

The Biosafety Laws in Thailand and its Development



Biosafety



- ONEP has compiled data on the import-export of GMO related material and product.
- To considers and revises rules and regulation and looks into the enforcement of biosafety as basis for ***“The formulation of draft Biosafety Legislation of Thailand 2004-2005”***



- To consulted with relevant agencies to establish the ***National Focal Point*** and the ***Competent National Authority for the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety***



**The National Committee
on the Conservation and
Use of Biodiversity**

**Cabinet Approval
On 22 Jan 08**

**The Sub-Committee of
Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety**

**Special working group
of the council of the state**

**Public Hearing (4 times)
And Ad Hoc**

**The committee on Development
of Biosafety Laws**

On processes

**Working Group on Drafting
on Biosafety Laws**

Biosafety Laws
With 9 Chapters, 109 Articles

Draft Biosafety Act of Thailand

General Provision

1. Objectives & Rationale
2. Scope Art.
3. Definitions
4. National Biosafety Commission

Operation Provision

1. Import, Export and Transit of LMOs
2. Contained Use of LMOs
3. Field Experiment in confined area
4. Intentional Release of LMOs to the Envi.
5. Placing LMOs-FFP on the market
6. Suspension, Revoke and Cancellation of License
7. Handling, transport, relocation, storage, Packing and identification of LMOs
8. Emergency and Unintentional Release of LMOs to the environment
9. Public participation, disclosure and Concealment of Information

Supportive Provision

1. Biosafety Fund
2. Competent Officer
3. Appeal Procedure
4. Liability and Redress
5. Penalties
6. Transitory Provision