

Notification of the Ministry of Commerce

Regarding Cancellation of Prescription of Term of Verification of Measuring Instrument
by Repairer under the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce
regarding Prescription of Type, Characteristic, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture,
Maximum Permissible Error, Prohibition of Subsequent Verification
and Term of Verification of Measuring Instrument

Whereas the Minister of Commerce, upon the recommendation of the Committee on Weights and Measures, already issued the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce relating to the prescription of type, the characteristic, the detail of materials used for manufacture, the maximum permissible error, the prohibition of subsequent verification and the term of verification for a volume measuring tool, an automatic level gauge for measuring the height of level of liquid contained in storage tanks, a rice moisture analyzer, a corn moisture analyzer, a direct mass flow meter, a meter for fuel oil as paid before filling, a meter for liquids, a meter for gas in vapor state.

In order that the inspection and verification of the standard quality of repair by a repairer who has been granted permission to be an inspector and to provide the verification of the measuring instrument which he/she repairs under Section 41 of the Measurement Act, B.E. 2542 (1999) shall be efficient and in line with governmental practice guidelines for competent officials under the law governing measurement in carrying out the inspection and providing the verification of the aforesaid measuring instrument prior to being used in trading or selling goods at present, resulting in fairness to all relevant parties, the Committee on Weights and Measures passed a resolution on 8th March B.E. 2566 (2023) approving the cancellation of the prescription of the term of verification for the measuring instrument which is inspected and verified by the repairer who has been granted permission to be the inspector and to provide the verification of the measuring instrument which he/she repairs as stipulated in the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce relating to the prescription of type, the characteristic, the detail of materials used for manufacture, the maximum permissible error, the prohibition of subsequent verification and the term of verification for the measuring instrument; by virtue of Section 5 and Section 33 of the Measurement Act, B.E. 2542 (1999) as amended by the Measurement Act (No. 3), B.E. 2557 (2014), the Minister of Commerce, upon the recommendation of the Committee on Weights and Measures, therefore issues this Notification, as follows.

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Article 1. This Notification shall come into force after a lapse of one hundred and twenty days as from the date of its publication in the Government Gazette¹ onwards.

Article 2. Title 3 Verification, Article 20 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Volume Measuring Tool, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture of Volume Measuring Tool, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 19th June B.E. 2560 (2017) shall be repealed.

Article 3. Paragraph two of Article 18 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Automatic Level Gauge for Measuring Height of Level of Liquid Contained in Storage Tanks, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 26th September B.E. 2561 (2018) shall be repealed.

Article 4. Paragraph two of Article 14 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Rice Moisture Analyzer, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 11th March B.E. 2562 (2019) shall be repealed.

Article 5. Paragraph two of Article 14 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Corn Moisture Analyzer, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 11th March B.E. 2562 (2019) shall be repealed.

Article 6. Paragraph two of Article 23 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Direct Mass Flow Meter, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 2nd October B.E. 2562 (2019) shall be repealed.

Article 7. Paragraph two of Article 19 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Meter for Fuel Oil as Paid before Filling, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 2nd October B.E. 2562 (2019) shall be repealed.

Article 8. Paragraph two of Article 26 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Meter for Liquids, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 2nd October B.E. 2562 (2019) shall be repealed.

Article 9. Paragraph two of Article 19 of the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce regarding Prescription of Type and Characteristic of Meter for Gas in Vapor State, Detail of Materials Used for Manufacture, Maximum Permissible Error and Term of Verification, dated 2nd October B.E. 2562 (2019) shall be repealed.

¹ Published in the Government Gazette, Volume 140, Special Part 300 d, Page 5, dated 29th November B.E. 2566 (2023).

Article 10. All of the measuring instruments which were inspected and verified by the repairer who has been granted permission to be the inspector and to provide the verification of the measuring instruments which he/she repairs under Section 41 of the Measurement Act, B.E. 2542 (1999) prior to the date when this Notification comes into force shall still be used until the new verification shall be provided by a competent official.

In the case where the measuring instrument is being under inspection for providing the verification by the repairer under paragraph one prior to the date when this Notification comes into force, the aforesaid repairer is required to carry out the inspection and to provide the verification until completion.

Given on the 15th Day of November B.E. 2566 (2023)

Phumtham Wechayachai

Minister of Commerce