source of information on voter registration

The frequency of use of each of these sources varied between rural and urban respondents and gender. Village chiefs were cited as the main source of information in all sub-groups, but male respondents cited village chief at a much higher rate than female respondents (36 percent vs 22 percent). These trends probably likely reflect patterns of access to television and radio in different sub-groups.

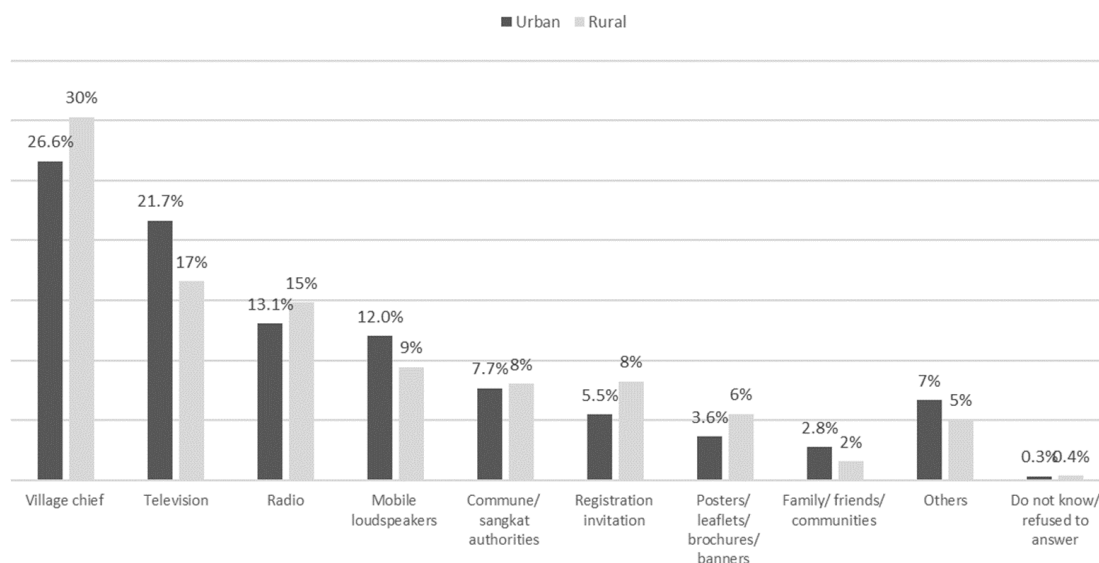


Figure 11: Source of information on voter registration by urban and rural respondents

