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Official Control of Private Students' Hostels

The lives of all students are considered to be extremely valuable to the future prosperity of a country. Therefore, we naturally hope to see them successful in their pursuit of educational studies. Aside from the cooperation and assistance of various educational institutions, their success also depends, to a large extent, on a corresponding factor, that is a suitable lodging for each student. We believe that the best lodging for a student is at home, where he has practically everything he needs. However, it is difficult to have all students living in their own home, especially in the Bangkok and Dhonburi area where there are many students arriving every year from the provinces. The lack of lodgings for students has become a serious problem. However, one solution to this pressing problem is the establishment of students' hostels, which could be undertaken by various educational institutions or by certain government departments. However, students' hostels of this type operate within the limited scope of their own immediate purpose, and cannot manage to be of general service. Another type of students hostels which is most interesting is that of hostels for students run by private citizens. A study into this reveals that this type of private students' hostels has been established and in operation for years without intervention. Later on, the authority finally reaches out a hand in an attempt to control the hostels and to guarantee the improvement in the well-beings of the students in lodgings. Towards this purpose, the authority has passed a legal statute to provide the necessary measures for the supervision of the private students' hostels. Evidences turned up in the study of this problem show clearly that the aforementioned attempt has not been as successful as it should be. Expansion and improvement of the hostels, both in quantity and in quality, are at the minimum. The authority is not able to impose a thorough supervision over all hostels. We cannot yet say that sufficient measures of controlment are in existence to provide greater protection for the welfare of the numerous students now residing in various private students' hostels.

A thorough study of this problem should greatly benefit the authority concerned in the consideration of new measures for the planning and improvement of the control methods so as to promote greater efficiency in this type of private enterprises.

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