

**Notification of the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services**  
**No. 8, B.E. 2562 (2019)**

Regarding Rules and Procedures in relation to Application, Permission, Form of Letter of Permission  
and Method of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip

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Whereas the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services has issued the Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, No. 14, B.E. 2562 (2019) Regarding Control of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip dated 22 January B.E. 2562 (2019) stipulating the prohibition for any person to transport either fresh tapioca root or tapioca chip, or both, whereby the quantity of which per each time of transport starts from ten thousand kilograms upward entering or leaving the prescribed district areas except for receiving the letter of permission. Whereas rules and procedures in relation to the application, the permission, the form of letter of permission and the method of transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be in accordance with the stipulation made by the Secretary - General of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services.

By virtue of paragraph four of Article 5 of Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, No. 14, B.E. 2562 (2019) Regarding Control of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip dated 22 January B.E. 2562 (2019), the Secretary - General of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services has therefore issued this Notification, as follows.

**Article 1.** This Notification shall come into force as from the date of its publication.<sup>1</sup>

**Article 2.** In this Notification,

“Secretary - General” means the Secretary - General of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services;

“Chairperson of PCP” means the Chairperson of the Provincial Committee on the Price of Goods and Services.

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<sup>1</sup> Published in the Government Gazette, Volume 136, Special Part 102 d, Page 62, dated 24 April B.E. 2562 (2019).

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## Chapter 1

### Application for Permission

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**Article 3.** A person, who wishes to transport fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip entering or leaving the prohibited district areas pursuant to Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, No. 14, B.E. 2562 (2019) Regarding Control of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip dated 22 January B.E. 2562 (2019), is required to file the application in accordance with the form as attached to this Notification to a competent official at the governmental office as prescribed by Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, No. 14, B.E. 2562 (2019) Regarding Control of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip dated 22 January B.E. 2562 (2019).

**Article 4.** The person who wishes to transport fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip entering or leaving the prohibited district areas shall be the person to apply for the permission.

In a case where the application for permission belongs to a juristic person, an authorized person to bind the juristic person or a representative who is empowered by the juristic person shall be a person who signs in the application for permission. As for applying for the permission, any person may be given a power to file the application for permission.

**Article 5.** In applying for the permission, the following documents shall be submitted together with the application:

(1) the certificate issued by the Office of the Company and Partnership Registration specifying the objectives, the names of director and authorized person to bind the juristic person, which has been certified by the registrar prior to the date of filing the application for permission not exceeding six months, in a case of the juristic person,

(2) a letter of power of attorney to empower any person to sign in the application for permission,

(3) a copy of identity card, in a case of an ordinary person,

(4) an evidence showing the source, purchase and sale, acquirement or importation of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip into the Kingdom,

(5) an evidence of endorsement by the competent official of the Provincial Commercial Office or the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, in the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, in a case where the receiver of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip cannot receive the fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip under Article 18.

## Chapter 2

### Permission

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**Article 6.** When the competent official has already received the application together with the documents under Article 5, he/she shall have to examine the correctness of such application and documents. After having considered that the application and documents are correct and complete, he/she shall have to put forward his/her preliminary opinion and present them to the Chairperson of PCP or the official who is entrusted by the Chairperson of PCP, or the Provincial Commercial Officer, who has the power to issue the letter of permission to transport, as the case may be.

**Article 7.** The Chairperson of PCP or the official who is entrusted by the Chairperson of PCP, or the Provincial Commercial Officer, as the case may be, shall have to consider to issue the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip. In this regard, he/she shall have to take the correctness of acquirement and the necessity of transport into his/her consideration.

After having already issued the letter of permission for the transport under paragraph one above, he/she shall have to coordinate and inform the Provincial Commercial Office of the province where is the destination place of transport in order to inspect the transport.

**Article 8.** The letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be in the form as attached to this Notification.

The letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip under paragraph one above shall be filled with information by writing or typing completely, clearly, and being easily read, together with the affixing of the seal of the name of government agency who issues such letter.

In a case where the applicant for permission may not be able to inform the registration number of the car which he/she uses for the transport together with the application for permission, the Chairperson of PCP or the official who is entrusted by the Chairperson of PCP, or the Provincial Commercial Officer, as the case may be, shall have to firstly issue the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip without the content of the registration number of the car. Nevertheless, when the registration number of the car is informed later by the applicant for permission, such number shall have to be recorded in the duplicate and the copy of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip to correspond with the number as informed.

**Article 9.** It is prohibited to amend or add contents in the letter of permission unless the amendment or adding is made by the competent official under paragraph three of Article 8 or by the applicant for permission under Article 14.

