



DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATIVES

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Department of Agriculture

Vision

Mandates

DOA

□ **Vision**

Center of excellence in the field of crops research and development and a farm mechanization, in harmony with international standards and in adherence to the principles of natural resources conservation and environment protection

DOA

□ **Mandates**

- Enforcement of the six Regulatory Acts under the Department's jurisdiction; a law on
 - Plant Quarantine
 - Plant Variety Protection
 - Fertilizer
 - Plant Variety
 - Rubber Regulation
 - Toxic Substances

DOA

□ **Mandates**

- Conduct research and development studies on various agricultural disciplines concerning crops and farm mechanization.
- Provide services on the analysis, inspection, quality certification and advises on soil, water, fertilizer, crops, agricultural inputs production and products quality export promotion and other areas of concerns.

DOA

□ **Mandates**

- Transfer of agricultural technology to concerned government officials, farmers and the private sector.
- Implementation of urgent programs assigned to the Department of Agriculture by the Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives and the Cabinet Minister.



Thailand NPPO

Department of Agriculture, MOAC Thailand

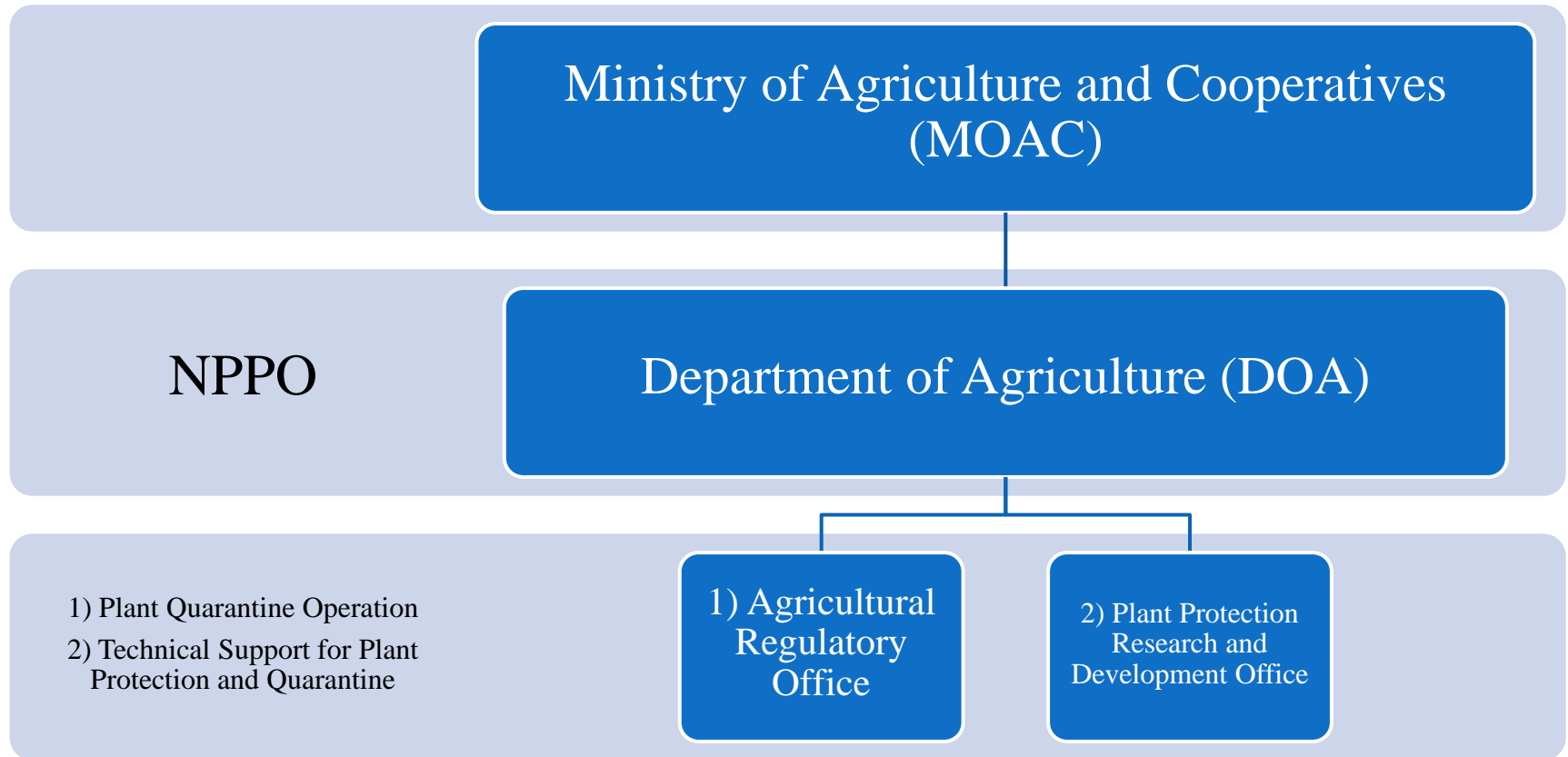
Thailand NPPO

- Thailand's phytosanitary measures have been implemented in compliance with the
 - Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (1964) amended by
 - Plant Quarantine Act (No. 2) B.E. 2542 (1999)
 - Plant Quarantine Act (No. 3) B.E. 2551 (2008)

Thailand NPPO

- Two core agencies of DOA are responsible for plant quarantine;
 - 1) Agricultural Regulatory Office
 - 2) Plant Protection Research and Development Office

