## Datasheet for business formalities. Technical Assistance for Business Regulation Review and Rationalization in Lao PDR

REGISTRATION DATA			
Name of formality Licenses to Establish a Translation Company			
Type of formality	License		
Formality Code	Date of last modification Responsible Authority		
MoICT-PD-9	30.10.2017 Publication Department		

BACKGROUND DATA				
Means of presentation	At the Authority Offices			
Specific sector linked to the formality	M - Professional, scientific and technical activities			
Purpose for enforcing the business formality	In order to ensure that the translation company will provide good, quick and qualified translation service.			
Who should complete this business formality?	Any person or legal entity who intends to establish translation company that will provide translation service from one language to another either by verbally, in writing or printing and the user will pay the service fee for the translation as agreed.			
The formality has online information?	NO			
Link to online information				
The formality has an application form?	YES			
Any additional comment concerning the formality	1. Translation company shall be supervised, approved and monitored by the Department of Publication at the central level; 2. Failure to commence their business operation within 1 year will be subject to sanction.			

REQUIREMENTS AND SUPPORTING EVIDENCE				
Time it takes to the authorities to process the formality	30 Relevant laws do not define the review period but the authority informed that the normal review period will not exceed 30 working days.			
Qualifications needed by the business to get the formality	1. Having at least 3 staffs in the company and shall either be (i) 100% domestic- owned company or joint venture between domestic and foreign investors; 2. Head of the company shall have the following qualifications: (i) being Lao citizen and more than 25 years old; (ii) having knowledge and expertise in translation field, graduated High Diploma in translation and having working experience certificate for the translation work; (ii) having competence in managing the translation company; and (iii) never being imprisoned from the intentionally			

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	wrongful cause		
Is there any reason for the authority to deny the issuing of the formality?	Deny in the case that the applicant cannot meet the required qualification or conditions defined under the law.		

RENEWAL INFORMATION				
Does the formality have a validity or an expiration date? How long will the formality be valid for? (in months)				
YES		12		
What is the process and conditions to renew the formality?				

ISSUING FEES						
Has application fees?	Service fees businesses need to disburse	Certificate fees businesses need to disburse	Application fees businesses need to disburse	Total fees businesses need to disburse		
YES	0.00	50000.00	10000.00	60000.00		
Comments	Reference: Presidential Edict 03/PR,					

RENEWAL FEES						
Has renewal fees?	Service fees businesses need to disburse	Certificate fees businesses need to disburse	Renewal fees businesses need to disburse	Total renewal fees businesses need to disburse		
YES	0.00	50000.00	10000.00	60000.00		
Comments	Reference: Presidential Edict 03/PR,					

LEGAL FRAMEWORK				
Name Number Date Comment				
Order on the Management of	65/ຖວ	27.01.2010	Chapter 3 The License for	

LEGAL FRAMEWORK				
Translation Service			Translation Service (Article 10) Chapter 4 Qualification of the Translator (Article 13) Chapter 7 Management and Monitoring of Translation Service (Article 24)	
Instruction Implementing the Order on the Management of the Translation Service in Lao PDR	59/ຫກຖວ	25.03.2010		

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS				
Document Name	Comment			
Certificate to confirm Land Ownership				
Education Qualification Evidence	ລະດັບວິຊາການ, ລະດັບພາສາຕ່າງປະເທດ, ໃບຢັ້ງຢືນປະສືບການບໍລິການແປພາສາ ແລະ ປະສືບການດ້ານອື່ນທີ່ກ່ຽວພັນກັບການແປພາສາ			
Feasibility Study	ບົດວິພາກເສດຖະກິດທີ່ບຶ່ງຊື່ຂອງບໍລິສັດ ເປັນພາສາລາວ ແລະ ພາສາສາກົນ, ເປົ້າໝາຍ, ພາສາທີ່ສາມາແປໄດ້, ຈຳນວນບຸກຄະລາກອນປະຈຳ, ທຶນໝູນວຽນ, ຊັບຄົງທີ່, ຜີນໄດ້ຜີນເສັຍ, ແຜນຄາດຄະເນລາຍຮັບ-ລາຍຈ່າຍ, ກຳໄລຕໍ່ເດືອນ, ທີ່ຕັ້ງ, ແຜນວາດຂອງບໍລິສັດ.			
Criminal Certificate	1 version			
Location Map of the Enterprise	1 version			
Copy of ID card or Family book of Managing Director	1 version			
License to Invest in the Controlled Business	For foreigner only (1 version)			
Photograph of the Managing Director	2 Photograph side 3x4			
Address Certification	1 Version			
Curriculum vate	1 Version			

STATISTICS (Issue or/and renewed number)			
Year Issued Renewed			
2016	0	2	

LIST OF ATTACHED DOCUMENTS				
Name of document Type of document File of document				
Application	Application form	59a52975d90ea.pdf		