## Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services

No. 64, B.E. 2564 (2021)

Regarding Additional Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom<sup>1</sup>

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Whereas the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services already issued the Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services No. 2, B.E. 2564 (2021) regarding Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom dated 4<sup>th</sup> February B.E. 2564 (2021), prescribing that a person is prohibited from exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom, except for obtaining a letter of permission from the Secretary-General as suggested by the Subcommittee to Integrate Supplies Management for Prevention, Control or Cure for Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) as set up by the Committee on the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19).

Whereas the Committee on the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) issued an order to repeal the Order of the Committee on the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 1/2563 regarding Appointment of the Subcommittee to Integrate Supplies Management for Prevention, Control or Cure for Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) dated 1<sup>st</sup> April B.E. 2563 (2020) resulting in there being no continuity in the process for the Secretary-General's consideration for issuing a letter of permission for exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom. Subsequently, the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services passed the resolution on 2<sup>nd</sup> December B.E. 2564 (2021), reconsidering a measure to control the exportation of the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom by prescribing that the Secretary-General shall be the person who considers granting permission for exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom in order that there shall be continuity in the measure to control the exportation of the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom.

By virtue of Section 9 (2) and Section 25 (3), (4) of the Price of Goods and Services Act, B.E. 2542 (1999), the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services therefore issues this Notification, as follows.

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**Article 1.** This Notification shall come into force in all areas of the Kingdom for the period of one year as from the day following the date of its publication, except for there being the issuance of a new notification.

**Article 2.** The provision in Article 3 of the Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services No. 2, B.E. 2564 (2021) regarding Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom dated 4<sup>th</sup> February B.E. 2564 (2021) shall be repealed, and the following provision shall be used instead:

"Article 3. A person is prohibited from exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom, except for obtaining a letter of permission from the Secretary-General.

The provision as set out in paragraph one shall not be enforceable to the person taking the hygienic mask with him/her for use when he/she goes out of the Kingdom temporarily, whereby the quantity of which for each time of taking does not exceed thirty pieces. In the case of having a medical certificate giving the reason for the necessity of using, the person is allowed to take the hygienic mask with him/her not exceeding fifty pieces per each time."

Article 3. In the case where a person has obtained a letter of permission for exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom under the Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services No. 2, B.E. 2564 (2021) regarding Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom dated 4 February B.E. 2564 (2021) and the duration as specified in the aforesaid letter of permission for exportation does not expire on the date of this Notification coming into force, it shall be deemed that such a person obtains the letter of permission for the exportation of the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom under this Notification which shall be enforceable until the duration as specified in the aforesaid letter of permission for exportation expires.

Given on the 7<sup>th</sup> Day of December B.E. 2564 (2021)

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