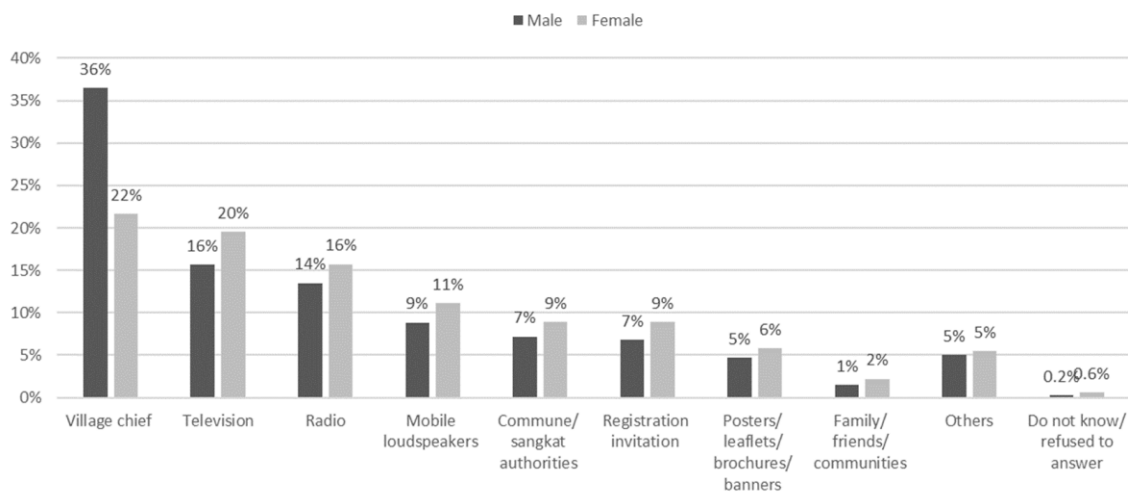


Figure 12: Source of information on voter registration information by gender

### Knowledge about the commune elections date

Less than six months remaining before the commune elections take place, a majority of citizens were unaware of the election date. Only 16.4 percent of respondents were able to correctly answer the election date for the commune council' elections. More than half (55.8 percent) were unaware on the date of the commune election, demonstrated by incorrectly answering questions about the date. 23.2 percent answered partial correct information. This finding illustrates the importance to conduct basic voter awareness campaigns in advance of the commune elections.

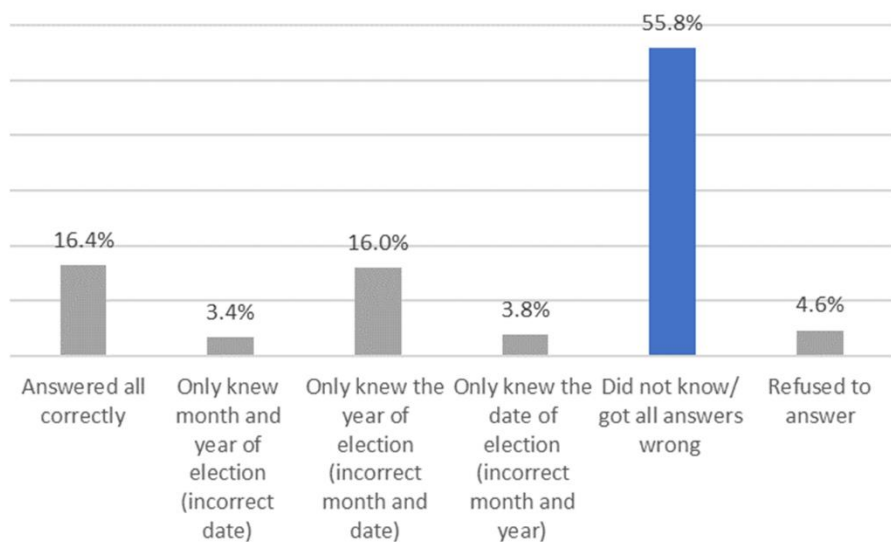


Figure 13: Knowledge about the commune elections date

## APPENDIX I QUESTIONNAIRE

### (List to People Test-P2L)

Interviewer Name		Province/Municipality	
Location ID		District	
Respondent Number (1 - 10)		Commune/ Sangkat	
Interviewer's signature/		Village	

**Step 1: Locate the respondent.** Before the interview, please write down the information given on the respondent in the question number 13 -18 under the voter list column. Please make efforts to locate the selected respondent, at least three times following the protocol outline in the manual.

- 1 **Have you been able to verify the existence/ meet the selected person from the voter list?**  
(Single answer)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes → Go to Step 2
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

- 2 **If no, why couldn't you meet the respondent?**  
(Single answer)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. There is no such address/ village as mentioned in the voter list (Go to 5.3)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Was able to locate the residence, but no one lives in that house (empty house) (Go to 5.3)
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Was able to locate the residence, but there is no respondent with that name living at that address (Go to 5.3)
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Was able to locate the residence, the respondent lives there, but he/she lives most of the time in another location.
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Was able to locate the residence, the respondent lived there for a while, but he/she moved out forever
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Was able to locate the residence, the respondent lived there before, but he/she doesn't have the right to vote anymore
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Was able to locate the residence, but no one in the village knows any person by that name living in the village or having lived there before
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Other reason, specify _____

- 3.1 **Have you confirmed the above information to the village chief?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, I am unable to meet and confirmed with the village chief

3.2 **Village chief Confirmation**

Full name	
Mobile	
Signature	

4 *[Interviewer, if you couldn't find the respondent in that address because he/ she had moved (option 4 or 5), please ask the new contact information on how to reach the respondent.]*

**Forwarding new address of the respondent**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, forwarding address are given. <i>Specify .....</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, forwarding address are not given

5.1 **In addition to village chief, who has given you the information above? (Single answer)**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Relative/ family member
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Present house owner
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Neighbor of the residence
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Friend/ colleague
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. <i>Other, specify ____</i>

5.2 **Please provide your informant's contact information**

Full Name	
Phone	
Signature	

**(for option 1 to 3 of Question 2)**

5.3 Interviewer: if you couldn't find the respondent in the village (Q2 = 1/ 2/ 3) AND the village chief confirmed that the respondent is not from the village (Q3.1 = 1), you should go to the commune office to check the receipt of the ICVR, certificate of residence, and the voter registration receipt.

