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Council for Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights

NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT

THAILAND: COPYRIGHT ACT B.E. 2537 (1994) AMENDED BY COPYRIGHT ACT (NO. 2) B.E. 2558 (2015), COPYRIGHT ACT (NO. 3) B.E. 2558 (2015) AND COPYRIGHT ACT (NO. 4) B.E. 2561 (2018)

Notifying Member THAILAND

Details of the notified legal text

Title	Copyright Act B.E. 2537 (1994) amended by Copyright Act (No. 2) B.E. 2558 (2015), Copyright Act (No. 3) B.E. 2558 (2015) and Copyright Act (No. 4) B.E. 2561 (2018)
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights
Nature of notification	[X] Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation[] Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2020/IP/THA/20_3241_00_e.pdf
Notification status	 First notification Amendment or revision to notified legal text Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	IP/N/1/THA/C/1/Rev.1; IP/N/1/THA/C/1

Brief description of the notified legal text

Copyright Act (No. 2) B.E. 2558 (2015): The amendment is related to technological protection measures, rights management information, ISP's liability limitation, and other provisions with an aim to enhance efficiency of copyright system particularly in the digital environment.

Copyright Act (No. 3) B.E. 2558 (2015): The amendment is related to exceptions for persons with impairment in vision, hearing, mobility, intelligence or learning, or other impairments. It also includes the anti-camcarding provision.

Copyright Act (No. 4) B.E. 2561 (2018): The amendment is to comply with the Marrakesh Treaty to Facilitate Access to Published Works for Persons Who are Blind, Visually Impaired, or Otherwise Print Disabled.

Language(s) of notified legal text	English

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Entry into force	11 March 2019
	Copyright Act (No. 2) B.E. 2558 (2015): 4 August 2015
	Copyright Act (No. 3) B.E. 2558 (2015): 6 April 2015
	Copyright Act (No. 4) B.E. 2561 (2018): 11 March 2019
Other date	

Notification details

Submission date of notification	15 May 2020
Other information	
Agency or authority responsible	The Department of Intellectual Property Ministry of Commerce Thailand

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