



Department of Livestock Development Announcement

Declaration of Intent and Policy on the Non-Acceptance of Gifts and Gratuities  
associated with the performance of Official Duties (No Gift Policy) of the Fiscal Year 2026

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The Department of Livestock Development (DLD) holds responsibility for policy formulation and strategic direction, supervision and regulation of the livestock sector, as well as the promotion of research, development, and technological advancement in livestock production. The Department of Livestock Development also manages genetic resources and biodiversity in the livestock sector to ensure an adequate supply of livestock that meets standards of hygiene, is disease-free and free from residues and contaminants, safe for consumers and the environment, and competitive at the international level.

In order to reinforce an organizational culture and values of integrity, uphold morality and ethics in the performance of duties, avoid conflicts of interest, and prevent corruption, The Department of Livestock Development hereby declares our Intent and Policy on the Non-Acceptance of Gifts and Gratuities from the Performance of Official Duties (No Gift Policy) for the Fiscal Year 2026 as follows:

1. Government Officials and personnel of The Department of Livestock Development shall refrain from accepting or giving gifts or gratuities of any kind during, before, or after performing their duties that may result in corruption or misconduct.
2. Government Officials and personnel of The Department of Livestock Development shall not seek or attempt to obtain any gifts, gratuities, or unlawful benefits, and shall perform their duties without expecting any form of reward or gift in return.
3. Expressions of congratulations, goodwill, hospitality, or condolences on various occasions, in accordance with customary practices, should be made through signing greeting cards, message books, condolence cards, or by using online social media platforms instead of presenting physical gifts.

4. Government Officials and personnel of The Department of Livestock Development have a duty to widely inform the public and related people of this policy.

This announcement is hereby made for acknowledgement and strict compliance by all concerned.

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