

Consumer Case Procedure Act

(No.3)

B.E. 2558

Bhumibol Adulyadej, Rex.

Given on December 4 B.E. 2558

Being the 70th year of the present reign

His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej is graciously pleased to proclaim that

It is deemed expedient to amend the law concerning the consumer case procedure.

Be it, therefore, enacted by the King, by and with the advice and consent of the National Legislative Assembly as follows:

Section 1 This act shall be called “Consumer Case Procedure Act (Issue 3) B.E. 2558”

Section 2 This act shall come into force from the day after the date of its publication in the Government Gazette.

Section 3 The provision in Paragraph 2 under Section 49 of the Consumer Case Procedure Act shall be repealed and replaced by the following:

“Subject to Section 51, the judgment or order of Consumer Case Division of the Appellate Court and the Consumer Case Division of the Regional Appellate Court shall be final.”

Section 4 The provision in Section 51 of the Consumer Case Procedure Act B.E. 2551 shall be repealed and replaced by the following:

“Section 51 In an appeal to the consumer case division of the Appellate Court, or the consumer case division of the Regional Appellate Court, the provisions of the Civil Procedure Code shall apply, mutatis mutandis”.

Section 5 Section 52, Section 53, and Section 54 of the Consumer Case Procedure Act B.E. 2551 shall be repealed.

Section 6 An appeal in a consumer case in which the consumer case division of the Appellate Court, or the consumer case division of the Regional Appellate Court issued the judgment or order before the date this Act comes into force, the law in force on the date before the date this Act comes into force shall apply until the proceedings of the case come to an end from the Supreme Court.

Section 7 The President of the Supreme Court shall have charge and control of the execution of this Act.

Countersigned

General Prayuth Chan-o-cha

Prime Minister

Remarks: - The reason for the enactment of this Act is that there have been amendments and improvements of the criteria of the appeal and the petition under Civil Procedure Code according to which a civil case shall be final at the Appellate Court and a case may be brought to Supreme Court only by permission from the Supreme Court. It is hereby suitable to amend and improve the criteria for the appeal and the petition in consumer cases, for greater consistency within the same system. Hence, it is necessary to enact this Act.