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, the respondent found in the commune office list (go to question 12 to 18)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, I couldn't find the respondent's information



5.4 Commune chief Confirmation

Full Name	
Phone	
Signature	

**Step 2: Introduce yourself and asking permission for an interview.** *When you find a household with someone home, please introduce yourself using the following script. You must learn this introduction so that you can say it exactly as it is written below.*

**Good day. How are you? My name is \_\_\_\_\_.** I am from the Committee for Free and Fair Elections (COMFREL), a non-partisan civil society organization working on voter registration and elections in Cambodia. I do not represent the government or any political party. We are doing a study about the quality of voter list and how citizens think about the election and democracy in general. The results of this study will also help the National Electoral Commission (NEC) to improve the quality of the register.

**We have selected a random sample of people currently listed in [interviewer pick one: the voter list or the deletion list] and are here to verify if whether the information is accurately recorded in the voters' list.**

*Is \_\_\_\_\_ [insert name of the respondent] presently at home?*

<input type="checkbox"/> If yes:	<b>May I please interview this person now?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Yes
		<input type="checkbox"/> 2. No
<input type="checkbox"/> If no:	<b>Will this person return here at any time today [or tomorrow or the day after tomorrow]?</b>	

6 Have you been able to interview this respondent

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, I found and interviewed the respondent
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes, I found but I can't interview the respondent (deceased respondent). Write down the death date (DD-MM-YYYY) 2. ___/___/_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Yes, I found but he/ she refused to be interviewed.
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Yes, I found. Though he/ she is sick in bed but he or she was helped to answer me.
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Yes, I verified the respondent, but he/ she works in another village.

You can continue with the interview, if the person must give his or her informed consent by answering positively.

A1	Visits. <b>How many visits were made to the household until the actual interview took place?</b>	.....		
A2	<b>Date of interview.</b> [Interviewer: Enter day, month, and year. Here is an example how to enter in. If the interview is on 12 November 2016, then you enter 12 in day, 11 in month, and 2016 in year]	Day	Month	Year
		.....	.....	.....
A3	<b>Time when the interview started</b> [Interviewer: Enter hour and minutes, use 24 hr. clock and be exact.]	Hour		Minute
		.....		.....

**START THE INTERVIEW**

**QUESTIONNAIRE**

**Voter Registration in General**

7. **Have you ever been registered as voter in the previous elections? (before 2015)**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

8. **What identity document did you use when you registered from 1<sup>st</sup> Sept to 30<sup>th</sup> Nov 2016? (Multi answer)**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Khmer National ID (first version)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Khmer National ID (second version)
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Khmer National ID (third version)
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Identity Certificate for Voter Registration
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Family book/ residential book
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Proof of residence certificate
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. No document required
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Others, <i>specify</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Do not remember
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

8.1

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. I lost my ID document
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. I don't have sufficient documents (such as birth certificate) to get an ID

(Ask the following question if the respondent answered that they used other document to register - other than the Khmer ID card (1-3 options))

Why you don't have Khmer ID Card? (Multi answer)

<input type="checkbox"/>	3. The procedure to get ID is too difficult for me
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. I have applied to get an ID but haven't get the ID yet
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. I am not interested in getting an ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. I am busy with other things and have not time to apply it.
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. I don't have the money to apply it
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know (do not read)
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer

9.1 May I see the document that you used to register?

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes (Go to Q9.2)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

9.2 If no, could you tell me the reason?  
(Multi answer)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. I don't want to show my ID to the stranger
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. I lost my ID document
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. I don't have it with me now (with other family member)
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Others, specify _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. refused to answer

10. May I see your voter registration receipt?

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, write down the number.....
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, I have never received it
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. No, I lost it
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. I don't want to show the receipt
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer

11. Do you keep the ID with you?

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, explain why _____

**Respondent's Data (Ask to all respondents)/**

[Interviewer, copy all of the information from the document and fill in the Q12 - Q18 below OR if the respondent does not have the document used to register, use their other official identification document and ask Q12 - Q18 below.

