

Ministry of Interior In Brief



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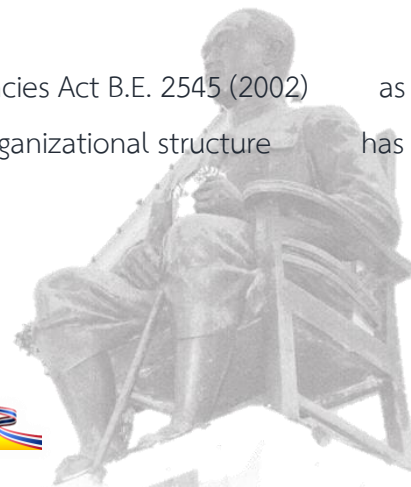


History

King Chulalongkorn, Rama V announced the founding of the Ministry of Interior on April 1, 1892 and appointed **Prince Damrong Rajanubhab** as the first Minister of Interior. The structure of the Ministry of Interior at the initial stage was divided into three departments: the Department of Central Interior, being in charge of general tasks; the Department of Northern Interior, being in charge of crime suppression and public prosecution work, and the Department of Provincial Department, being in charge of provincial administration.

In 1892, Prince Damrong Rajanubhab reorganized a new system of provincial administration by dividing administration in to canton, towns and districts, known as **Thesaphiban** Subsequently, in 1933, the Executive Service Regulation of the Kingdom of Siam Act B.E. 2476 (1933) was issued, dividing national administration's structure into Central Administration, Provincial Administration and Local Administration. Consequently, the Ministry of Interior had restructured according to the Improving State Agencies Act B.E. 2476 (1933), under which the provincial governor (commissioner) and the district chief officer, held the titles of Province Committee Chairman and District Committee Chairman. The act also provided local administration with more self-governed power oversees by the Ministry.

Nowadays, according to the endorsement of the Improving State Agencies Act B.E. 2545 (2002) as published in the Royal Gazette on 2 October 2002, the Ministry of Interior's organizational structure has been affected since 3 October 2002 as follows;



Authorities and Structure

Authority

The Ministry of Interior has authorities and responsibilities concerning “Healing Suffering, Nourishing Happiness” keeping public security and order, maintaining justice in the society, developing provincial and district administration, promoting local administration and community development, administering civil registration, ensuring internal security, preventing and mitigation disaster, managing land affairs and conducting public work and town and country planning.

Structure

Ministry of Interior comprises 1 Central Office, 7 Departments and 6 State-Enterprises

1 Office and 7 Departments

1. Office of the Minister
2. Office of the Permanent Secretary for Interior
3. Department of Provincial Administration
4. Department of Lands
5. The Community Development Department
6. Department of Public Works and Town & Country Planning
7. Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation
8. Department of Local Administration



Authorities and Structure

6 State-Enterprises

1. Metropolitan Electricity Authority
2. Provincial Electricity Authority
3. Metropolitan Waterworks Authority
4. Provincial Waterworks Authority
5. The Market Organization
6. Wastewater Management Authority



1. Office of the Minister

Authorities and Responsibilities:

Office of the Minister has duties concerning political services such as preparing and analyzing information as well as providing inputs to assist Minister in decision making, solving citizens' complaints and facilitating citizens' needs, and assisting Minister on various political issues to ensure national agenda are fulfilled.

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2. Office of the Permanent Secretary for Interior

Authorities and Responsibilities:

Office of the Permanent Secretary for Interior has duties concerning the general routine services of the Ministry that are not the duties of any other departments. There are 2 services and 1 independent group supervised directly by the Permanent Secretary.

Central Administration Bureaus/Divisions

- General Affairs Division
- Personnel Division
- Foreign Affairs Division
- Finance division
- Information Division
- Information and Communication Technology Center
- Prince Damrong Rajanubhab Institute of Research and Development
- Legal Affairs Bureau
- Office of the Commission on Local Government Personnel Standards
- Inspection and Grievances Bureau
- Policy and Planning Bureau
- Office of Provincial Administration development and Promotion
- Ministry of Interior Operation Center

Independent Groups

- Internal Auditor Unit
- Public Sector Development Group
- Anti-Corruption Center

Internal Groups

- Office of Strategy Management
- Strategic Transformation Unit





Office of the Permanent Secretary for Interior

Provincial Administration

There are the Provincial Governor's Offices in all 76 provinces acting as operating and coordinating agencies with respect to general service in the provinces and provincial development planning.

