

August 25, 2020

Thai Enquirer Summary

Political News

- The Royal Thai Navy came out in full regalia to defend the procurement of the 22.5 billion baht price tag of 2 submarines from China.
 - ❖ Blaming the media and the political parties for using the procurement as a way to divide the nation, the Royal Thai Navy came out to blast those who were opposing the procurement.
 - Soon after these strong statements were made the social media was burning with comments criticizing the Royal Thai Navy.



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- ❖ Vice Admiral Talengsak Sirisawad, Naval Operations Department chief, said at a press conference yesterday (August 24) that the submarines were needed to protect Thai marine interests.
 - Talengsak said the Navy considered the purchase carefully and found it was beneficial for the economy and for national security.
- ❖ The planned purchase is part of a deal signed by the military-backed government of Prayut Chan-o-cha to buy 3 subs from China. The first submarine was purchased in 2017 and will be delivered in 2024.
 - ➤ Vice Admiral Tirakul Kanchana, the Navy's Comptroller-General, said the purchase of all 3 submarines will cost 36 billion baht. For the first sub, Thailand is paying over 13 billion baht in instalments between 2017 and 2023. The purchase of two additional submarines is part of this same deal, not a new procurement, he added.
- ❖ When asked by reporters if the procurement could be delayed due to the fact that the country needs the funds for fighting the Coronavirus pandemic and the economic impact, the Royal Thai Navy failed to answer the question and only saying that
 - "There is no penalty for delaying but that the entire negotiation has to be restarted all over again".
- Questions were raised in social media on these statement and political pundits have come out to question the value of Thailand leaning towards China if China can't even help the country in this small matter of postponing the procurement of the submarines especially during the economic crisis.

- Meanwhile Vice-Adm Prachachat Sirisawat, deputy chief-of-staff and Navy spokesman, slammed Pheu Thai MP Yutthapong Charassathien for his comment that the Navy's procurement contract is not a genuine government-to-government deal. Prachachat said Yutthapong tried to distort information and create divisiveness and hatred toward the Navy.
 - ❖ Earlier, Prachachat said Thais are supporting the purchase of 2 submarines, citing an opinion poll conducted by The Nation, a news agency often associated with the pro-establishment camp. The report by Nation said 71 per cent of the respondents supported the procurement.
 - During the day yesterday a new hashtag #People do not want submarines" became the number 1 trend on Twitter.
 - ❖ Mocking of the embattled Prime Minister Prayut Chan-o-cha became of the key sharing to a point that mainstream media took some of the video clip of Gen Prayut dancing in-front of the submarine
 - https://twitter.com/i/status/1297828447721414657
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- Meanwhile, Pheu Thai Party spokesman Anusorn Iamsa-ard said Pheu Thai strongly opposed the purchase deal and will continue to do so with the utmost of its ability. His party will attempt to block the purchase deal at the general debate without a vote, causing the Navy to back down on its plan, Anusorn said, warning that the criticism against the Navy would not just go viral on social media but people from the entire nation will take to the streets.
- On issue of protest
 - ❖ Yesterday one of the student activist Panupong 'Mike Rayong' Jaadnok, the 24year old was arrested once again when he showed up to confront Gen. Prayut who was visiting the 100 Pillar Market in Ban Phe in Rayong
 - ➤ Gen. Prayut is in Rayong to hold the mobile Cabinet meeting today
 - Arrested Mike was then transferred to a police station in Bangkok where small number of protestors showed up and kept a vigil all night
 - Today Mike Rayong is set to be taken to court for possible bail or imprisonment



Scene from the police state where Mike Rayong was being held late last night

• At the same time protest around the country continues and a powerful image from Chiang Mai has captured the minds of 10's of thousands of people on social media.



- ➤ Read the details of this story by clicking on
 - ✓ https://www.thaienquirer.com/17467/the-story-behind-that-picture-from-monday/
- There are reports that police have admitted that signal jamming devices were deployed at a recent anti-government rally in Bangkok, according to a leaked memo confirmed by police yesterday (August 24).
 - The internal police memo instructs three electronic countermeasures vehicles to be dispatched to the Democracy Monument on Sunday (August 23), close to where the protesters held a protest in front of the Bangkok City Hall.
 - ❖ Deputy metro police commander Somprasong Yenthuam, who signed the order, confirmed the letter was genuine, but said the equipment was not there to disrupt mobile phone signals as alleged by some protesters. Somprasong said in an interview that the devices deployed Sunday were solely for cutting off a signal

that could remotely detonate a bomb. He said the jammers were not activated throughout the protest.

