



Participating in the JFCCT SME Committee

Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) are a majority population in every economy. Foreign SMEs in Thailand are a large part of JFCCT's members that contribute to Thai economy as well as Thai SMEs. JFCCT SME Committee is trying to improve the ecosystem to draw attention from foreign SMEs to consider to start their business in Thailand and to support the existing foreign SMEs business.

Objectives of SME Committee

- To provide update information in regard to new legislation and framework/initiative which may affect members' business or be opportunities to improve members' business or be a catalyst for members' business;
- To be a platform for members to voice their opinion, complaint, challenge, difficulty to do business in Thailand and to rectify those issues to relevant governmental agencies;
- To promote the collaboration between Thai and foreign SMEs to trade goods and services between each other.

Meetings

- Regularly ninety-minute monthly meeting on the second Thursday of the month, except July and December, in total ten times per year. The current meeting arrangement is via Zoom.us only;
- External meeting with the relevant governmental agencies and other business associations to drive the committee agenda and to address concerns and recommendation; and
- Seminar on relevant topic upon the members' interest.

Scopes

The discussion in the committee relates to the following topics: Taxation, Banking, Sources of Finance, Macro Economics, Capital Market, Social Securities, Employee Welfares, Startup and Entrepreneurship, Social Enterprise, Foreign Inclusion, ASEAN SMEs, Regulatory Burden, and other topics upon the interest of the committee members.

Information

The committee delivers committee report through the monthly Presidents' Council meeting in oral and in two-page A4 format for JFCCT members to distribute and to share to their chamber members as appropriate. The committee also contributes suggestions and recommendations in JFCCT policy paper, and written update on urgent or occasional topics upon the JFCCT members' interest.

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