12 Interviewer, please mark which document that you used to fill in the respondent's information below?

[Interviewer: for those who are registered, please mark the document(s) that the respondent used for registration.] []

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Khmer ID Card
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. ICVR
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Birth certificate
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Family book



**If so, What are those difficulties that you faced during the registration process?**

*Interviewer: Do not read option. Multiple response. Try to match response to one of these criteria. (Multi answers)*

- |                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Don't understand the process/ too complicated                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. The process took too much time                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. The registration period was too short                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. The distance to the registration station was too far         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. The registration center and process is not accessible for me |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 8. I was too busy   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 9. The office was not open on time                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 10. I felt insecure/ threaten                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 11. Others, <i>specify</i> _____                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )                    |

**19.3 Can you please elaborate what was happened?**

*Write down the verbatim answer of respondent's answers.*

**20 How did you see or hear the information on voter registration?**

- |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. I have never received any information on voter registration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Registration invitation                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Radio   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Television  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. Newspapers  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Posters/ leaflets/ brochures/ banners                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. Mobile loudspeakers   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 8. NEC   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 9. Local election officials                                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 10. Commune/ sangkat authorities                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 11. Village chief  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 12. Family/ friends/ communities                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 13. Political party representatives                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 14. Facebook   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 15. Mobile phone and/ or internet                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 16. Others, <i>specify</i> _____                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )                   |

**Awareness about the Commune/ Sangkat Elections**

**21 Can you tell me the year, month, and day in which the Commune/ Sangkat elections will be held?**

Year : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Month : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_

- |                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. If the answer to all correct                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. If only know the month and year of election (incorrect date) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. If only know the year of election (incorrect month and date) |

<input type="checkbox"/>	4. If only know the date of election (incorrect month and year)
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Did not know/ got all answer wrong
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

22 **Do you know what document is needed to be brought for voting?** *Interviewer: Do not read option.*

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. No document is needed
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Khmer national ID card
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Identity certificate for voting
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Voter registration receipt
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Other, specify _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

23.1 **Do you intend to vote in the upcoming Commune/ Sangkat elections?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes ( <i>skip Q23.2</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, because I'm not registered
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. No
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. I haven't decided ( <i>skip Q23.2</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer → ( <i>skip Q23.2</i> )

23.2 *[Only for those who said no]*

**What is the main reason you do not want to vote?**

*Interviewer: Do not read option. Multiple response. Try to match response to one of these criteria.*

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. I don't care/ lack of interest
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. I don't think my vote will matter
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. I am not registered as voter
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. I was unsure of how or where to vote
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. I didn't have Khmer ID or other document for voting
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. My polling station is far from where I live
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. I will be busy
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Physical or disability reason
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. I don't like any of the parties/ candidates
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. Inconvenient time to cast the ballot ពេលវេលា
<input type="checkbox"/>	11. I worry about personal security
<input type="checkbox"/>	12. Others, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

24 Do you know what you need to do if you don't have/ lost your Khmer ID to cast your vote on the election day?

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

## Socio Demographic

Before we end this interview, I want to ask a few questions about your own background. This will help us to make sure that the data we have is representative.

25 **What is the highest level of education you have completed?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Never go to school
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Informal education only
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Some primary schooling
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Primary school or other education of the same level
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Some junior high school
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Junior High school or other education of the same level
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Some Senior High School
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Senior High School or other education of the same level
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Some university
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. University completed/ Bachelor degree
<input type="checkbox"/>	11. Post graduate
<input type="checkbox"/>	12. Others, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

26 **What is your current profession?**  
[Interviewer: code from answer. Do not read option]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Unemployed
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Farmer
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Laborer, domestic, or unskilled worker
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Teacher/ professor
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Self-employed
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Professional (ex. Lawyer, doctor)
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Trader/ artisan
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Employed in private sector/ NGOs
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Employed in public sector/ civil servant/
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. Military/ police/
<input type="checkbox"/>	11. Student/
<input type="checkbox"/>	12. Housewife/
<input type="checkbox"/>	13. Other, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