- ❖ The revelation came a week after similar jamming equipment were seen at the large protest on Ratchadamnoen Avenue, which drew about 15,000 people. Although many complained of poor signal at the rally and suspected the authorities were involved, there was no evidence the police were responsible for the disruption.
- On the government side the government of Prayut has come out to say that it was looking to set up a committee of 200 people who will look into the possible amendment of the constitution.
 - ❖ The new committee will include representatives of the students will be represented for the first time in the Constitution Drafting Assembly (CDA) under a proposal by government whips, government chief whip Wirat Rattanaseth announced after a meeting of a working committee to design the structure of the assembly yesterday (August 24).
 - ❖ The government whips proposed that the assembly will consist of 200 members including 150 to be elected by the people plus 50 to be indirectly elected, namely 10 student representatives, 10 experts in law and political science and 30 from the parliament and other resourceful people.
 - Government coalition parties will discuss the structure of the CDA today (August 25) before their representatives meet with the whips.
 - ❖ The Senate and the House of Representatives are set for a meeting on the issue in September.
 - ❖ Separately, Wirat signalled that the opposition's request for a general debate without a vote under Section 152 may take place during September 9-10 before

the House is scheduled to table a 3.3-trillion-baht budget bill for the 2021 fiscal year during September 16-18.

- In a separate development, Sonthiya Sawasdee, former member of the Phalang Pracharat Party, filed a petition with the Constitutional Court to issue an injunction under statutory discretion power under Section 49 to halt anti-government rallies aimed at upending the country's democratic system under a constitutional monarchy.
 - Sonthiya said he had to petition the court directly after his petition to the Office of the Attorney General (OAG) fails to respond to his petition submitted since July 30.
- Tipanan Sirichana, a Phalang Pracharat Party (PPRP) deputy spokesperson, came out to demand Kao Klai (Move Forward) Party leader Pita Limjaroenrat to push his MP for posting a message on social media telling netizens to search for Prime Minister Gen Prayut Chan-o-cha's 2 daughters.
 - ❖ Tipanan said Move Forward list MP Amarat Chokepamitkul's post on Tweeter urging the public to search for Gen Prayut's 2 daughters is inappropriate and infringed of Gen Prayut's personal rights.
 - A new hashtag "#Searching for Gen Prayut's daughters. It is your daughters' turn" is the number 1 trend on Twitter yesterday (August 24).
- Fissures between national police chief Pol Gen Chakthip Chaijinda and his deputy national police chief Pol Gen Wirachai Songmetta keep widening Conflicts after the latter is said to file a lawsuit with the Central Criminal Court for Corruption and Misconduct Cases against the former yesterday (August 24).

- ❖ Pol Gen Wirachai filed a lawsuit with the court against the national police chief for negligence of duty, causing damage to others under Section 157 of the Criminal Code.
- ❖ Pol Gen Wirachai, now the plaintiff, alleged Pol Gen Chakthip, now the defendant, of using his power to make a sudden transfer of him in an attempt to block his chance of succeeding Pol Gen Chakthip as police chief later this year. The transfer order stemmed from the drive-by shooting of the car belonging to former immigration police chief Surachate Hakparn in Bangkok's Bang Rak district on January 6. Pol Gen Chakthip was away on an overseas trip and it was Pol Gen Wirachai, then acting police chief, who rushed to examine the scene.
- The tension between the 2 police top brass came to a head when a recording of a confidential phone conversation between Pol Gen Chakthip and Pol Gen Wirachai was leaked. The national police chief was heard warning his subordinate and mentioning a person named "Joke". He was also heard saying that a police general should not take orders from a police lieutenant general, and that Pol Gen Wirachai should not do anything that would put his integrity in jeopardy. Pol Gen Wirachai now denied that the phone conversation between him and the police chief should be deemed confidential.
- ❖ What to follow next is the result of Pol Gen Wirachai's lawsuit against his superior as the court has set September 8 for a hearing to decide whether to accept the case.

