

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

PHNOM PENH

(October-December 2006=100)

February 2018

The Consumer Prices Index in Phnom Penh was increased by 0.4% from February to January 2018. Over the last twelve months prices have increased 2.3%. In January 2018 the rate of inflation was 2.0%. The Consumer Price Index for February 2018 has been calculated at 172.5.

February to January 2018

From February to January 2018 Price for meat increased by 0.5% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 0.3%; price for beef increased by 0.7% and price for chicken increased by 1.1%. Price for fish and seafood increased by 0.3%. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 0.3%. Price for fruit increased by 1.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruit increased by 1.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for vegetables increased by 0.3%. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fruit vegetables increased by 0.7% and price for tubers and mushrooms increased by 1.4%. Price for sugar, jam, honey, chocolate increased by 0.6%. Price for food products increased by 0.4%. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco increased by 0.4%. Price for health increased by 0.3%. Price for communication increased by 0.3%. Price for recreation and culture increased by 0.4%. Price for restaurants increased by 0.5%. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 0.2%. While, Price for clothing and footwear decreased by 0.2%. Price for transport decreased by 0.2%. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for gasoline decreased by 0.3%.

February 2018 to February 2017

Of the total consumer price increased by 2.3% from February 2017 to February 2018, 1.1% units were due to increase by 2.1% for food and non-alcoholic beverages. Price for rice increased by 2.1% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for meat increased by 1.1% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for beef increased by 2.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fish and seafood increased by 4.1% and contribution by 0.5% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 4.4% and contribution by 0.4% units. Price for processed fish increased by 2.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for milk, cheese and eggs increased by 2.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fruit increased by 1.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for dried nuts and edible seeds increased by 7.0% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for sugar, jam, honey, chocolate increased by 1.8%. Price for food products increased by 0.2%. Main increased for food group was due to increase of rice; meat; and fish and seafood. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco increased by 0.6%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 1.2%. Main increase this group was due to increase price for clothing increased by 1.4% and price for footwear increased by 0.6%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased by 1.7% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gas increased by 7.6% and solid fuels increased by 3.5% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance increased by 0.5%. Price for health increased by 1.4% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for transport increased by 2.9% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 6.7% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for restaurants increased by 6.9% and contribution by 0.6% units. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 3.3% and contribution by 0.1% units. While, price for vegetables decreased by 0.5%. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for leaf and stalk vegetables decreased by 0.9% and for fruit vegetables decreased by 1.6%. Price for communication

decreased by 0.9%. Price for recreation and culture decreased by 1.0%. Price for education decreased by 0.7%.

The increased for all index group 2.3% rate of inflation in February 2018 was due to the sub-groups such as: food and non-alcoholic beverages; alcoholic beverages and tobacco; clothing and footwear; housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels; furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance; Transport; restaurants and miscellaneous goods and services.

Figure1. Consumer Price Index, Phnom Penh

