“ThaiFightCOVID” Introduces “Card2U” App that Features Latest Updates on COVID-19 Situation, Now Available to Download





Bangkok, April 6, 2020–“ThaiFightCOVID” by the Digital Economy and Society (MDES) Ministry launched the new “Card2U” application that will serve as a comprehensive platform featuring all latest updates on the spread of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19). It is now available to download for Android and iOS.

Digital Economy and Society (MDES) Minister Buddhipongse Punnakanta said the Digital Economy Promotion Agency or depa that developed the “ThaiFightCOVID” platform introduced the “Card2U” mobile application that gathers all information about the pandemic of the COVID-19 at the global scale and the virus outbreak situation in Thailand. Now, the latest updates on COVID-19 are ready to deliver to your handsets.

“The “Card2U” app is created in collaboration between the depa, Ecartstudio, the provider of digital card services on mobile phone and a Thai digital startup firm that received investment incentives and promotions from the depa, and IBM Thailand. The “Card2U” app made its debut March 20, it is further developed from the website “ThaiFightCOVID.depa.or.th” The app serves as an all-inclusive channel to provide information-based services amid concerns about the spread of the COVID-19,” said the minister.

The “Card2U” app features a range of beneficial menus, comprising breaking news, COVID-19 daily news summary, government announcements, verification of fake news, updated number of confirmed COVID-19 infection cases by the Public Health Ministry, risky areas that people should avoid visiting, tracking of your places visited, COVID-19 infection risk evaluation, list

of diagnostic labs and hospitals for testing COVID-19, promotions for survival during crisis such as food and essentials, list of emergency numbers, emergency assistance as well as “Thai Ru Su COVID” page run by the Public Health Ministry, www.facebook.com/thaimoph/

Buddhipongse added that the Card2U app is developed to provide services to the public as people can instantly receive updated situation and accurate information about the virus outbreak. It is trustworthy amid the escalating COVID-19 pandemic. People do not need to waste time searching for the updated virus outbreak situation from other sources. It is also easily accessible via mobile phone and smart devices. The Card2U app is now available to download for Android and iOS and it is free of charge.

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