



SEMINAR ON THE PREVENTION AND SUPPRESSION OF CORRUPTION



Opening Remarks

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Chairman of the Joint Foreign Chambers of Commerce in Thailand,
Excellencies,
Representatives of international organizations,
Distinguished guests,
Ladies and gentlemen,

It gives me great pleasure to be invited to give an opening speech at this seminar today.

For many years, the National Anti-Corruption Commission and Joint Foreign Chambers of Commerce in Thailand have continuously been collaborated in a number of anti-corruption activities, such as information-exchange seminars for the designing of measures to prevent and combat corruption, meetings and cooperation to mobilize the National Anti-Corruption Strategy.

The JFCCT has been playing a crucial role in encouraging, supporting and strengthening entrepreneurs in the private sector as well as foreign investors to participate in the fight against corruption. At the same time, such active participation does not only contribute to Thailand's efforts to prevent and combat corruption on a larger scale, but also building business confidence in the country's investment climate.

The seminar today presents a great opportunity for me to meet with such distinguished guests as you all so we can exchange our opinions and cooperate on implementing anti-corruption efforts in order to achieve the objective of the National Anti-Corruption Strategy, particularly issues on the mobilization of anti-bribery measures for the private sector and other prevention of corruption under the Organic Act on Anti-Corruption B.E. 2561 (2018), which all of you can make your contribution toward concrete results.

In closing, I would like to thank you all for your attention to this seminar and for your support for this event, and look forward to a most productive session. Thank you.