Organization of NPPO Thailand



Agricultural Regulatory Office

- Responsible for
 - Regulate the import, export and movement of plants and plant products under Plant Quarantine Act
 - Provide services on importing and exporting agricultural products
 - There are 48 Plant Quarantine Stations throughout the countries

Plant Quarantine Stations

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- ❖ Port
- ❖ Airport
- ❖ Land border

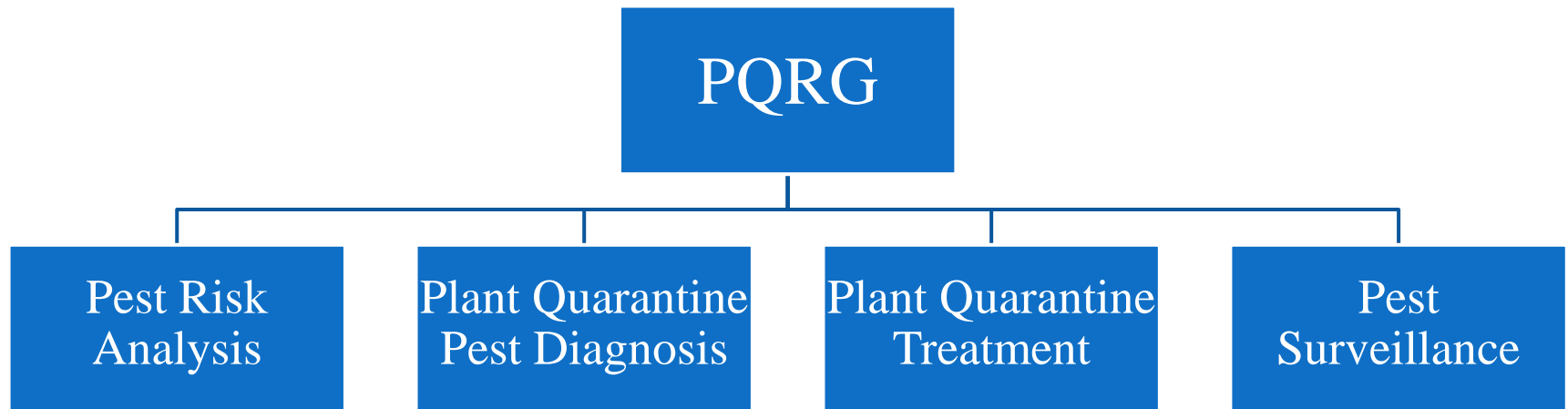
Plant Protection Research and Development Office

- Responsible for
 - Conduct research, study and survey on pests and diseases and recommends environmentally sound and effective control measures
 - Conduct pest risk analysis (PRA)
 - Stipulate phytosanitary requirements, restrictions and prohibitions on imported plants and plant products

Plant Protection Research and Development Office

- There are 5 groups as follows:
 - Entomology and Zoology Research Group
 - Plant Pathology Research Group
 - Weed Science Research Group
 - Plant Pest Management Research Group
 - Plant Quarantine Research Group

Plant Quarantine Research Group





Regulations

under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507

MOAC Notifications

- Re : Specification of plants and carriers from certain sources as **prohibited articles**, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 5) B.E. 2550
- Plants and carriers from any source listed with this notification are considered as prohibited articles.
 - e.g. fresh fruits, any part of rice, coconut, oil palm, cassava, corn

MOAC Notifications

- Re : Specification of plants from certain sources as **restricted articles**, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 B.E. 2550
- Plants from any source listed with this notification are considered as restricted articles .
 - e.g. vegetables

DOA Notifications

- Re : Criteria, procedures and conditions for the importation or bringing in transit of prohibited, restricted and unprohibited articles B.E. 2551
 - Part 1 Importation of prohibited articles for research purpose
 - **Part 2 Importation of prohibited articles for commercial purpose**
 - Part 3 Importation of prohibited articles for other purposes
 - **Part 4 Bringing in transit of prohibited articles**
 - **Part 5 Importation and bringing in transit of restricted and unprohibited articles**



Importation of prohibited articles

For commercial importation or bringing in transit, it specifies conditions for permission to import prohibited articles after the completion of pest risk analysis (PRA)

PRA

- NPPO of exporting country must submit a request in writing for import permission of prohibited articles to DG of the DOA at the following address:
 - ▣ Director-General
Department of Agriculture
50 Phaholyothin Road, Chatuchak
Bangkok 10900, THAILAND

[Notification of Department of Agriculture Re : Specifications, methods and conditions of pest risk analysis for the importation of prohibited articles]

PRA

- NPPO of exporting country must provide all information in English for PRA e.g.
 - ▣ Information about proposed export commodity to Thailand
 - ▣ Information about production and cultivation
 - ▣ Information about pests associated with proposed export commodity
 - ▣ Information about post-harvest management
 - ▣ Current phytosanitary certification procedures



Exportation

Phytosanitary Certificate

Phytosanitary Certificate for Re-Export

Health Certificate

DOA Notifications

- Re : Criteria, procedures and conditions for the request for and issuance of **phytosanitary certificate** and **phytosanitary certificate for re-export** B.E. 2551
- Re : Criteria, procedures and conditions for the request for and issuance of **phytosanitary certificate** and **phytosanitary certificate for re-export** (No. 2) B.E. 2553

DOA Notifications

- Re : Criteria, procedures and conditions for the request for and issuance of **health certificate B.E. 2552**
- to verify that a **specific controlled plant** is free from microorganisms or other articles which are harmful to human health, in compliance with the importing country requirements

Thai Durians



Department of Agriculture, MOAC Thailand

Thai Longans



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Thai Mangosteens



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Thai Mangoes



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THANK YOU



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