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The objectives of this research were to study disclosure corporate governance of Thai listed companies based on Good Corporate Governance 2006 and to suggest guidelines to improve corporate governance of Thai listed companies to comply with Good Corporate Governance 2006.

The data of this research was collected from secondary data including annual reports and SEC Form 56-1 based on year 2005 of 341 listed companies. The frequencies, percentages, means are analyzed by using a descriptive statistic method.

The results of the study of the disclosure on Good Corporate Governance 2006 showed that listed companies had a total average score 61.75%, average score 75.71% by Good Governance 15 principles, average score 38.31% by Good Governance 2006 (additional) principles. When considered by business sector, resources (50.40%) ,technology (43.20%), consumer products (39.00%), property and construction (38.71%) , agro and food industry (37.32%) , industrials (35.89%) and services (35.31%) .When considered by 5 principles, the scores of all principles were lower than 50%. The lowest disclosure was the matter of chances for stakeholders to send questions before the meeting (2.35%) which is in the rights of stakeholder principle. Our suggestions are that, the government sector and private sector should be strongly promote to related parties in order to realize the importance of good corporate governance, set policies encouraging in corporate governance implementation for a better performance and distinctive results . These are to improve good corporate governance of listed companies in the SET in accordance with Good Corporate Governance 2006.

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