

Thesis Title	Issue on Delegation of Authority of the National Health Security Office according to the National Health Security Act, B.E. 2545 (A.D. 2002)
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ABSTRACT

This thesis focused on main concepts, core principles and vital background relating to the administrative empowerment being performed public administration or managed public services for all Thai populations. Furthermore, this finding also surveyed the principle empowerment of NHSO in accordance with the NHSO Act B.E. 2545. It is interesting to note that the NHSO is a governmental agency, but they are not under control by any laws relating to the public administration. The National Health Security Board and the NHSO have powers and duties to establish laws, rules and orders in accordance with the NHSA B.E. 2545. The empowerment of NHSO is under control by the NHSA B.E. 2545 authorizing (governing) via their powers and does not govern by any public-administrative laws.

The finding determined that the empowerment of NHSO following the NHSA has had several issues, for example the empowerment resolution by committee delegate power particularly in individual or specific cases. The authorized receiver tends to give power to others to do their missionary work without any reports to the committee, who granted the authorization. Other issues are the empowerment without power or authorized law such as delegating to purchasing medicines, which the committee clearly has no power and perform illegally; moreover, the authorized receiver still get confused his or her powers and duties to act potentially. Acceding to the discretion sanction of NHSO' Secretary General, the delegate performs as the president of Director-General and punishes the governmental officer, who works other agency, with discipline punishment. Therefore, empowerment usage of delegate might not be as following the objective of law or acting without authorizations. It is able to lead to impacts on the

administrative management of the NHSO; in addition to, Thai populations can be engaged accessing public healthcare, which is the key NHSO's objection.

It is worth saying this thesis presents guidelines of the empowerment problem of the NHSO that should build up and develop empowerment orders at the present to its clear and precise in order to achieve the NHSO's objections successfully and perform the NHSO's workloads effectively.