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Encourage the use of Thai fabric



Signing Ceremony of the Statement of Commitment to Sustainable Thailand by the Governors of Provinces of Thailand
in the presence of the UN Resident Coordinator and the Permanent Secretary for Interior
on 6 June 2022



3. Department of Provincial Administration

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Oversee internal affairs, intelligence affairs, border affairs, highlander and minority affairs, displaced persons and illegal immigrant affairs, national affairs and mass affairs.
2. Ensure justice for the people.
3. Promote democracy regime and election at all levels.
4. Enforce territorial law.
5. Develop personnel capacity.
6. Administer civil registration and identification cards as well as other registration services such as central database management for public and private services.
7. Assist and support district chief officers.
8. Carry out other duties as required by law or assigned by the ministry or the cabinet.

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Department of Provincial Administration (DOPA),
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Village Headmen



Thai National ID card issuance



Personnel Capacity Development



Volunteer Defense Corps (VDC)



Thai Quarantine Monitor (Thai QM)



4. Department of Lands

The significant missions of Department of Lands under the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2557 (2014) on Organizational Structure of Department of Lands, Ministry of Interior, dated 9 January B.E. 2557 (2014) was to deal with protecting right in land of individual person, public land managing by conducting land survey and mapping, issuing land right document, registering rights and juristic acts on immovable property, promoting real estate business, and managing land information so that individual person has security in land tenure and gains efficient service delivery. Department of Lands also deals with effectively managing public land for maximum benefit to the nation.

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Performing duties under the Land Code and Laws on Land Development, Condominium, Private Surveyor and Hiring of Immovable Property for Commercial and Industry Purpose and other related Laws.
2. Performing duties in connection with legal affairs aspect under the Land Code and Laws on Land development, Condominium, Private Surveyor and Hiring of Immovable Property for Commercial and Industry Purpose and other related Laws.
3. Formulating and coordinating Department of Lands' plan in accordance with the government and Ministry policies. Supervising, accelerating, monitoring and evaluating the performance of the affiliated bureaus, divisions and land offices within the Department and also implementing in the area of statistic, data processing and analysis and evaluate any situations which related to Department of Lands functions.
4. Developing system, procedures and approach concerned with land administration according to principle of Good Governance Program.
5. Managing land information system.
6. Performing other activities which are duties of Department of Lands as prescribed by law or Minister or Cabinet.

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Department of Lands (DOL), The Government Complex, Commemorating His Majesty the King's 80th Birthday Anniversary, Rattthaprasasanbhakti Building, Chaeng Wattana Road, Thungsong-Hong Sub-district, Laksi District, Bangkok 10210

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Lands development



certificate of title issuance



SmartLands Application
online services for land issues



e-QLands Application
online queuing system



5. The Community Development Department

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Set up strategic policy, measurement, and guideline at national level for the government and private sectors as well as other related parties to use as framework to implement and promote community capacity and strength.
2. Create and implement a community development standard system to be used as a tool for evaluating progress and community development standards.
3. Develop systems and mechanisms to enhance learning process, knowledge management, career management, savings, community and financial management as well as to strengthen the capacity of individuals, communities, community leaders, community organizations and community networking organizations.
4. Support and develop community information technology system for community use to enhance community management and development.
5. Study, analyze, research, develop, and create knowledge for use in community development and strategies.
6. Train and develop public servants, related officers, community leaders, community organizations, and community networking organizations with knowledge, skills, and capacity in the workplace as well as collaborate with both domestic and international organizations on academic issues.
7. Carry out other duties as required by law or assigned by the ministry or the cabinet.

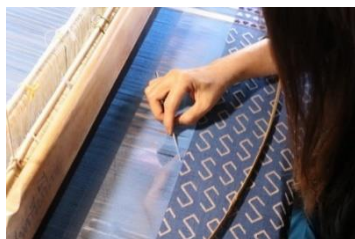
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“Thai fabrics are fun to wear” campaign



Khok Nong Na Model



backyard garden for food security



Thai Women Empowerment Funds

The Concept of Land Development to Maximize
Utility under the Philosophy of Sufficiency Economy

6. Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation

Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation (DDPM) was established on 3 October 2002 as an agency under Ministry of Interior (MOI) to handle disaster management responsibilities. As under the Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Act B.E. 2550 (2007), DDPM shall be the central government unit to operate any related activities on national disaster prevention and mitigation in order to establish a better and more effective mechanism to prevent disaster damage and loss, and reduce calamity due to both man-made and natural disasters.

