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SECONDARY SCHOOLS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL
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The purpose of this study was to study the management and the problems of environmental management in extra large secondary schools. The seven extra large high schools in Nonthaburi under The Department of General Education were the focus of the study. 241 personnel including principals, assistant principals, heads of academic subjects, presidents of parent-teacher associations, heads of extra-curricula activities, head teachers of environmental projects, class head teachers, building head teachers, heads and deputy heads of students, head and deputy heads of environment activities clubs, and heads of janitors were recruited as subjects, of which 239 (99.17%) answering the interviews. Interviews, observation, and documents' analysis were used to gather the data which, after the interpretation, yielded the following results.

1. The interviews revealed that people in the schools knew about environmental management policy from school staff meetings and bulletin boards which had been permanent displayed of such written policy. The schools organised such environmental activities within and outside schools. Tasks were assigned with working committees and appointed heads. One-year operational plans were the norm. Certificates were given to praise-worthy recipients and that joint organisations were held with outside bodies to carry out environmental activities.
2. The interviews also pointed out that most problems of environmental management stemmed from lack of adequate public relations and supervision, earnest and continuous result evaluations, personnel lacking knowledge, experience,. Enthusiasm, and funds.
3. General observation revealed that schools needed cleaning and safety reinforcement of the toilet facilities. Rubbish bins, water coolers and wash-basins needed attention.
4. Documents' analysis revealed that the seven schools had more than 50 environmental projects in an academic year.

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