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The purpose of this research was to study the level of Readiness Preparation of the Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau for Entry into ASEAN Community and the factors which related to the above-Readiness Preparation of the Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau for Entry into ASEAN Community including to study problems and obstacles about Readiness Preparation of the Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau for Entry into ASEAN Community. The sample of this research composed of 230 persons of the Police education bureau. Questionnaire was used for collecting data, analysed by statistical package. Percentage, mean, Analysis of Variance and Multiple Classification Analysis. The level of statistical significance was set at .05

The results of this research found that personal factors, job factors and the awareness and knowledge about ASEAN Community were related to Readiness Preparation of the Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau for Entry into ASEAN Community. Most of the sample were female, aged 31-40 years, graduated a bachelor's degree or equivalent in Political Science or Public Administration including to be the Commissioned officer more than the Non-Commissioned officer. Responsibility for the education support, had the motivation to work at a high-level as well as feel secure in his position, at the present and in the future. Although personal factors were related to Readiness Preparation of the Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau for Entry into ASEAN Community, but there were just educational level and affiliated organizations related to the competency, the information perception and the participation for entry into ASEAN Community.

The Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau had high-level of the awareness and knowledge about ASEAN Community, but readiness preparation for entry into ASEAN Community were at the moderate level. The awareness and knowledge about ASEAN Community were related to Readiness Preparation of the Police Officers in the Police Education Bureau for Entry into ASEAN Community including the competency, the information perception and the participation for entry into ASEAN Community at .05 level of statistical significance.

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