

Declaration of Intent of the Department of Thai Traditional and Alternative Medicine on not accepting any kind of gifts for the performance of duties (No Gift Policy) for the fiscal Year 2025 (B.E.2568)

I, Dr. Somlerk Jeungsmarn, Director-General, Department of Thai Traditional and Alternative Medicine (DTAM), hereby declare the "No Gift Policy," under which all kind of gifts or rewards are prohibited during, before, or after the performance of duties. I also declare the commitment of the executives, staff, and all personnel of DTAM to ensure that DTAM becomes an organization where all personnel strictly refrain from accepting any gifts or rewards, in any capacity – during, before, or after the performances of their duties. Together, we shall foster a culture of integrity within the organization, cultivate ethical awareness, and instill good attitudes and values in the performance of duties, placing the public benefit above personal gain, and promoting a spirit of public service. We shall perform our official duties with integrity, transparency, fairness, and without discrimination. We shall not exploit our positions for personal benefit at the expense of the public hardship, nor shall we engage in any actions that present conflicts between personal and public interests. Additionally, we shall not accept any assets or other benefits from anyone that can be converted into monetary value, except for those that are legally permitted in accordance with laws, regulations or rules issued under the authority of the law. The acceptance of assets or other benefits is only permissible when allowed under traditional customs and ethical practices, and must be within the criteria and monetary limits prescribed by the Office of the National Anti-Corruption Commission (ONACC). This includes adherence to the ethical standards for government officials, as well as the guidelines for giving or receiving gifts or any other benefits by government officials at all positions and levels within the Department of Thai Traditional and Alternative Medicine.

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