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Ministerial Regulation: Prescribing of Supplies that the State Needs to Promote or Support and Prescribing of Procurement Procedures by the Selection Method and the Specific Method (No. 2) B.E. 2561 (A.D. 2018)

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## Ministerial Regulation

Prescribing of Supplies that the State Needs to Promote or Support and Prescribing of Procurement Procedures by the Selection Method and the Specific Method (No. 2)

B.E. 2561 (A.D. 2018)

By virtue of Section 5 paragraph one, Section 56 paragraph one (1) (h), (2) (h) and paragraph two, Section 65 paragraph two, Section 70 paragraph one (3) (g) and Section 75 paragraph two of the Act on Public Procurement and Supplies Administration B.E. 2560 (A.D. 2017), the Minister of Finance enacts this Ministerial Regulation as follows:

Clause 1. Clause 11 of the Act on Supplies that the State Needs to Promote or Support and Prescribing of Procurement Procedures by the Selection Method and the Specific Method, B.E. 2560 (A.D. 2017) shall be repealed and the statement shall be changed to:

"Clause 11. Prescribing that following supplies for research promotion and development or educational services shall be the supplies that the State needs to promote or support.

- (1) academic services or researches of the National Science and Technology Development Agency (NSTDA);
- (2) academic services or researches of all public universities;
- (3) academic services or researches of Chulabhorn Research Institute;
- (4) academic services or researches of Thailand Institute of Scientific and Technological Research (TISTR);
- (5) academic services or researches of Thailand Innovative Administration Foundation by Thailand Innovative Administration Consultancy Institute (TIA);
- (6) academic services or researches of King Prajadhipok's Institute.

Clause 2. Clause 12 of the Ministerial Regulation on Prescribing of Supplies that the State Needs to Promote or Support and Prescribing of Procurement Procedures by the Selection Method and the Specific Method B.E. 2560 (A.D. 2017) shall be repealed and the statement shall be changed to the followings:

"Clause 12. Prescribing that a State agency shall procure supplies under Clause 11 (1), (3), (4), (5), or (6) by the specific method. If the State agency does not wish to use the specific method, the State agency may use either the general solicitation method or the selection method instead."

Given on the 20<sup>th</sup> Day of August 2018 Apisak Tantiworawong Minister of Finance Remarks:- The reason for the enforcement of this Ministerial Regulation is that whereas the Act on Public Procurement and Supplies Administration B.E. 2561 (A.D. 2018) prescribes that for the procurement by the selection method or by the specific method, the Minister may issue a ministerial regulation to consider the supplies as supplies that the State needs to support or promote. As a result, in order to procure academic services or researches of Thailand Innovative Administration Foundation by Thailand Innovative Administration Consultancy Institute (TIA) and of King Prajadhipok's Institute by using either the selection method or the specific method, it is expedient to determine that such academic services or researches of the institutes shall be supplies for research promotion and development or educational services that the State needs to promote or support. It is thus necessary to issue this Ministerial Regulation.