



Thailand-Chile FTA negotiation framework

BANGKOK, 12 May 2010 (NNT) – The Cabinet approves the negotiation framework of Thailand - Chile Free Trade Area as proposed by the Commerce Ministry and the matter will be further proposed to Parliament to be approved before the actual negotiations are conducted.

The FTA negotiation framework covers eleven issues including free trade, formal procedure, tariff, rules of product origin, measures for trade improvement and prevention, technical barriers to trade, service trade, investment, sanitary and phytosanitary measures, argument suppression, trade cooperation and support and transparency.

The negotiation framework of Thailand – Chile FTA has been drafted by the Department of Trade Negotiations.