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**Announcement of the Food and Drug Administration**

**Re: To Prescribe Items of Plants or Parts of Plants used as Raw Materials for Herbal Tea**

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Considering of the Food and Drug Administration by an approval of the Food Committee to add items of plants or parts of plants permitted to use as raw materials for herbal tea.

By the virtue of provision of Clause 3 of the Notification of the Ministry of Public Health (No.280) B.E. 2547 (2004) Re : Herbal tea dated 4<sup>th</sup> June B.E.2547 (2004) which issued by the virtue of provisions of Section 5 and 6(3) (4) (5) (6) (7) and (10) of the Food Act B.E. 2522 (1979), in which contain provisions in relation to the restriction of Rights and Liberties of the Persons, in respect of which Section 29 and in conjunction with Section 33, Section 41, Section 43 and Section 45 of the constitution of the Kingdom of Thailand so permit by virtue of provisions of law, the Food and Drug Administration has announced as follows:

Clause1 Announcement of the Food and Drug Administration Re: Prescription of items of plants or parts of plants used as raw materials for herbal tea dated 15<sup>th</sup> November B.E. 2548 (2005) shall be repealed.

Clause 2 Plants and parts of plants as specified in annex of this announcement shall be used as raw materials in producing of herbal tea.

Clause 3 This announcement shall come into force as from the day following date of its publication in the Government Gazette onwards.

Announced on the 11<sup>th</sup> February B.E. 2553 (2010)

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**Note:** This English version of the notification is translated to meet the need of the non-Thai speaking people. In case of any discrepancy between the Thai original and the English translation, the former will take priority.

Annex of the Announcement of Food and Drug Administration  
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List of plants and parts of plants used as raw materials for herbal tea is as follows:

No.	Part	Common name	Scientific name
1.	Stevia leaves	Stevia	<i>Stevia rebaudiana Bertoni</i>
2.	Licorice roots	Licorice	<i>Glycyrrhiza glabra L.</i>
3.	Peduncle and leaves of Artichoke	Artichoke	<i>Cynara scolymus L.</i>

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