

**ABSTRACT**

**Title of Research Paper** : The Attitude of People toward the Members of  
Parliament New Election System: A Case Study of  
Muang District, Ubonratchathani Province

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The study of "The Attitude of People toward the Members of Parliament New Election System: A Case Study of Muang District, Ubonratchathani Province" had the following objectives:

1. to study the attitude of people toward the Members of Parliament New Election System,
2. to study factors affecting attitude of people toward the Members of Parliament New Election System,
3. to use the research result as guideline to suggest the Members of Parliament New Election System.

The sample group consisted of 240 people in Muang District, Ubonratchathani Province. The data were collected by using questionnaires which were divided as follow: 1) general background, 2) the attitude of people toward the Members of Parliament New Election System and 3) suggestion. The statistics employed for data analysis were frequencies, percentage, mean, standard deviation, t-test and F-test.

## **Results**

1. Most sample were female, age between 26-35 years and marital status.

The numbers of sample in each group were equal as follow: youth, labor, agriculture, business owner, company employee, Government Official/ State Enterprise employee. Most received bachelor degree, also received the information from television and using their right in election.

2. They had good attitude toward the Members of Parliament New Election System. When considering in each part, it was found that their attitude toward the qualification of Parliament Members, the election committee and the election system were ranked respectively from high to low.

3. Factors affecting attitude toward the Members of Parliament New Election System were education level, income and information receiving. However, factors that did not affect the attitude toward the Members of Parliament New Election System were sex, age, marital status, occupation and using the right in election.