

Provincial Decrees in 5 Southern Provinces (Summary in English)

Phuket

- Migrant workers are prohibited to leave or stay out of their residences after 8.00 p.m. If they have to work in the night time or in case of emergency they need to be under the close control of their employers
- Undocumented migrant workers (migrant workers without work permit) are prohibited to work in the province. The employers are prohibited to employ undocumented migrant workers to work for and prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers to work for their business or enterprises.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to work beyond what is specified in their work permit and employers are prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers or to work beyond the specified job stated in their work permits.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to ride or possess motorcycles or cars and the owner of those vehicles (motorcycle or cars) are prohibited to allow migrant workers to ride their vehicles.
- According to the Provincial Security Policy, migrant workers are prohibited to use or possess the mobile phone. If it is necessary for migrant workers to have mobile phone, the employers must list all the name of the users (migrant workers), mobile phone number, full name and SIM card number of the owner and submit to the Province.
- The association or gathering of more than 5 persons outside the residences, for any activities that might harm other people's lives and property, are prohibited for migrant workers. If any migrant workers need to perform any activities, their employers must issue the certify documents and submit in writing the detail of names of those migrant workers, ID number, date, time and venue of activities to the Province.

Suratthani

- Migrant workers are prohibited to leave or stay out of their residences after 9.00 p.m. If they have to work in the night time or in case of emergency they need to be under the close control of their employers
- Migrant workers are prohibited to ride or possess motorcycles or cars and the owner of those vehicles (motorcycle or cars) are prohibited to allow migrant workers to ride their vehicles.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to possess their own mobile phone since it is not the tool for work but for fast communication that might affected the National Security.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to associate or gather for the activities that are not for the purpose of their religious, tradition or custom.
- Employers are prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers or to work beyond the specified job stated in their work permits.
- Migrant worker may be allowed to go out the province where they are working and living in for:
 - a. Being witness at the court or going the police station as requested or ordered by the official authorities;
 - b. Sickness that need to go out of the province according to the doctor certification; or
 - c. Getting the permission from local authorities to move, change or cross the working provincial area.

Ranong

- Migrant workers and their dependents are prohibited to leave or stay out of their residence between 10.00p.m.-06.00 a.m. If they have to work in the night time or in case of emergency they need to be under the close control of their employers-
- Undocumented migrant workers (migrant workers without work permit) are prohibited to work in the province. The employers are prohibited to employ undocumented migrant

workers to work for and prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers to work for their business or enterprises.

- Migrant workers are prohibited to work beyond what is specified in their work permit and employers are prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers or to work beyond the specified job stated in their work permits.
- The association or gathering of more than 5 persons outside the residences, for any activities that might harm other people's lives and property, are prohibited for migrant workers. If any migrant workers need to perform any activities, their employers must issue the certify documents and submit in writing the detail of names of those migrant workers, ID number, date, time and venue of activities to the Province.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to use or possess a mobile phone. If it is necessary for migrant workers to have mobile phone, the employers must list all the name of the users (migrant workers), mobile phone number, full name and SIM card number of the owner and submit to the Province.
- To move or mobilize migrant workers within the province for the purpose of the work need to get the permission from the employment bureau of province before moving.

Rayong

- Migrant workers and their dependents are prohibited to leave or stay out of their residence after 9.00 p.m. If they have to work in the night time or in case of emergency they need to be under the close control of their employers-
- Migrant workers are prohibited to ride or possess motorcycles or cars and the owner of those vehicles (motorcycle or cars) are prohibited to allow migrant workers to ride their vehicles.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to possess their own mobile phone since it is not a tool for work but for fast communication that might affected the National Security.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to associate or gather for the activities that are not for the purpose of their religious, tradition or custom.
- The employers are prohibited to employ undocumented migrant workers to work for and prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers to work for their business or enterprises.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to work beyond specify in their work permit and employers are prohibited to employ migrant workers that are not their direct workers or to work beyond the specify job stated in their work permits.
- Migrant worker may be allowed to go out the province where they are working and living in for:
 - a. Being witness at the court or going the police station as requested or ordered by the official authorities;
 - b. Sickness that requires to go out of the province according to the doctor certification;or
 - c. Getting the permission from local authorities to move, change or cross the working provincial area.

Phang-Nga

- Migrant workers and their dependents are prohibited to leave or stay out of their residence between 08.00 p.m.-06.00 a.m. If they have to work in the night time or in case of emergency they need to be under the close control of their employers-
- To move or mobilize migrant workers within or outside the province for the purpose of the work need to get the permission from the employment bureau of province before moving.
- Migrant workers are prohibited to ride or possess motorcycles or cars and the owner of those vehicles (motorcycle or cars) are prohibited to allow migrant workers to ride their vehicles.

- Migrant workers are prohibited to possess their own mobile phone since it is not a tool for work but for fast communication that might affected the National Security.
- The association or gathering of more than 5 persons outside the residences, for any activities that might harm other people's lives and property, are prohibited for migrant workers. If any migrant workers need to perform any activities, their employers must issue the certify documents and submit in writing the detail of names of those migrant workers, ID number, date, time and venue of activities to the Province prior 7 days before the activity date.

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