Economic News

- Industry Minister Suriya Jungrungreangkit said he would propose a tax cut among other tax incentives for new car buyers to a mobile cabinet meeting in Rayong and Chanthaburi during August 24-25.
 - ❖ The Industry Minister's move is part of the ministry's measures to maintain Thailand's status as a major car production base post COVID-19 and stimulate car sales. Suriya is confident that a slew of tax incentives would help a gradual recovery of the auto industry in 2021.
 - ❖ Suriya has visited Mitsubishi Motors Thailand's production plant in Lamchabung Industrial Estate as the company has plan to produce plug-in hybrids in Thailand starting in early 2021, the automaker's first foray into producing the environmentally friendly vehicles outside Japan.
 - ❖ Mitsubishi Motors Thailand remains committed to a 20-billion-baht investment in the country next year, as the Japanese automaker stressed it will not retreat from Thailand, rather shifting gears for global electric vehicle (EV) exports.
- Thailand's exports declined 11.37 per cent year-on-year (YoY) to US\$18.819 billion in July, with the U.S. shipments jumping, while most markets remained under pressure from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Commerce reported.
 - The ministry still expects exports to fall by 8-9 per cent this year or around \$220 billion given that Thai exports surpass \$18 billion per month, Pimchanok Vonkorpon, head of the ministry's Trade Policy and Strategy Office, told a briefing.
 - ❖ Shipments of cars and auto parts declined 30.9 per cent in July from a year earlier after June's 43.2 per cent plunge. Gold exports rose 37 per cent YoY after a 86 per cent fall in the previous month.

- ❖ Exports to most markets were lower in July, with ones to China down 2.7% year-on-year, but those to the United States jumped 17.8%, helped by electronics and rubber products, the ministry said. A rise in exports to the United States, accounting for 14.5% of the total in January-July,
 - "Overall exports recovered with a check-mark shape. We are hoping there will not be more lockdowns in other countries which will disrupt trade," she said.
- Talks about a economic tsunami happening seems ever so clearer
 - ❖ Financial institutions have been witnessing a sharp increase in non-performing loans and they have seen a sharp decline in their profits as they have had to reserve a lot of the funds for possible bad loans.
 - ➤ This despite the fact that during the 2nd quarter the Bank of Thailand had given companies and people to freeze their debts until October 2020.



- The banks saw their profits decline for Q2 2020
- ➤ While they raised the reserves sharply during the period for possible bad loans

- This had led to talks of possible fall of 3 commercial banks, the Deposit Protection Agency (DPA) chief came out to deny the rumour, reassuring 80.82 million Thai depositors that the financial position of all local commercial banks remains strong.
 - ❖ President Songpol Chevapanyaroj said 80.82 million depositors as of June this year with financial institutions protected by DPA.
 - ❖ The DPA has a total fund amounting to 129 billion baht which is sufficient to protect all depositors whose accounts are up to 5 million baht per account.
 - ❖ He guaranteed that depositors will be protected and paid off within 30 days after closures of financial institutions.
 - ❖ The combined amount of protected deposits stood at 14.67 million baht, up by 8.12 per cent from the end of last year. The increment was the highest in 12 years since the DPA foundation in 2008. Of all depositors, 98 per cent were small ones, each of whom saved up to 1 million baht.
 - ❖ Mr Songpol said that normally deposits had grown about 4-6% annually.
- Krung Thai Bank (KTB) is set to debut a second batch of government saving bonds (Mung Kung Bonds) worth 5 billion baht to the public via KTB's e-wallet system starting from 8.30 hrs today (August 25) to September 11, 2020, KTB President Payong Srivanich announced.
 - ❖ The 4-year bonds carry a coupon rate of 1.7 per cent interest annually, with a semi-annual interest payment.
 - The minimum subscription is set at 100 baht per investor, with investment capped at 5 million baht.

- SET-listed Energy Absolute (EA) announced plans to allot a combined budget of 300 billion baht to fund the development of 50GWh in lithium-ion batteries for energy storage and a hydropower plant project.
 - ❖ EA chief executive Somphote Ahunai said the company is seeking partners in the country and overseas to join the 2 investment plans.
 - ❖ EA expects its revenue to grow by 30 per cent in 2021 driven by its electric-vehicle and boat venture and lithium-ion battery production line as well as production of phase change materials (PCMs) from biofuels.
- Dividend outlays that are to happen in the next few days
 - Companies are continuing to pay dividends and below are the list of possible XD dates for companies that are going to pay dividends soon.