27 **What is your racial or ethnic identification?**  
[Interviewer: code from answer. Do not read option]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Khmer
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Chinese
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Cham
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Vietnamese
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Lao
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Thai
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Indigenous minority groups
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Other, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

28	<b>May we have your contact number?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, my number
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No
29	<b>If NEC request your personal information, such as name, address and date of birth, will you give COMFREL permission to forward your information to NEC? If no, all of your information will be kept confidential by COMFREL. We will not share to anybody your opinion.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, COMFREL can give just my personal information to verify/ update my registration status
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, please do not share any of my information to other party
30	<b>May I take a picture with you as a proof that I've conducted this interview?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No
31	<b>May I take a picture of your document(s)? [Interviewer: please take all relevant documents, including the voter registration receipt if they have it]</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

**That completes the interview. Thank you for taking the time to participate in this survey.**

**END THE INTERVIEW**

**INTERVIEWER'S EVALUATION**

*(SHOULD BE ANSWERED BY THE INTERVIEWER AFTER THE INTERVIEW, DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT)*

B1	<b>Time when the interview ended</b> <i>Interviewer: enter hour and minutes, use 24 hours clock and be exact.</i>	Hour	Minutes
B2	<b>Does the respondent have any physical disability?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, <i>specify</i> _____
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No
B3	<b>Were there any other people immediately present who might be listening during the interview?</b> <i>[multiple answer]</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. No one
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Spouse only/
		<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Children only/
		<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Local authorities
		<input type="checkbox"/>	5. A few others
		<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Small crowd
B4	<b>Do you think anyone influenced the respondent's answers during the interview?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, <i>specify</i>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No



B5 Do you feel intimidated during the interview?

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, specify _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

**QUESTIONNAIRE FOR PEOPLE TO LIST TEST -P2L**

Interviewer Name		Interviewer's signature/	
Province/Municipality		District	
Commune/ Sangkat		Village	
Respondent Number (1 - 17)		Location ID	

**RESPONDENT'S SELECTION PROCESS**

**Step 1: Identifying eligible respondents.** *Within the household, it is your job to randomly (this means any) select an individual who is 18 years or older. This individual becomes the interview Respondent.*

This interview must be with (please refer to table A)/	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Oldest female respondent in the household
	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Oldest male respondent in the household
	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Youngest female respondent in the household
	<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Youngest male respondent in the household

**Step 2: Approach the household and introduce yourself.** *When you find a household with someone home, please introduce yourself using the following script. You must learn this introduction so that you can say it exactly as it is written below.*

No	Name	Sex	Age	Respondent	Interview	
					Meet	Date
1	.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1. M	.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	1 <sup>st</sup> time	...../...../.....
		<input type="checkbox"/> 2. F			2 <sup>nd</sup> time	...../...../.....

**Step 3: Asking permission for an interview.**  
*Is \_\_\_\_\_ [insert name] presently at home?*

<input type="checkbox"/> If yes:	<b>May I please interview this person now?</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> If no:	<b>Will this person return here at any time today [or tomorrow or the day after tomorrow]?</b>
	<i>If yes: Please tell this person that I will return for an interview at [insert convenient time].          If this respondent is not present when you call back at least 2 times, replace this household with another by doing one more interval count after the last household on your random walk.</i>

**Thank you very much. I will select another household.**

*You can't substitute an alternate member of a household for the selected respondent.*

*If the selected respondent is not the same person that you first met, repeat Introduction:*

*You can continue with the interview, if the person must give his or her informed consent by answering positively.*

A1	<b>Visits.</b> <b>How many visits were made to the household until the actual interview took place?</b>	.....		
A2	<b>Date of interview.</b> <i>[Interviewer: Enter day, month, and year. Here is an example how to enter in. If the interview is on 12 November 2016, then you enter 12 in day, 11 in month, and 2016 in year]</i>	Day	Month	Year
		.....	.....	.....
A3	<b>Time when the interview started.</b> <i>[Interviewer: Enter hour and minutes, use 24 hr. clock and be exact.]</i>	Hour		Minute
		.....		.....