**Article 10.** In a case where the Chairperson of PCP, or the Provincial Commercial Officer is the person who issues the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, the following actions shall be taken.

(1) The white original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be given to the applicant for permission.

(2) The blue duplicate of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip and the pink copy of the letter of permission shall be kept at the office of the government agency who is in charge of the issuance of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

(3) The yellow copy of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be sent to the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, in every seven days as from the date of the issuance of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

**Article 11.** In a case where the Chairperson of PCP entrusts the District Chief or another competent official to be the person who issues the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, the following actions shall be taken.

(1) The white original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be given to the applicant for permission.

(2) The blue duplicate of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be kept at the office of the government agency who is in charge of the issuance of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

(3) The pink copy and the yellow copy of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be sent to the Provincial Commercial Office which is located in the area of such province in every three days as from the date of the issuance of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

The Provincial Commercial Office shall have to send the yellow copy of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip as specified in (3) to the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of

Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, in every seven days as from the date of receiving the copy of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

**Article 12.** The letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip shall be valid for the following duration.

(1) As for the transport by land and by car, the computation for the duration of transport as permitted shall be made on the basis of distance of the first one hundred kilometers per three hours and every distance of the next one hundred kilometers per three hours, the fraction of one hundred kilometers per another three hours.

(2) As for the transport by land and by train, the transport by sea, or the transport by other ways, the duration of transport shall be fixed as appropriate.

In a case of necessity in which the transport may not be able to undertake on the basis of distance of one hundred kilometers per three hours as specified in (1), the Chairperson of PCP or the official who is appointed by the Chairperson of PCP, or the Provincial Commercial Officer, as the case may be, shall be the person to consider for approval on the case by case basis.

The authority who issues the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip is required to specify the starting date and time and the ending date and time of the validity of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip in such letter.

**Article 13.** The person who has received the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, but cannot transport the fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip within the specified period of time and quantity, shall have to apply for the cancellation of the aforesaid letter to the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, or the Provincial Commercial Office which is in charge of the issuance of the letter of permission for the transport, within three days as from the termination date of the letter of permission for the transport in order that the government agency concerned shall further cancel the letter.

When the competent official of the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, or the Provincial Commercial Office has already received the letter of permission for the transport as specified in paragraph one, he/she shall have to present such letter to the Secretary - General or the official who is entrusted by the Secretary - General, the Chairperson of PCP or

the official who is entrusted by the Chairperson of PCP, or the Provincial Commercial Officer, who has the power to issue the letter of permission to transport, as the case may be, in order to make the cancellation of the aforesaid letter.

The Provincial Commercial Office is required to further send the original letter of permission to transport, which has already been cancelled, to the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, within seven days as from the date of cancellation.

### Chapter 3

#### Transportation

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**Article 14.** In a case of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip having no content of the registration number of the vehicle as specified in paragraph three of Article 8, the applicant for permission is required to make the record of the registration number of a vehicle into the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip before the transport takes place. Additionally, he/she shall have to immediately inform the government agency or the Provincial Commercial Office, who is in charge of the issuance of the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, of the making of the record of the registration number of the vehicle into the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

**Article 15.** The applicant for permission is required to give the white original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip to the driver or the controller of the vehicle. He/she must bring such letter with him/her in the vehicle in every time of transport in order that the letter is able to be examined at all times.

**Article 16.** The transport shall have to be undertaken to correspond with the quantity, the period of time, the place as permitted to transport, and the use of the vehicle with the registration number as specified in the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip. Additionally, the letter of permission for the transport shall be accompanied in every time of transport.

**Article 17.** In a case where there is an obstruction during the period of transport, which causes the delay of transport to be inconsistent with the duration of transport as permitted by the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, the following actions shall be taken.

(1) In a case where the obstruction occurs in the area of the province where is the original place of transport, the applicant for permission, the driver or the controller of the vehicle is required to urgently inform the authority, who can grant the permission for the transport, of the cause of obstruction.

(2) In a case where the obstruction occurs in the area of other province where is not the original place of transport, the driver or the controller of the vehicle is required to inform a competent official at the below-mentioned governmental offices of the area in which the obstruction occurs in order that the competent official shall endorse the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip specifying the cause of obstruction together with affixing his/her signature and official rank.

(a) the competent official who works permanently at the Provincial Commercial Office, or

(b) the lieutenant who works permanently at the police station of the area in which the obstruction occurs, or

(c) the highway police officer in the rank of commissioned officer (police sub - lieutenant) upward in the area in which he/she is in charge.

