

**Title of Research Paper :** The Participation of Candidate in the Subdistrict  
Administration Organization: A Case Study of  
Bunnangsta District, Yaia Province

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The study aimed to assess the difference between the motivation, participation and Sub-district Administration Organization according to enacted Sub-district Administration Organization 1994 of those whom were elected and non-elected candidates for the members of Sub-district Administration Organization in Bannangsta District, Yala Province. The questionnaires were used for 131 Sub-district Administration Organization members.

**The findings were;**

a. The non-elected candidates had their knowledge and understanding regarding the rights and duties of the member of Sub-district Administration Organization better than those were elected candidates.

b. The non-elected candidates maintained their stronger motivation to be the members of Sub-district Administration Organization than the elected candidates.

c. With regard to the participation in Sub-district Administration Organization activities the elected candidates exhibited their strong commitment to participate than the non-elected candidates.

d. Both elected candidates and non-elected candidates didn't illustrate the difference between them in the process of Sub-district Administration Organization participation.

Comparative study between the elected and non-elected candidates for the Sub-district Administration Organization: motivation, willing to participate and understanding of the system.