**START THE INTERVIEW**

**Questionnaire**

**Voter Registration in General**

1 **Have you ever been registered as voter in the previous elections?**

- |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Yes                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. No                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 99. Refused to answer <i>(do not read)</i> |

2 **Did you register yourself in the 2016 registration period?** (1<sup>st</sup> September – 30<sup>th</sup> Nov 2016)

- |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Yes                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. No → Go to Q6                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 99. Refused to answer <i>(do not read)</i> |

3 **What identity document did you use when you registered?** *[Interviewer: Use show-card]*

- |                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Khmer National ID (first version)                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Khmer National ID (second version)                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Khmer National ID (third version)                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Identity Certificate for Voter Registration → Go to Q4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. Family book/ residential book → Go to Q4               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Proof of residence certificate → Go to Q4              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. No document required → Go to Q4                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 8. Other, <i>specify</i> _____ → Go to Q4                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 9. Do not remember → Go to Q4                             |

99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

3.1 **Why you don't have Khmer ID card?**

For respondent who doesn't has Khmer ID card in Q3 and answer from 1 to 3)

- 1. I lost my ID document
- 2. I don't have sufficient documents (such as birth certificate) to get an ID
- 3. The procedure to get ID is too difficult for me
- 4. I have applied to get an ID but haven't get the ID yet
- 5. I am not interested in getting an ID
- 6. I am busy with other things and have time to apply it
- 7. I don't have money to apply it
- 98. Do not know (*do not read*)
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

4.1 **May I see the document that you used to register?**

- 1. Yes → Go to Q5
- 2. No

4.2 **If no, could you tell me the reason?**

- 1. I don't want to show my ID to a stranger
- 2. I lost my ID document
- 3. I don't have it with me now (with other family member)
- 4. Other, *specify* \_\_\_\_\_
- 98. Do not know (*do not read*)
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

5 **May I see your voter registration receipt?**

- 1. Yes, write down the number: \_\_\_\_\_ → Go to Q10
- 2. No, I've never received it → Go to Q10
- 3. No, I lost it → Go to Q10
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*) → Go to Q10

**[Interviewer: Question 6 until 9 should only be asked to those who are not registered.]**

6 *[Only for those who are not registered]*  
**If you didn't register, have you ever attempted to register in that period?**

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

7.1 *[Only for those who did not register/ participate in the 2016 registration]*  
**What was the main reason you did not register?**  
*[Interviewer: do not read response. Try to match response to one of these categories. Otherwise, use other]*

- 1. I am already registered in the previous elections
- 2. I do not understand how to register
- 3. I was not aware about the voter registration period
- 4. The procedure for voter registration is too difficult for me

<input type="checkbox"/>	5. I do not have required ID/ documents by the regulation for voter registration
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. I do not have the extra document(s) that was asked by the registration official even though it's NOT stipulated in the regulations
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. I couldn't find 2 witnesses to get the certificate for voter registration
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. I have been refused to get the Identity Certificate for Voter Registration ខ្មែរ
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. I have been refused to get the proof of resident certificate.
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. The distance to voter registration center is too far
<input type="checkbox"/>	11. I am not interested in voting
<input type="checkbox"/>	12. I was busy
<input type="checkbox"/>	13. I was sick/ disable/ too old
<input type="checkbox"/>	14. I was pressured/ threatened to not registered (explain in detail)
<input type="checkbox"/>	15. I was not eligible during the registration period
<input type="checkbox"/>	16. Other, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

7.2 *Only for those who did not register/ participate in the 2016 registration]*

**More detail explanation**

*Write down the verbatim answer of respondent's answers.*

8.1 *[Only for those who did not register/ participate in the 2016 registration]*

**Do you have Khmer ID card?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, Khmer National ID first version → Go to Q8.3
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Yes, Khmer National ID second version → Go to Q8.3
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Yes, Khmer National ID third version → Go to Q8.3
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. No, I don't have any Khmer ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

8.2 **Why you don't have Khmer ID card?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. lost my ID document
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. I don't have sufficient documents (such as birth certificate) to get an ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. The procedure to get ID is too difficult for me
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. I have applied to get an ID but haven't get the ID yet
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. I am not interested in getting an ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. I am busy
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. I don't have money
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )

<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer (do not read)
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8.3 Do you keep the ID with you?

