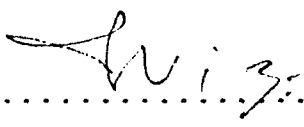



THESIS TITLE : A STUDY OF SITUATIONS AND PROBLEMS IN
ADMINISTRATION OF THE EDUCATIONAL
OPPORTUNITY EXTENSION SCHOOLS OF
LOWER SECONDARY EDUCATION UNDER
THE JURISDICTION OF SAKON NAKHON
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ABSTRACT

The purposes of this research were to study and compare the situations, problems and needs in administration of the educational opportunity extension schools of lower secondary education under the jurisdiction of Sakon Nakhon Provincial Primary Education Office as classified by sizes of schools. Samples were 49, 207 and 35 teachers in small, medium and large-size schools respectively. A set of questionnaires was employed to collect data. The obtained data were analyzed by using SPSS/PC⁺ for calculating percentage, arithmetic mean, standard deviation and F-test.

Findings :

Totally, the educational opportunity extension schools of lower secondary education under the jurisdiction of Sakon Nakhon Provincial Primary Education Office were conducted in the administrative situations at "much" level. The problems and the needs for improvement were at "moderate" level.

In consideration of aspects separately, the academic and the community relationship aspects were conducted at "moderate" level, while the rests were at "much" level. All aspects of problems and needs for improvement were at "moderate" level.

In comparison, there were no significant differences at the .05 level concerning administrative situations and needs for improvement between each size of schools, whereas the small-size schools had more problems in administration than the medium-size schools statistically significant at the level of .05.