## **PREFACE**

The Core Economic and Social Indicators of Thailand 2010 is the second edition published by the National Statistical Office which combined both Core Economic and Core Social Indicators of Thailand. This report is continuously provided and improved both economic and social on vital data/indicators of Thailand. This report is divided the economic indicators into 2 sectors namely; Macro Economics and Competitiveness, and 5 social indicators sectors; Population and Housing, Labor Force, Education, Public Health, and Other Social Statistics. The details of data/indicators in this report are especially collected in each sector of data for executives, businessmen and all other users for monitoring and evaluating the situation in Thailand on the results of the economic and social indicators.

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