<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. No, explain why _____

9 May I see your ID document?

[Interviewer: for those who are registered, please ask the ID that the respondent use to register]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes (please copy the information to the table below)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

**Respondent's Data (Ask to all respondents)/**

[Interviewer, copy all of the information from the document and fill in the Q9 – Q14 below OR if the respondent does not have the document used to register, use their other official identification document and ask Q9 - Q14 below.

COMFREL: 1) Match      2) Does not match/ incomplete      3) No data

10 Interviewer, please mark which document that you used to fill in the respondent's information below?

[Interviewer: for those who are registered, please mark the document(s) that the respondent used for registration.]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Khmer ID Card
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. ICVR
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Birth certificate
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Family book
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Certificate of residence
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Verbally
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Other, specify _____

No ល.រ	Respondent Data	A. In ID Document (fill by interviewer)		B. In voter list (fill by central office)		Codes (fill by Central office)		
						1	2	3
11	ID/ICVR No.					1	2	3
12	Name	Family name:		Family name:		1	2	3
		Given name:		Given name:				
13	Date of birth	Day:		Day:		1	2	3
		Month:		Month:				
		Year:		Year:				
14	Sex	1. Male <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Female <input type="checkbox"/>	1. Male <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Female <input type="checkbox"/>	1	2	3
15	Address	Village:		Village:		1	2	3
		Commune:		Commune:				
		Capital/Province:		Capital/Province:				
16	Polling Station	PS Name:		PS Name:		1	2	3
		PS Number:		PS Number:				

**Respondent who did not register, go to Q17.1 to Q17.3**

**Experiences in the Voter Registration (only for those who have registered)**

17.1 Did you experience any challenges or problems during the registration process?

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No → Go to Q18

17.2 [Only for those who said yes]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. The registration official didn't know what to do
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**What are those difficulties that you faced during the registration process?**

*Interviewer: Do not read option. Multiple response. Try to match response to one of these criteria.*

- 2. The registration official is friendly and well in performance
- 3. Don't understand the process/ too complicated
- 4. The process took too much time
- 5. The registration timeline was too short
- 6. The distance to the registration center was too far
- 7. The registration center and process is not accessible for me
- 8. I was busy
- 9. The office was not open on time
- 10. I felt insecure/ received threat
- 11. Other, *specify* \_\_\_\_\_
- 98. Do not know (*do not read*)
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

**17.3 Can you please elaborate what was happened?**

*Write down the verbatim answer of respondent's answers.*

**Voter Registration for All Respondents/**

**18 How did you see or hear the information on voter registration?**

- 1. I have never received any information on voter registration
- 2. Registration invitation
- 3. Radio
- 4. Television
- 5. Newspapers
- 6. Posters/ leaflets/ brochures/ banners
- 7. Mobile loudspeakers
- 8. NEC
- 9. Local election officials
- 10. Commune/ sangkat authorities
- 11. Village chief
- 12. Family/ friends/ communities
- 13. Political party representatives
- 14. Facebook
- 15. Mobile phone and/ or internet
- 16. Other, *specify* \_\_\_\_\_
- 98. Do not know (*do not read*)
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

**Awareness about the Commune/ Sangkat Elections**

**19 Can you tell me the year, month, and day in which the Commune/ Sangkat elections will be held?**

Year : \_\_\_\_\_  
Month : \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. If the answer to all correct
- 2. If only know the month and year of election (incorrect date)
- 3. If only know the year of election (incorrect month and date)

Date : \_\_\_\_\_

- 4. If only know the date of election (incorrect month and year)
- 5. Did not know/ got all answer wrong
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

20 **Do you know what document is needed to be brought for voting?** *Interviewer: Do not read option.*

- 1. No document is needed
- 2. Khmer national ID card
- 3. Identity certificate for voting
- 4. Other, specify \_\_\_\_\_
- 98. Do not know (*do not read*)
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

21.1 **Do you intend to vote in the upcoming Commune/ Sangkat elections?**

- 1. Yes → *Go to Q22*
- 2. No
- 3. I haven't decided
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)
- 

