



Announcement of the Department of Religious Affairs
Subject: Policy on not accepting any kinds of gifts from performing duties (No Gift Policy)
Fiscal year 2024

Following the Council of Ministers authorized resolution on December 8, B.E. 2561 (2020), approving the national reform plan to prevention and suppression of corruption and misconduct (revised edition) driving schedule implementation of significant reform activities (Big Rock); Reform activity number 4: Developing the Thai Bureaucratic Reform to be transparent and free from benefits, as the goal 1, section 1.1, All government agencies to declare that all the government officials do not accept any kinds of gifts from the performing duties (No Gift Policy), and according to the Civil Service Code of Ethics, Section 2 (2) and (4), state officials should conduct oneself in order to maintain honesty and integrity, perform duties honestly, in accordance with the law, transparently and verifiably, does not express the suggestive of illegal exploitation, considering the common benefits over personal benefit with no conflict of interest, as well as to avoid all acts which conflicts between personal and public interests, and do not engage in benefits arising from the performance of the duties, in accordance with the Organic Act. concerning the prevention and suppression of corruption, B.E. 2561 (2017), Section 228.

To strengthen the organizational culture and values of honesty in working with morality and ethics, with no conflict of interest from performing duties and preventing corruption. The Department of Religious Affairs would like to announce that “The Department of Religious Affairs is an agency that all government officials do not accept any kinds of gifts from performing duties” by executives, supervisors, Government officials at all levels government including employee and contract services strictly adhere to the following practices:

1. Do not accept gifts and presents of any kinds previous/while/after performing duties.
2. Do not provide gifts and presents of any kinds to those who come in contact in the previous/while/after performing duties.
3. Do not act or refrain from doing anything to obtain gifts, presents, assets, or any other benefits illegally.
4. Acquiring assets, or other benefits in an ethical manner must follow the announcement of the National Anti-Corruption Commission on the Criteria for Receiving assets or other benefits by the Code of Ethics of Government Officials, B.E. 2563 (2020).

Furthermore, the Department of Religious Affairs accepts the congratulations, expressing good wishes, showing welcome, or expressing condolences on various traditional occasions, by signing in wishing cards, wishing books, congratulation cards, condolence card or through social media instead of giving a bribe.

It is hereby announced and to strictly adhere to all.

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