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	SYNEX	XD	0.14	DDD	XD	0.140	SEAFCO	XD	0.04
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General News

- Thailand recorded 2 new COVID-19 cases in the past 24 hours including 1 Qatari man one Qatari man in hospital for cancer treatment and a Thai student in state quarantine, according to the Centre for Covid-19 Situation Administration (CCSA).
 - ❖ The first case is a 71-year old Qatari man flew into Bangkok on August 22 and entered hospital quarantine for treatment of liver cancer. He also tested positive for COVID-19.

- ❖ The second case is a 35-year old Thai student who arrived from India on August 8 and entered state quarantine in Bangkok. He tested positive for the virus on August 22.
- ❖ Cumulative infections in Thailand, to date, are 3,397, with 3,222 recoveries and 58 deaths. 117 others are still being treated in hospital.

Political News Headlines in Thai Media

- The Thai government has arrested another leader of the pro-democracy movement on Monday.
 - o Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17458/mike-rayong-arrested-for-thammasat-rally-after-showing-up-to-confront-prime-minister-prayut-in-rayong/
- Debate over Thailand's procurement of Chinese submarines have dominated social media and traditional media over the past several days in Thailand as society questions the wisdom of purchasing costly military equipment at a time when the country is facing its worst ever economic contraction.
 - Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17417/analysis-does-thailand-need-a-submarine-force/
- The tropical storms and floods that began in August continues to cause devastation throughout the north and northeastern region of Thailand and have already affected thousands of lives and households.
 - o Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17437/thailands-north-and-northeastern-region-continue-to-battle-severe-tropical-storms-and-flooding/
- When Yingluck fled the country, there was an online campaign to find her son since he did not leave the country with her.
 - o Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17431/opinion-when-it-comes-to-political-conflict-stay-classy-and-leave-the-children-out-of-it/

- Facebook on Monday blocked access within Thailand to a group with 1 million members that discusses His Majesty the King, after the government threatened legal action over failure to take down content deemed defamatory to the monarchy.
 - o Link- <u>https://www.bangkokpost.com/thailand/politics/1974111/facebook-blocks-group-of-1m-critical-of-monarchy-amid-govt-pressure</u>
- Student groups have demanded the Education Ministry deal with teachers bullying students who express their political stance while at school.
 - Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/thailand/politics/1973775/students-accuse-teachers-of-intimidation
- The government-sponsored motion seeking constitutional amendments is taking shape and will be ready for submission to House Speaker Chuan Leekpai next week, according to chief government whip and Palang Pracharath Party (PPRP) MP, Wirach Ratanasate.
 - Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/thailand/politics/1973747/govt-talks-up-charter-change
- The Department of Health Service Support will ask the Centre for Covid-19 Situation Administration (CCSA) to approve its "villa quarantine" scheme, which would allow international tourists wishing to indulge in spa and other wellbeing treatments at certified hotels to visit Thailand.
 - o Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/thailand/general/1973787/department-of-health-service-support-plans-villa-quarantine
- Famous transgender TV personality Ornapa "Ma" Krisadee is facing a boycott from prodemocratic netizens for posting insulting comments about student protesters on Instagram.
 - o Linkhttps://www.nationthailand.com/news/30393438?utm_source=category&utm_mediu_m=internal_referral
- Police in Yasothon province insisted on Sunday (August 23) that they did not threaten the parents of a kindergartner, who held her hand up in an anti-government three-finger salute at school.
 - Link-<u>https://www.nationthailand.com/news/30393425?utm_source=category&utm_medium=internal_referral</u>

