

## Abstract

The study on “Problems of the Office of the Permanent Secretary, The Prime Minister’s Office (OPS,PMO) in translating The Eighth National Economic and Social Development Plan (1997 - 2001) to operation plan” selects the framework and Theories on public policy policy coordination and management to study the administration of The PMO : lack of unity in supervision and variety of government agencies (government offices and state enterprices), inconformity of time in making The National Economic and Social Development Plan and the budget, inconformity of budgetary structure and strategic structure on country development, many ministers supervising many government agencies in The PMO, which affect the success and efficiency of plan translated to operation plan.

From the study, it is found that all of the problems. affect the success of plan translation to implementation. Besides, inappropriate structure and lack of enough qualified personnel also effect the capability of the organization

In this study, many recommendations are suggested to improve the implementation and slove the problems. Building the unity in supervision arranging the period in making the National Economic and Social Development Plan and action plans of the government agencies in the PMO in order to translate the National Economic and Social Development Plan to implementation in time, with efficiency and achieving the government policy, including suggesting the guidelines of plan translation to implementation for the next National Economic and Social Development Plan.