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Formulate policy, guideline and identify criteria for disaster management.
2. Organize the studies and researches on procedures and measures to prevent and mitigate all impacts of disaster effectively.
3. Develop information technology system for disaster prevention, and warning mitigation.
4. Enhance people's participation to engage in disaster prevention and mitigation activities.
5. Create public awareness for disaster management.
6. Conduct the necessary training courses and drill exercises to enhance capacity building for disaster management.
7. Promote and carry out disaster management activities to provide rapid assistance for affected victims and ensure that the restoration and rehabilitation will be implemented for disaster resilience.
8. Operate and coordinate the appropriate relief measures will be undertaken to restore the affected people livelihood and assets.
9. Collaborate with the local and international organizations to provide technical assistance to strengthen the effectiveness in disaster management.
10. Perform any other duties as required by the Ministry of Interior or the cabinet.

Address:

Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation (DDPM), 3/12 U-thong Nok Road, Dusit District, Bangkok 10300, Thailand
Tel. 0-2637-3000

Website: www.disaster.go.th

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Provide aids and assistance to the disaster affected people



Thai Disaster Alert Application

The Official Public Disaster Alert Notification



7. Department of Public Works and Town & Country Planning

Department of Public Works and Town & Country Planning is responsible for town and country planning at every level including public works, urban development, building design and building control. Moreover, the Department supports local administrative authorities in urban and local development by assisting and supervising the formulation of policies and planning of land use, transportation and infrastructure.

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Ensure all activities comply with Town and Country Planning Act, Building Control Act, Land Excavation and Land Filling Act and other related laws.
2. Study and carry out data analysis to formulate Town and Country Plans, conduct research, monitor land used, and standardize urban development activities.
3. Provide service and advice on Town and Country plans, design, construction, urban or building rehabilitation and construction control of public sectors' buildings.
4. Develop information system of Town & Country Planning and Public Works.
5. Provide capacity building of personnel, local administrative authorities and other related agencies.
6. Carry out other duties as required by law or assigned by the ministry or the cabinet.

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Department of Public Works and Town & Country Planning (DPT), 218/1 Rama VI Road, Samsennai Sub-district, Phayathai District, Bangkok 10400

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Yala, the best province in Thailand
in terms of city planning



Conducting research to formulate Town and Country Plans



8. Department of Local Administration

Department of Local Administration's core responsibility is to promote and support the work of the local administrative organizations on local development plan, personnel administration, finance, and administration in order to strengthen the capacity and efficiency of the local administrative organizations on public service provision.

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Develop the system, organization, and structure of local administrative organizations.
2. Promote and support in formulating, cooperating, integrating the local plan, as well as design the system in monitoring and evaluating implementation of local development plan.
3. Enact, revise, and amend the laws and regulations related to the local administrative organizations, including consult, advise, and supervise the local administrative organizations to carry out roles and functions.
4. Regulate the guidelines and standards concerning the local personnel management in accordance with local management laws and regulations.
5. Promote, support, and cooperate with local administrative organizations on finance, treasury, budget, supplies, revenue collection, and commerce, as well as design the monitoring system on finance, accounting, and supplies of local administrative organizations.
6. Promote, support, and cooperate with local administrative organization on public service provision and education according to the roles and functions of local administrative organizations.
7. Regulate the guidelines, systems, and key performance indicators as the standards of functioning of local administrative organizations, along with supervise local administrative organizations to the standards.
8. Promote the public participation in managing and monitoring the implementation of local administrative organizations.
9. Develop the information technology system for the local administrative organizations' services.
10. Improve the personnel of local administrative organizations and Department of local administration.
11. Perform any other works as regulated by laws and regulations in relation to the roles and functions of Department of Local Administration, or as assigned by the Ministry of Interior or the cabinet.