Economic News Headlines in Thai Media

- Domestic car sales and the export of vehicles have improved over the past three months, industry's experts said.
 - o Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17455/domestic-car-sales-improve-over-the-past-three-months-but-exports-recovery-is-still-marginal-experts-said/
- The share prices of Kasikorn Bank and Siam Commercial Bank drop slightly on Monday morning due to rumors of the possible collapse of commercial banks in Thailand.
 - o Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17450/kbank-and-scb-shares-drop-slightly-as-bankruptcy-rumor-offset-by-bot/
- Export value contracted by 11.37 per cent year-on-year in July, compared to the 23 per cent drop in June, the Ministry of Commerce said on Monday.
 - o Link- https://www.thaienquirer.com/17444/exports-contract-at-a-much-lower-rate-in-july-a-sign-of-gradual-recovery-the-ministry-of-commerce-said/
- Now that all three driverless trains for the BTS Gold Light Rail Line have been delivered, trials on the 1.8-kilometre route will begin immediately before the service is officially launched on October 29.
 - Link-https://www.nationthailand.com/news/30393430?utm_source=category&utm_mediu_m=internal_referral
- Revenue collection for fiscal 2021 warrants concern because of the pass-through effect from this year's economic slowdown, says the Revenue Department.
 - o Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1973887/revenue-poised-to-diminish
- Hong Kong has restarted discussions with Japan, Thailand and a handful of other countries over setting up travel bubbles, commerce chief Edward Yau said on Monday, given a mutually recognised coronavirus testing mechanism is established.
 - Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1974115/hong-kong-in-travel-bubble-talks-with-japan-thailand

- Local banks do not need capital increases thanks to a solid base, with the industry not expecting to beef up capital reserves for two years.
 - o Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1973883/banks-capital-buffers-deemed-sufficient
- The opening of a new 196-kilometre intercity motorway project worth 84.6 billion baht linking Ayutthaya's Bang Pa-in district and Nakhon Ratchasima will face delays as some sections will be subject to design changes to avoid encroaching on forest reserves, a senior transport official said yesterday.
 - o Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1973831/new-tollway-hits-speed-bump
- B.Grimm Power Plc, Thailand's top private power generation firm by capacity, continues
 to expand its domain in renewable energy and liquefied natural gas (LNG) businesses as
 cleaner energy is becoming a new global trend.
 - Linkrenewables-lng
 https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1974043/b-grimm-looks-torenewables-lng
- Industry Minister Suriya Jungrungreangkit plans to ask the cabinet to approve a 12-billion-baht Smart Park industrial estate as well new measures to stimulate car sales after the pandemic dies down.
 - Link- <u>ahead</u>

 https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1973851/smart-park-being-propelled-ahead
- The Mass Rapid Transit Authority of Thailand (MRTA) plans to invest around Bt35 billion for the first phase of its tram project in Phuket province.
 - Link-https://www.nationthailand.com/news/30393454?utm_source=category&utm_medium=internal_referral
- Tourist arrivals and spending saw a year-on-year slide of about 70% in the first seven months, data showed on Monday, as a fourth month of border closures aimed at keeping out Covid-19 took a bite out of its struggling economy.
 - o Link- https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/1974119/tourist-arrivals-tumble-71-year-on-year-in-jan-july-amid-outbreak

Issues to be watched out for

- ➤ August 28, 2020 Mobile cabinet meeting is scheduled in Rayong and Chanthaburi provinces.
- ➤ August 29, 2020 The deadline for farmers to return the banned agri-chemicals, paraquat and chlorpyrifos, in their possession to sellers.
- August 31, 2020 The government is expected to lift lockdown restrictions imposed under the emergency decree.
- ➤ September, 2020 The 3.3-trillion-baht budget for Fiscal Year 2021 proposed by the government is expected to sail through parliament.
- ➤ September, 2020 The Joint Standing Committee on Commerce, Industry and Banking (JSCCIB) is planning to hire a consultancy to conduct an in-depth analysis on pros and cons of the highly controversial Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP) in a bid to renew its call for the government to join the pact next year.
- ➤ September 2020 Recruitment of new board members of the National Broadcasting and Telecommunication Commission (NBTC) is set to kick off.
- ➤ September 21, 2020 The National Economic and Social Development Council (NESDC, formerly known as the National Economic and Social Development Board or NESDB) is to revise the 20-year national strategy at an annual meeting to respond to the COVID-19 crisis.
- ➤ September 30, 2020 The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET) is set to extend the revised equity short-selling regulations from June 30 to September 30 as stock market volatility remains high in the wake of the Covid-19 pandemic.
- October, 2020 The bidding for construction and operation for the 140-billion-baht Orange Line western extension linking the Thailand Cultural Centre with Bang Khun Non.
- ➤ October, 2020 The Thailand Grand Prix was rescheduled after being postponed due to the coronavirus outbreak.
- ➤ October 27, 2020 The Central Bankruptcy Court is set for first hearings for Nok Airlines regarding the rehabilitation process.

