

Supervising of Professional Practice

Professional educators shall get a license to practice the profession and shall practice under the conditions stipulated in the Teachers and Educational Personnel Council Act B.E. 2546 which prescribes the supervision of professional practices as follows:

1. Practice of the profession without a License

- (1) Professional educators practicing without a License shall be subject to imprisonment not to exceed one year or a fine not to exceed Baht Twenty Thousand, or both;
- (2) Whoever expresses such intention to mislead others to think that he has the right to practice or that he is qualified to practice without a license from KHURUSAPHA ;
- (3) Educational institutions which accept those without a license to practice unless permission has been granted by KHURUSAPHA ;
- (4) Those whose license has been suspended from practicing but continue to practice in any manners to make others believe that he has the right to practice or is qualified to practice even during the license suspension.

To practice without a license to practice under (2), (3), and (4) shall be subject to imprisonment not to exceed three years or a fine not to exceed Baht Sixty Thousand, or both.

2. Decision on Unethical Practices of the Profession

If those with a license to practice commit unethical practices of the profession, those who are directly affected; those who are involved or those who are third parties shall be able to accuse or charge them through the filing of a petition with KHURUSAPHA as follows:

- (1) Those with damage shall have the right to accusation;
- (2) Teachers' Council of Thailand Board, Professional Standards Committee, or other third parties shall have the right to charge.

After KHURUSAPHA has received the petition on accusation or charge, the KHURUSAPHA Secretary General shall bring the matter to Professional Standards Committee to be processed to decide whether it is an unethical practice of the profession or not. The Committee has been authorized to handle the matter in one of the following manners: dismissal, warning, probation, suspension of the license not to exceed five years or revocation of the License. If the accused does not feel the accusation was just, they shall be able to appeal to the Teachers' Council of Thailand Board within 30 days of the date of the decision notification.