

Unofficial Translation

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**Notification of the Bank of Thailand**

**No. 26/2569**

**Re: Announcement of the additional special holiday for financial institutions and specialized financial institutions in Bangkok**

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**1. Rationale**

On 19<sup>th</sup> May 2026, the Cabinet announced a special public holiday in Bangkok to facilitate travel and provide security for finance ministers and central bank governors from member countries attending the 2026 Annual Meetings of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group.

The Bank of Thailand has considered and deemed appropriate to declare an additional special holiday for financial institutions and specialized financial institutions in Bangkok to alleviate traffic congestion and ensure that the 2026 Annual Meetings of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group proceed smoothly and efficiently.

**2. Statutory Power**

By virtue of the provision of section 37 of Financial Institution Business Act B.E. 2551 (2008) and the amendments thereof, the Bank of Thailand hereby announces additional special holiday for financial institutions.

By virtue of the provision of section 120/1 of Financial Institution Business Act B.E. 2551 (2008) and the amendments thereof, the Bank of Thailand, as approved by the Minister of Finance, hereby announces additional special holiday for specialized financial institutions.

### **3. Scope of Application**

All financial institutions and specialized financial institutions under Financial Institution Business Act B.E. 2551 (2008).

### **4. Condition for the Special Holiday**

The Bank of Thailand announces Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2026 as an additional special holiday for financial institutions and specialized financial institutions in Bangkok for one day.

### **5. Effective Date**

This notification shall come into force as from the day following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette.

**Announced on 4<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

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