Wisdom Learning Playground

Project to promote early childhood learning



Organic Waste Management

Compost bin project, Global warming reduction

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State Enterprises



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Metropolitan Electricity Authority

1. Metropolitan Electricity Authority (MEA)

Metropolitan Electricity Authority (MEA) is the state enterprise that distributes electric power in Bangkok, Nonthaburi and Samut Prakan.

Authorities and Responsibilities:

1. Acquire and distribute electric power.
2. Operate electricity-related business and other relevant businesses.

Performance:

1. Execution of the Smart Metro Grid Project which promotes smart utility solutions in urban areas.
2. Development of MEA Smart Service that enables one-stop service for outstanding customer experience.
3. Research-based development of MEA EV Smart Charging System which provides infrastructures to facilitate the global trend in the electric vehicles.

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2. Provincial Electricity Authority (PEA)

The Provincial Electricity Authority (PEA) was founded as an individual organization under the Royal Decree issued on 6 March 1954, announced in the Royal Thai Government Gazette on 16 March 1954. A Board of Directors was appointed to steer business management under the oversight of the Department of Public and Municipal Works, Ministry of Interior, and the government, with the Minister of Interior holding general governing authority. The then Provincial Electricity Organization boasted an initial capital of 5 million Baht, with 117 electricity authorities within its purview. Subsequently, PEA was established under the Provincial Electricity Authority Act, B.E. 2503 (1960) on 28 September 1960 and inherited ongoing mission from the Provincial Electricity Organization.

PEA takes responsibility for power distribution in 74 provinces except Bangkok, Nonthaburi, and Samut Prakan (which are under the responsibility of the Metropolitan Electricity Authority). These areas cover 99% of the country, or around 510,000 sq.km., serving 21,257,532 customers.

Mission

1. Invest in and develop a fully integrated domestic electric power and energy conservation business.
2. It is the government's mechanism for promoting investment and a market reference for renewable energy and energy conservation of the state.
3. Expand investment in electric power and related businesses in the region.

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3. Metropolitan Waterworks Authority (MWA)

The Metropolitan Waterworks Authority (MWA) is a state enterprise responsible for delivering clean and safe water according to World Health Organization (WHO) standards to people in Bangkok, Nonthaburi and Samut Prakan Province.

Authorities and Responsibilities

1. Procure raw water sources for waterworks
2. Produce and distribute tap water within Bangkok, Nonthaburi and Samut Prakan Province
3. Operate other business related to or beneficial for waterworks

Address:

Metropolitan Waterworks Authority, 400 Prachacheun Road, Tungsoy-Hong Sub-district, Laksi District, Bangkok 10210

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4. Provincial Waterworks Authority (PWA)

The Provincial Waterworks Authority (PWA) is a state enterprise under the Ministry of Interior focused on “Healing Suffering, Nourishing Happiness” of people with waterworks infrastructure services that are clean, safe and standardized. PWA monitors and controls the quality of all water production processes according to the World Health Organization (WHO) standards and delivers and provides thorough and adequate water supply for the public residing in 74 provinces (except Bangkok, Nonthaburi and Samut Prakan) under the vision “aiming to be an excellence and sustainable organization in waterworks service and management.”

Authorities and Responsibilities

1. Produce, deliver and distribute good quality water adequately and thoroughly.
2. Explore and acquire raw water sources.
3. Supply raw water to be used in the production, deliver and distribution of tap water.
4. Support water supply business.
5. Proceed with other businesses relating to water supply business.

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5. The Market Organization (MO)

The Market Organization (MO) is the state enterprise responsible for the development and administration of government market promotion in central and provincial areas.

Authorities and Responsibilities

1. Create a public market to meet the demand
2. Improve public market, which is already providing hygienic and modern
3. Encourage the private market
4. To encourage the production of commodities and provide sufficient market demand
5. Manage transport commodities to the market to ease
6. Take Control, and Director of Marketing Services Organization

Address:

The Market Organization

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6. Wastewater Management Authority (WMA)

Authorities and Responsibilities

1. Establish central wastewater treatment system in wastewater management areas
2. Provide services and management of wastewater treatment system in wastewater management areas.
3. Provide maintenance or services relating to wastewater treatment with economic efficiency

Address:

Wastewater Management Authority, 333 Lao Peng Nguan Tower 1 (23rd Floor), Vibhavadi-Rangsit Road, Chompol Sub-district, Chatuchak District, Bangkok 10900

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