

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

No. 8, B.E. 2563 (2020)

Regarding Additional Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom

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. 2563 (2020) Regarding Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom dated 4 February B.E. 2563 (2020), prescribing that a person is prohibited from exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom, whereby the quantity of which for each time of exportation starts from five hundred pieces upwards. The aforesaid prohibition shall not be applicable to the person who receives a letter of permission from the Secretary-General of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services or from the official who is entrusted by the Secretary-General of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services.

Whereas the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services passed the resolution on 20 February B.E. 2563 (2020), reviewing the measure to control the exportation of the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom by prescribing that a person is prohibited from exporting the hygienic mask out of the Kingdom, except for obtaining the permission. The aforesaid prohibition does not include 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 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 in order to bring about more fairness in terms of price and a sufficient quantity to meet the needs of consumers.

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 as from the day following the date of its publication¹ until 30 June B.E. 2563 (2020), 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. 2563 (2020) Regarding Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom dated 4 February B.E. 2563 (2020) 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 of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services as suggested by the subcommittee as appointed by the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services.

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 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. 2563 (2020) Regarding Control of Exportation of Hygienic Mask out of the Kingdom dated 4 February B.E. 2563 (2020) 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 exportation under this Notification which shall be enforceable until the duration as specified in the aforesaid letter of permission for exportation expires.

Given on the 20th Day of February B.E. 2563 (2020)

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