



(Unofficial Translation)
Announcement of the Board of Investment
No. 2/2544

Relaxation of Criteria for Factory Location of Expansion Projects

It is deemed necessary to relax the criteria for factory locations, as stipulated in the list activities eligible for investment promotion that was attached to Board of Investment Announcement No. 2/2543, signed on 1 August 2000, concerning types, sizes and conditions of activities eligible for investment promotion, in order to facilitate promoted projects that will expand their operations on the existing sites.

By virtue of section 16, paragraph 2 of the Board of Investment Promotion Act of B.E. 2520, the Board of Investment hereby announces a relaxation of the types of activities stipulated in the list of activities eligible for investment promotion attached to Board of Investment Announcement No. 2/2543, concerning types, size, and conditions of activities eligible for investment promotion, signed on 1 August 2000, for which conditions specify that they must be located in Zone 2 or Zone 3, to be able to set up business in Zone 1 and Zone 2, under the following conditions:

1. The factory must be located at the same site as the existing promoted plant
2. The promoted project shall receive privileges under sections 36 (1) and (2), and other non-tax privileges
3. Applications for investment promotion must be submitted no later than December 31, 2002.

Effective from June 15, 2001 onwards

Announced on August 20, 2001

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