

Unofficial Translation

Notification of the Central Bureau of Weights and Measures

Regarding Procedures for Installing and Using Weighing Machines
with Weighing Platform Fixed at Place Having Capacity of Twenty Metric Tons Upward
Being Digital System (No.2), B.E. 2561 (2018)

Whereas the Department of Internal Trade has issued Notification of the Central Bureau of Weights and Measures Regarding Procedures for Installing and Using Weighing Machines with Weighing Platform Fixed at Place Having Capacity of Twenty Metric Tons Upward Being Digital System B.E. 2556 (2013) dated 4 November B.E. 2556 (2013).

In order that the Department of Highways, which is the governmental agency directing, supervising and controlling vehicles which use the highways, can prevent damage to the highways by applying the weighing machine, the platform of which has more than one, for weighing the axle in each axle or the axle group of the vehicle and for weighing the total weight of the vehicle which is the load of the vehicle which uses the highways, and the Department of Highways can proceed to install and use such weighing machine to be accurate, which shall be checked and certified by competent officials having the standard and in the same practice, and which shall not be simply used as a tool of fraud, resulting in the fairness to all parties pertinent to the weight, by virtue of Section 6 (3) and (5) of the Measurement Act, B.E. 2542 (1999), the Director-General of the Department of Internal Trade has therefore issued this Notification, as follows.

Article 1. This Notification shall come into force as from the day following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette onwards.¹

Article 2. The following provision shall be added to be Article 5/1 of Notification of the Central Bureau of Weights and Measures Regarding Procedures for Installing and Using Weighing Machines with Weighing Platform Fixed at Place Having Capacity of Twenty Metric Tons Upward Being Digital System B.E. 2556 (2013) dated 4 November B.E. 2556 (2013).

¹ Published in the Government Gazette, Volume 135, Special Part 269 d, Page 3, dated 26 October B.E. 2561 (2018).

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“Article 5/1 In the case of the platform weighing machine, the platform of which has more than one, for weighing the load of the vehicle or weighing the axle of the vehicle which uses the highways under the law on highways, the structure of each platform must be aligned together stably and strongly, having capacity for weighing in accordance with the capacity of the weighing machine and being subject to the maximum permissible error as stipulated by the law.”

Article 3. The following provision shall be added to be (6) of Article 6 of Notification of the Central Bureau of Weights and Measures Regarding Procedures for Installing and Using Platform Weighing Machines Fixed at Place Having Capacity of Twenty Metric Tons Upward Being Digital System B.E. 2556 (2013) dated 4 November B.E. 2556 (2013).

“(6) In the case of the platform weighing machine, the platform of which has more than one, for weighing the load of the vehicle or weighing the axle of the vehicle or which uses the highways, there must be the showing of weight of each platform and the total weight, whereby the separation of weight shall be shown accurately and clearly, and not causing confusion in reading the weight”.

Given on the 28th Day of September B.E. 2561 (2018)

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