

## Notification of Ministry of Industry

Re: Type of Factory prohibited to establish or expand in Koh Samui District, Suratthani Province B.E. 2548 (2005)

Translation

By the virtue of Sections 32 (1) (2) and (3) of the Factory Act, B.E. 2535 (1992) which contains some provisions concerning the limitation of the people rights and liberties that is permissible by the provisions of Section 29 together with Section 35, Section 48 and Section 50 of the Constitution of the Kingdom of Thailand, the Minister of Industry, with the approval of the cabinet, hereby issues the Ministerial Notification as follows:

### Article 1

The Ministerial Notification regarding type of factory prohibited to establish or expand in Koh Samui District, Suratthani Province dated 29th August B.E. 2532 (1989) shall be repealed.

### Article 2

It shall be prohibited to establish or expand every type of factory in the list annexed to the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2535 (1992) issued pursuant to the Factory Act, B.E. 2535 (1992), except the following:

1. Factory engaging in the business related to providing service to community and supporting tourism as in the list no. 1 annexed hereto.
2. Factory engaging in the business related to agricultural product that obtains raw material within the area of Koh Samui District, Suratthani Province as in the list no. 2 annexed hereto.

Factories granted exemption shall be under conditions prescribed in list no.1 or list no.2 annexed hereto, as the case may be.

### Article 3

This shall, thus, enter into force on the day following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette and shall be invalid when the Ministerial Regulation issued pursuant to the Urban Planning Act, B.E. 2518 (1975) regarding land use zoning in Koh Samui District, Suratthani Province becomes enforceable.

Announced on the 27th day of July B.E. 2548 (2005)

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Minister of Industry

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**List no. 1 annexed to the Ministerial Notification**  
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**Factory engaging in the business related to providing service to community and supporting tourism.**

Factory type in the list annexed to the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2535 (1992)	Description of Factory type in the list annexed to the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2535 (1992), issued pursuant to the Factory Act B.E. 2535 (1992)	Conditions
10	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to food from flour. (1) Making bread or cake (2) Making biscuits or wafers.	None
14	Factory engaging in the business related to ice making, ice cutting, ice sawing, ice crushing or ice grinding.	None
20	Factories engaging in business related to making non-alcoholic drinks or soft drinks. (1) Making drinking water	None
22	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to textiles, yarn, or fiber other than asbestos. (4) Printing textiles	Only printing local textiles
34	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to wood. (1) Sawing, shaping, chiseling wood, or processing wood with other similar methods.	Permissible in all cases except sawing can only be done with coconut wood
41	Factories engaging in: (1) Printing, document file making, binding, making a cover or decorating printed matters.	None
43	Factories engaging in any kind or several kind of the following business related to fertilizers or pesticides: (1) Making fertilizers or pesticides:	Permissible only compost and organic fertilizer
50	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to petroleum, coal, or lignite products: (4) mixing petroleum products together or mixing petroleum products with other materials:	Permissible only asphaltic concrete for construction of public road

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58	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to non-metallic products: (1) Making concrete products, mixed concrete products, gypsum products, or plaster products:	Permissible only concrete products and mixed concrete products
63	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to metal products for construction or installation: (2) Making components for constructing a building:	None
64	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to metal products: (13) Machining, drilling, reaming, milling, shaping, shearing, or welding general metals:	None
65	Factories manufacturing, assembling, modifying, or repairing engines, turbines, including their parts and equipment:	Permissible only modifying or repairing
66	Factories manufacturing, assembling, modifying, or repairing agricultural or animal husbandry machines, including their components or equipment:	Permissible only modifying or repairing
87	Factories engaging in any kind or several kind of the following business related to playthings, tools or devices that are not listed in any sequence: (4) Making umbrellas, wands, feather, artificial flowers, zippers, buttons, brooms, brushes, lamps, lanterns, electric lanterns, pies, cigarette-holders, cigarette filters, or lighters: (5) Making signs, marks, symbols, product labels, plates or stencils: (7) Making products from scraps that are not mentioned in any sequence:	Permissible only souvenir or local product that obtains raw material within the area of Koh Samui district, Suratthani province
90	Factories supplying water, purifying water or distributing water to buildings or industrial factories.	None
92	Cold storage	Permissible only if there is no washing and processing of raw material

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95	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to motor vehicles, trailers, tricycles, bicycles, or their components: (1) Repairing motor vehicles or their components: (2) Repairing trailers, tricycles, bicycles, or their components: (3) Painting for corrosion protection of vehicles propelled by engines: (4) Washing engine-propelled vehicles in the high-pressure washer.	None
98	Factories for laundering, dry-cleaning, cleaning, ironing, pressing, or dyeing of apparel, carpet, or fur:	Permissible only laundrying, dry-cleaning, cleaning, ironing, pressing of apparel
101	Central Waste Treatment Plant	None
105	Factories engaging in the business related to sorting or burying trash or waste having the same characteristics and properties as those set forth in the Ministerial Regulation No.2 (B.E. 2535(1992)) issued pursuant to the Factory Act B.E. 2535(1992):	None

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**Factory engaging in the business related to agricultural product that obtains raw material within the area of Koh Samui District, Suratthani Province.**

Factory type in the list annexed to the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2535 (1992)	Description of Factory type in the list annexed to the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2535 (1992), issued pursuant to the Factory Act B.E. 2535 (1992)	Conditions
2	Factory engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following agricultural produce. (7) Producing charcoal from coconut shell or grinding or repacking charcoal produced from coconut shell.	None
7	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to oil from plants or animals or fat from animals. (1) Extracting oil from plants or animals or fat from animals.	Permissible only extracting oil from coconut
8	Factories engaging in any kind or several kinds of the following business related to vegetables, plant and fruits. (1) Making food or drinks from vegetables, plants or fruits and packing the same in sealed and airtight containers. (2) Preserving vegetables, plants or fruits by the method of churning, sun-drying, pickling or sudden freezing or dehydrating.	None
27	Factories engaging in any kind or several of the following business related to non-woven or non-knitted products. (6) Making materials from fiber to make cushions, upholsteries or other similar materials.	Permissible only making materials form coconut fiber

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