21.2 *[Only for those who said no]*

**What is the main reason you do not want to vote?**

*Interviewer: Do not read option. Multiple response. Try to match response to one of these criteria.*

- 1. I don't care/ lack of interest
- 2. I don't think my vote will matter
- 3. I am not registered as voter
- 1. I was unsure of how or where to vote
- 2. I didn't have national ID or other document for voting
- 3. My polling station is far from where I live
- 4. I was busy
- 5. Physical or disability reason
- 6. I don't like any of the parties/ candidates (no choice)
- 7. Inconvenient time to cast the ballot ពេលវេលា
- 8. I worry about personal security
- 9. Other, *specify* \_\_\_\_\_
- 98. Do not know (*do not read*)
- 99. Refused to answer (*do not read*)

22 Do you know what you need to do if you don't have/ lost your Khmer ID to cast your vote on the election day?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

### Socio Demographic/

**Before we end this interview, I want to ask a few questions about your own background. This will help us to make sure that the data we have is representative.**

23 **What is the highest level of education you have completed?**

- 1. Never go to school
- 2. Informal school only
- 3. Some primary schooling

<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Primary school or other education of the same level
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Some junior high school
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Junior High school or other education of the same level
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Some Senior High School
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Senior High School or other education of the same level
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Some university
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. University completed/ Bachelor degree
<input type="checkbox"/>	11. Post graduate/
<input type="checkbox"/>	12. Other, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

24 **What is your current profession?**  
*[Interviewer: code from answer. Do not read option]*

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Unemployed/
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Farmer
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Laborer, domestic, or unskilled worker/
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Teacher/ professor
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Self-employed/
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Professional (ex. Lawyer, doctor)/
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Trader/ artisan/
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Employed in private sector/ NGOs/
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Employed in public sector/ civil servant/
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. Military/ police/
<input type="checkbox"/>	11. Student/
<input type="checkbox"/>	12. Housewife/
<input type="checkbox"/>	13. Other, <i>specify</i> _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	98. Do not know ( <i>do not read</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

25 **What is your racial or ethnic identification?**  
*[Interviewer: code from answer. Do not read option]*

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Khmer
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Chinese
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Cham
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Vietnamese
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Lao
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Thai
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Indigenous minority groups
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Other, <i>specify</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	99. Refused to answer ( <i>do not read</i> )

26 **May we have your contact number?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, my number _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

27 **If NEC request your personal information, such as name, address and date of birth, will you give**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, COMFREL can give just my personal information to verify/ update my registration status
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**COMFREL permission to forward your information to NEC? If no, all of your information will be kept confidential by COMFREL. We will not share to anybody your opinion.**

<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No, please do not share any of my information to other party
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28 **May I take a picture with you as a proof that I've conducted this interview?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

29 **May I take a picture of your document(s)?**  
 [Interviewer: please take all relevant documents, including the voter registration receipt if they have it]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

**That completes the interview. Thank you for taking the time to participate in this survey.**

**END THE INTERVIEW**

**INTERVIEWER'S EVALUATION**

*(SHOULD BE ANSWERED BY THE INTERVIEWER AFTER THE INTERVIEW, DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT)*

B1 **Time when the interview ended** Interviewer:  
 enter hour and minutes, use 24 hours clock and be exact.

Hour	Minutes

B2 **Does the respondent have any physical disability?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, specify _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

B3 **Were there any other people immediately present who might be listening during the interview?** [multiple answer]

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. No one/
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Spouse only/
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Children only/
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. A few others
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Small crowd

B4 **Do you think anyone influenced the respondent's answers during the interview?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, specify _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

B5 **Do you feel intimidated during the interview?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes, specify _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

**Presence on the voter's list (fill by COMFREL Headquarter)**

*Please search for the voter's status in the preliminary voter list using Q5 – Q10 to answer the questions below.*

**C1 Is the respondent registered as voter in the preliminary voter list?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Yes → Go to C2
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. No

**C2 Write down the detail location where you found the respondent.**

Province	
Commune	
Village	
PS Name	
PS Code	
No in the List	

**C3 Where did you find the respondent?**

<input type="checkbox"/>	1. In the same polling station where COMFREL found them
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. In other polling station but within the same commune/ sangkat
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. In other polling station in different commune/ sangkat