

RULE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL TRADE

RE: MANAGEMENT OF A WEIGHING AND MEASURING INSTRUMENT, PACKAGED GOODS AND  
GOODS BY WHICH THE PACKAGE IS DESTROYED AND VESTS OR WILL VEST ON THE  
DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL TRADE

(No. 2) B.E. 2559 (2016)

In accordance with the Rule has issued by the Department of Internal Trade on Management of a weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods and destroyed packaged goods which vests or will vest on the Department of Internal Trade B.E. 2547 dated the 18<sup>th</sup> of May B.E. 2547 to manage with a damaged weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods and goods by which the package is destroyed and confiscated, seized or does not appear to have an owner or possessor and thereby vests or will vest on the Department of Internal Trade orderly and systematically:

The Department of Internal Trade deems appropriate to amend such Rule to be in accordance with the current circumstance and by virtue of the provisions of section 6(5), section 53 paragraph two, section 54 paragraph two, section 55, section 56 paragraph two of the Weights and Measures Act B.E. 2542 and section 57 paragraph two of the Weights and Measures Act B.E. 2542 amended by the Weights and Measures Act B.E. 2542 (No. 3) B.E. 2557, the Director-General of the Department of Internal Trade hereby issues the Rule as follows:

**Clause 1.** This Rule is called the “Rule of the Department of Internal Trade re: Management of a weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods and goods by which the package is destroyed and vests or will vest on the department of internal trade B.E. 2559 (2016)”.

**Clause 2.** This Rule shall come into force as from the day following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette.

**Clause 3.** The provision of clause 3 of the Rule of the Department of Internal Trade re: Management of a weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods and goods by which the package is destroyed and vests or will vest on the department of internal trade B.E. 2547 dated the 18<sup>th</sup> of May B.E. 2547 shall be repealed and replaced by the followings:

“clause 3. There shall be the committee on maintenance of weighing and measuring instrument and packaged goods as follows:

(1) In Bangkok Metropolitan, Nonthaburi, Pathumthani and Samutprakarn shall consist of the director of the bureau of weighing machine inspection as the Chairperson, the director of volume measuring and length measuring device division, the director of package goods division, the director of promotion and development of weighing and measuring instrument division, representative of the Legal Department and representative of the Secretariat office as members and Director of the section of small weighing machine as member and secretary;

(2) In other areas outside (1)

(2.1) the weighing and measuring instrument center shall consist of the weighing and measuring instrument center as the chairperson, inspector of the weighing and measuring instrument who is in the position of professional level, a representative of the provincial commerce office with the office in the province which is the location of the weighing and measuring instrument center who is an ordinary civil servant holding an academic position for the level of practitioner and above as members and an inspector of the weighing and measuring instrument center as member and secretary;

(2.2) the subsidiary measurement office shall consist of a chief of the subsidiary weighing and measuring instrument office as the chairperson, a representative of the provincial commerce office with the office in the province which is the location of the weighing and measuring instrument center who is an ordinary civil servant holding an academic position

for the level of practitioner and above as members and an inspector of the weighing and measuring instrument center as member and secretary”.

**Clause 4.** The provision of clause 4(1) of the Rule of the Department of Internal Trade re: Management of a weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods and goods by which the package is destroyed and vests or will vest on the department of internal trade B.E. 2547 dated the 18<sup>th</sup> of May B.E. 2547 shall be repealed and replaced by the followings:

“(1) to maintain and manage a weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods or goods which the package is destroyed that an inspector has confiscated, seized, or it does appear to have an owner or possessor which vests or will vest on the Department of Internal Trade under the Weights and Measures Act B.E. 2542 and as amended”.

**Clause 5.** The provisions of clause 5(1) and (3) of the Rule of the Department of Internal Trade re: Management of a weighing and measuring instrument, packaged goods and goods by which the package is destroyed and vests or will vest on the department of internal trade B.E. 2547 dated the 18<sup>th</sup> of May B.E. 2547 shall be repealed and replaced by the followings:

“(1) to sell under the Rule of the Prime Minister’s Office on procurement and as amended

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(3) to completely destroy or to conduct an act to prevent such weighing and measuring instrument from being used and shall sell such destroyed weighing and measuring instrument under (1) or sell by any other means as deemed appropriate or distribute to vanish in accordance with the Rule of the Prime Minister’s Office on procurement and as amended.”.

Given on the 14<sup>th</sup> of March B.E. 2559 (2016)

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