Stop TB Partnership KOREA appoints a new chair of its cooperation committee.

1 September – Seoul, Republic of Korea – Stop TB Partnership KOREA (under the Korean National Tuberculosis Association) announced that Mr. Kim Myung Yeon was appointed as a new chair of its cooperation committee and held the appointment ceremony on 1st September, 2015 in Seoul.

Mr. Kim is an incumbent member of the Korea national assembly and has been serving to improve health care systems and circumstances of the underprivileged people, especially for TB patients.

He noted “Although epidemics like TB must be controlled by government, it is impossible without the cooperation with private sectors. At this point, roles of Stop TB Partnership KOREA are very critical.”

Mr. Kim has recently proposed the amendment of the Community Chest of Korea Act to allocate some of its donation to the end of TB projects in developing countries on March 2015.

Stop TB Partnership Korea, with the new leadership, Mr. Kim expects the approval of a revised Community Chest of Korea Act and the expansion of budget for the Stop TB Partnership Korea.