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RHB BANK OPENS SECOND BRANCH

Kuala Lumpur – RHB Bank Lao Limited, a member of the RHB Banking Group (the “Group”) Malaysia’s fourth largest fully integrated financial services group, officially opens its second branch in Lao PDR.

The grand opening of the Sithan Neua Branch was officiated by Her Excellency, Mdm Vathana Dalalay , Deputy Governor of the Bank of Lao PDR and was attended by His Excellency Dato’ Than Tai Hing, Malaysian Ambassador to Lao PDR and Tan Sri Azlan Zainol, Chairman of RHB Banking Group.

“We are very pleased to be expanding our footprint in Lao. It is part of our continued commitment in delivering superior customer experience as well as providing convenience to our customers, in line with our Reframed Group Strategy,” said Tan Sri Azlan.

The Sithan Neua Branch, will serve both business and individual customers, providing a full spectrum of financial solutions including deposit products, Remittances, ATMs, various loan facilities as well as foreign exchange. Additionally, RHB will also be providing Loans and Trade Finance to enterprises which produce goods for domestic consumption and export, as well as to importers, to enable enterprises to expand their businesses and in the process help create jobs and income for the community.

Tan Sri Azlan further commented, “We look forward to growing our affiliations with new and existing customers in Lao. We have a strong team to support and drive our operations here as well as to address the needs of our valued customers”.

To mark its growing footprint in Lao, RHB is offering a 6-month deposit campaign. Customers and businesses that open a Savings or Current Account or Fixed Deposits for a minimum of three months with the bank will be presented with attractive gifts.

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About the RHB Banking Group

The RHB Banking Group is the fourth largest fully integrated financial services group in Malaysia. The Group's core businesses are streamlined into seven main business pillars, namely Group Retail Banking, Group Business & Transaction Banking, Group Wholesale Banking, Singapore Business Operations, Group Shariah Business, Group International Business and Group Insurance. Group Wholesale Banking comprises Corporate Banking, Investment Banking, Client Coverage, Group Treasury & Global Markets, Asset Management and Private Equity. All the seven business pillars are offered through the Group's main subsidiaries -RHB Bank Berhad, RHB Investment Bank Berhad, RHB Islamic Bank Berhad and RHB Insurance Berhad, while its asset management and unit trust businesses are undertaken by RHB Asset Management Sdn. Bhd. and RHB Islamic International Asset Management Berhad. The Group's regional presence now spans ten countries including Malaysia, Singapore, Indonesia, Thailand, Brunei, Cambodia, Hong Kong, Vietnam, Lao PDR and Myanmar. It is RHB Banking Group's aspiration to continue to deliver superior customer experience and shareholder value; and to be recognised as a Leading Multinational Financial Services Group.