Declaration of Commitment on Good Governance

Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Fiscal Year B.E. 2561 (2018)



Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation (The Department) has established Good Governance Policy which is aimed at;

- 1) Outlining the conduct expected of personnel to ensure transparency and conformity to international standards.
- 2) Providing guidance on operations for The Department and its personnel, and a tool for measuring different aspects of The Department's performance which include political, societal and environmental, service users and stakeholders, organizational, and personnel to promote transparency, efficiency and effectiveness.
- 3) Establishing organizational governance that is credible and reliable to service users, general public and stakeholders.
- 4) Promoting organizational commitment among personnel of all levels by which executives shall perform their legal duties within their scope of authorities and create sense of self accountability for his/her own actions, organization, executives, service users, and the society, respectively.
- 5) Preventing corruption, potential conflict of interest, and promoting transparency in public administration.

Accordingly, the Department has announced a policy on good governance to guide The Department and its offices to develop corresponding measures/projects that shall be implemented, monitored and evaluated in a clear manner. The policy comprises four aspects as follows;

1. Political, societal and environmental aspect

Core area 1: Disaster risk reduction

Operational strategy: 1) Supporting the implementation of road safety throughout the year

2) Reducing impact of drought and flooding

3) Facilitating the organization of emergency management exercise and lessons learned

Core area 2: Supporting the implementation of government's policy and ensure the

country and the people benefit from The Department's actions.

Operational strategy: Establishing a guideline to improve the effectiveness of fiscal year

budget spending.

2. Service user and stakeholder aspect

Core area: Raising awareness, preparedness, and participation of the people in

disaster prevention and mitigation

Operational strategy: 1) Promoting disaster risk management education

- 2) Encouraging people's disaster preparedness
- 3) Strengthening capacities of all sectors
- 4) Improving disaster warning system and expanding the communication channels for disaster warning

3. Organizational aspect

Core area: Promotion of good governance practice within the organization

Operational strategy: 1) Ensuring all actions taken by the Department and its offices aligned

with relating regulations and internal audit plan

2) Assuring the Department and its offices to follow the internal control and risk management framework

3) Encouraging the Department and its offices to translate executives' policies into action

4) Encouraging and facilitating the implementation of Against Corruption
Action Plan

4. Personnel aspect

Core area 1: Promotion of morality, ethics, good governance and self-sufficiency

philosophy among personnel

Operational strategy: 1) Encouraging personnel of all levels to maintain good governance

conducts aligned with standards for good governance and

transparency in public administration.

2) Providing training, promotion and recognition for personnel's moral,

ethical and responsible conduct.

Core area 2: Encouragement of personnel's competency and motivation improvement

Operational strategy: 1) Providing guideline for implementation of Human Resource

Management Action Plan.

2) Establishing framework for personnel competency development.

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