Key Data

SET Index 1,317.11 +17.85

• Link - https://www.set.or.th/en/company/ipo/upcoming_ipo_set.html

Global Commodities

- ➤ Metal -Link http://www.bloomberg.com/markets/commodities/futures/metals/
- Energy -Link http://www.bloomberg.com/energy/
- ➤ Baltic Dry Index (BDI)-Link http://www.bloomberg.com/quote/BDIY:IND

Global Equity Market's Movements

Link - http://www.bloomberg.com/markets/stocks/world-indexes/asia-pacific/

Asian Equity Markets Movement

Link - http://www.bloomberg.com/markets/stocks/world-indexes/

Information on August 24, 2020

Buying, Selling or Transfer of shares by Owners/Management

Stock Code	Volume	Value	Action
AIMCG	3,000	6.4	Purchase
CCET	882,600	1.85	Purchase
CNT	500,000	1.28	Purchase
CNT	500,000	1.29	Purchase
CHG	100,000	2.64	Sale
CHG	50,000	2.68	Sale
CMO	222,500	0.89	Sale
DDD	10,000	15.2	Purchase
EASON	35,000	1.09	Purchase

HANA	20,000	43.5	Sale
HFT	57,500	3.24	Purchase
HFT	142,500	3.26	Purchase
HFT	50,000	3.26	Purchase
HFT	50,000	3.26	Purchase
HFT	50,000	3.26	Purchase
HFT	50,000	3.26	Purchase
IIG	81,900	13.31	Sale
MBAX	50,000	6.1	Sale
MBAX	109,500	6.13	Sale
OSP	1,500,000	39.67	Purchase
PLANET	20,000	1.01	Purchase
PR9	32,700	6.45	Sale
PR9	50,000	6.4	Sale
PR9	37,300	6.55	Sale
PSH	100,000	11.55	Purchase
SALEE	200,000	0.62	Purchase
SELIC	130,000	1.88	Purchase
SICT	100,000	4	Sale
STGT	250,000	-	Transfer
SFLEX	65,600	11.84	Sale
TU	100,000	14.5	Sale
TASCO	350,000	24.04	Sale
UKEM	15,035,778	0.59	Transfer

XD, XE or XM or other notifications

For list of Companies that have dividend payment and AGM meeting schedules click on http://www.set.or.th/set/calendarofevents.do

Trading Breakdown on the Stock Exchange of Thailand

Daily as of 24 Aug 2020								
Unit: M.Bah								
Investor Type	Buy		Sell		Net			
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%		
Local Institutions	5,418.62	9.49	3,901.40	6.84	1,517.22	-		
Proprietary	6,559.39	11.49	5,827.34	10.21	732.04	-		

Trading									
Foreign Investors	20,547.75	36	20,674.24	36.22	-126.49	-			
Local Individuals	24,552.47	43.02	26,675.25	46.73	-2,122.78	-			
Monthly Cumulative between 1 - 24 Aug 2020									
					Unit:	M.Baht			
Investor Type	Buy		Sell		Net				
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%			
Local Institutions	87,490.13	10.68	85,447.55	10.43	2,042.58	-			
Proprietary Trading	93,269.16	11.38	93,586.88	11.42	-317.72				
Foreign Investors	286,069.70	34.92	300,148.50	36.63	-14,078.80				
Local Individuals	352,484.03	43.02	340,130.09	41.51	12,353.94	-			
Yearly Cumulative since 1 Jan - 24 Aug 2020									
Unit: M.Bał									
Investor Type	Buy		Sell		Net				
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%			
Local Institutions	1,156,370.20	11.1	1,084,855.24	10.41	71,514.96	-			
Proprietary Trading	1,061,451.97	10.19	1,060,750.12	10.18	701.85	-			
Foreign Investors	3,645,196.00	34.99	3,886,098.34	37.31	- 240,902.34	-			
Local Individuals	4,553,583.60	43.71	4,384,898.08	42.1	168,685.52	-			

Total Trading Value 57,078.23 Million Baht

Background Information –

The strength of each party in the Thai Parliament as of May 8, 2019 as per the report by the Election Commission of Thailand. Elections took place on March 24, 2019

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