

Prof. Kovit Puang-ngam, Member of the House of Representatives, Thai Local Power Party, made a statement on the continued increasing of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) outbreak

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On Tuesday 27th July 2021, at 10.30 hrs., at the interviewing area, 1st floor, Parliament Building, Prof. Kovit Puang-ngam, Member of the House of Representatives, Thai Local Power Party, made a statement on the continued increasing of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) outbreak because the government has centralized the administrative power at the Center for COVID-19 Situation Administration (CCSA). Therefore, he proposed the government to utilize three pillars of the villages and the sub-districts, as the preventive and restrained fundament of the COVID-19 spread, comprised of:

1. Village health volunteers and sub-district health promoting hospitals;
2. Local Administrative Organizations;
3. Sub-district Headmen and Village Headmen, those have to integrate the cooperation for detecting and screening the household members and communities to stop the outbreak as follows:
 - (1) Provide the active case finding for all households to find infected people;
 - (2) Survey of vaccinated people in villages;

(3) Screen all of the households in all villages and monitor the persons who return to their hometowns;

(4) Separate the patients by home isolation and sub-district health promoting hospitals, the Local Administrative Organizations and school utilization for setting up the field hospitals or waiting point areas, for those who infected with severe symptoms and would be transferred to provincial and private hospitals;

(5) Survey the households, individuals and village establishments, which are affected and in trouble, in order to propose the problems to the provinces and the government to heal the target groups.

In addition, the government must allocate the budget in the amount of 76,000 million baht, to 76 provinces and 7,850 local organizations, to manage the total budget in the amount of 157,000 million baht, for the provinces and the locals, as follows:

(1) To help and heal the persons who are affected and in trouble for villages isolation;

(2) To provide the COVID-19 screening test kits and medical kits;

(3) To manipulate the field hospitals' operational expenses and miscellaneous expenses.

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