Royal Decree  
Establishing Amphoe Umphang,  
B.E. 2502 (1959)  
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Translation  
Bhumibol Adulyadej, PR.  
Given under our Hand this 21th Day of April, B.E. 2502 (1959);  
Being the 14th Year of our Reign  

His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej is graciously pleased to proclaim that:  
Whereas it is desirable to additional establish an Amphoe in Changwat Tak, for the sake of  
the administration and public facility;  
Be it decreed by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by virtue of section 39 of the National  
Government Organization Act, B.E. 2495 (1952), as follows:  

Section 1  
This Royal Decree shall be cited as the "Royal Decree Establishing Amphoe Umphang, B.E.  
2502 (1959)".  

Section 2  
This Royal Decree shall come into force as from the day following the date of its publication  
in the Government Gazette.  

Section 3  
King Amphoe Umphang of Amphoe Mae Sot, Changwat Tak, shall be elevated to Amphoe  
Umphang.  

Section 4  
Amphoe Umphang shall be subject to the administration of Changwat Tak.  

Section 5  
The Minister of Interior shall be in charge of this Royal Decree.  

Countersigned by:  
General T. Kittikachon,  
Deputy Prime Minister  

Remarks:  
The grounds for promulgation of this Royal Decree are as follows:  
King Amphoe Umphang of Amphoe Mae Sot, Changwat Tak, is of wide and infertile  
territory extremely far from Amphoe Mae Sot, Changwat Tak, the communications with the
Amphoe and the Changwat require the travels through wild and mountains and, for the sake of quickness, through Burma, and are thus difficult and insecure. It is expedient to elevate the said King Amphoe to Amphoe, with a view to supporting the administration and the provision of public facility and to promoting the local development.

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