**Article 18.** When the transport arrives at the destination, the driver or the controller of the vehicle is required to give the white original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip to the receiver of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, who is specified in the letter of permission for the transport, in order that he/she shall endorse the letter specifying the receipt of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

The applicant for permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip is required to deliver the white original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, which has been endorsed the receipt of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip under paragraph one, to the competent official at the destination place within seven days as from the time of the transport arriving at the destination, as follows:

(1) the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, in a case where Bangkok Metropolis is the destination place of transport,

(2) the Provincial Commercial Office of the area of the destination place of transport, in a case where the destination place of transport is other province than Bangkok Metropolis.

If the end of the period of time for delivering the original letter of permission under paragraph two is on a public holiday, such letter shall have to be delivered on the first day

when the government agency as specified in (1) and (2) opens as usual. Nevertheless, the applicant for permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip under paragraph two may be able to deliver the original letter of permission for the transport by the registered and replied mail, whereby the date when there is a daily seal affixed at the origin post office shall be deemed as the date of delivery.

In a case where the receiver of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, who is specified in the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, is unable to receive fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, the applicant for permission to transport, the driver or the controller of a vehicle is required to inform the cause of obstruction to the competent official at the Provincial Commercial Office, or the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, where is the destination place of transport of the fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, in order that he/she shall endorse the letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip specifying the cause of obstruction together with affixing his/her signature and official rank.

In the case where the receiver is unable to receive the fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip under paragraph four and the competent official has already endorsed the letter of permission for the transport, if the applicant for permission to transport wishes to continue to transport by transporting entering or leaving the specified district areas pursuant to Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, No. 12 B.E. 2562 (2019) Regarding Control of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip dated 22 January B.E. 2562 (2019), he/she is required to file the new application for permission to transport under this Notification.

**Article 19.** When the competent official of the Provincial Commercial Office has already received the white original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip as specified in paragraph two of Article 18, he/she is required to further send such letter to the Office of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services, the Department of Internal Trade, the Ministry of Commerce, within seven days as from the date of receiving the original letter of permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip.

Given on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of January B.E. 2562 (2019)

Whichai Phochanakij

Director - General of the Department of Internal Trade

Secretary - General of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services



(Official Emblem)

Receipt No.	
Date of receipt	
Receiver	

**Application for Letter of Permission for Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root  
and Tapioca Chip**

1. The applicant for permission to transport fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip

Name	Address

2. The receiver of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, at the place of destination  
(Name/Address/Telephone)

1.	
2.	
3.	

3. The detail of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip

Name of Goods	Type/Size/Grade

4. Transportation

Starting Place	Place of Destination (Name/Address/ Quantity/Kilogram)		
	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
Truck	Vessel	Others	Registration Number
Duration of Transport Starting on Date.....at.....hrs. until Date.....at.....hrs.			
Route of Transport (to specify the name of highway/road).....			

5. Certification

To file this application for receiving the Letter of Permission for Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip as mentioned above, and to certify that the aforesaid statement is true and correct in all respects.

(Signed) ..... Applicant

(.....)

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(A seal of juristic person to be affixed)

(Official Emblem)

Issuance No.	
Date of Expiry	

Book No.

No.

**Letter of Permission for Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip**

1. The applicant for permission to transport fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip

Name	Address

2. The receiver of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip, at the place of destination (Name/Address/Telephone)

1.	
2.	
3.	

3. The detail of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip

Name of Goods	Quantity/Kilogram

4. Transportation

Starting Place	Place of Destination (Name/Address/ Quantity/Kilogram)		
	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
Truck	Vessel	Others	Registration Number
Duration of Transport Starting on Date.....at.....hrs. until Date.....at.....hrs.			
Route of Transport (to specify the name of highway/road).....			

5. Permission

To permit the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip in accordance with the aforesaid particulars pursuant to the Notification of the Central Committee on the Price of Goods and Services Governing Control of Transport of Fresh Tapioca Root and Tapioca Chip.

Given on Date.....Year.....

(Signed) ..... Authority Granting Permission

Rank.....

(A seal of government agency to be affixed)

**Warning :** (1) The applicant for permission for the transport of fresh tapioca root and tapioca chip has a duty to have a person deliver the white original letter of permission to the Provincial Commercial Office of the area or the Department of Internal Trade within 7 days as from the time of the transport arriving at the destination or to send by the registered and replied mail, whereby the date when there is a daily seal affixed at the post office shall be deemed as the date of delivery.

(2) If the applicant fails to do so or the specified period of time is over, he/she shall be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 5 years or for a fine not exceeding 100,000 Baht, or both.