Thesis title: Administrative Information Use by Phetchaburi Rajabhat University

Administrators

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ABSTRACT

The objectives of this research were (1) to study administrative information used by

Phetchaburi Rajabhat University administrators, (2) to study the need of administrative

information by Phetchaburi Rajabhat University administrators, and (3) to compare administrative

information used and needed by Phetchaburi Rajabhat University administrators.

All one-hundred and thirty-one Phetchaburi Rajabhat University administrators

completed self-administered questionnaires. Statistics used for data analysis were percentage,

mean, standard deviation, t-test and one-way analysis of variance (ANOVA).

Research findings were: 1) No significant differences in administrative information

use existed among Phetchaburi Rajabhat University administrators based on gender, age, levels of

education, academic positions, and administrative positions. However, administrators with a

greater or lesser duration of administrative office were found to use information significantly

differently (p < .01). 2) No significant differences in administrative information need existed

among the administrators based upon gender, age, levels of education, and academic positions.

However, administrators with varying years of administrative office and administrative positions

were found to report significantly different information need (p < .05). (3) Results also revealed

information used and needed by administrators were significantly different (p < .01). They were

found to use information at a moderate level while expressing a high level of information need.

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