

MINISTERIAL REGULATION
PRESCRIBING LIST OF SPECIFIC GOODS AND RULES AND METHODS FOR USE OF SIMILAR
OR IDENTICAL GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION
B.E. 2547 (2004)[®]

By virtue of the provisions of section 4, section 28, paragraph one and section 29 of the Geographical Indication Protection Act B.E. 2546 (2003), which contains certain provisions in relation to the restriction of rights and liberties of a person, in respect of which section 29 in conjunction with section 50 of the Constitution of the Kingdom of Thailand, so permit by virtue of law, the Minister of Commerce hereby issues the Ministerial Regulation as follows:

Clause 1. The list of the following goods shall be specific goods:

- (1) Rice;
- (2) Silk;
- (3) Wine;
- (4) Liquor.

Clause 2. In case the specific goods under Clause 1 have geographical indication similar to or identical with the geographical indication of the specific goods having been registered or being registered but their geographical origins are different, the use of geographical indication subsequently requested for registration shall clearly specify the geographical origin and the country of manufacture in the Annex to the Geographical Indication.

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Clause 3. This Ministerial Regulation shall come into force as from the 28th day of April B.E. 2547 (2004).

Given on this 28th Day of April B.E. 2547 (2004)

Wattana Muangsuk

Minister of Commerce

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