

Description and Rationale

Title

Bangkok Post Weekly Review

Project Description*

The Bangkok Post is the oldest, national English-language daily published in Thailand since 1946. It was founded by Alexander MacDonald who was an American ex-navy lieutenant. It covers local and global news on all topics. It is still a very popular English newspaper read by educated Thais and foreigners in Thailand. *The Bangkok Post Weekly Review* summarizes weekly political, business and social news reported by *The Bangkok Post*.

Reasons for Consideration*

As per WorldCat, libraries in Australia, Germany, Israel, and Singapore hold this title but it is unclear about their holdings in paper and/or film. None of the US libraries (University of New Hampshire, New York Public Library, University of Oregon, Historical Society of Pennsylvania, and University of Wisconsin-Madison) seems to have the holdings (Jan 5-May 24, June 7-28, 1966) that UC Berkeley Library proposes to film. Though it is a small bundle but it would still be worthwhile to film this national newspaper of Thailand for permanent preservation and access to those who need it.

Publishers

Bangkok: Post Publishing Public Co. Ltd., 1946-

Proposal Contributors

University of California, Berkeley

Details and Sources

Resource Types*

Newspapers

Regions*

Southeast Asia

Countries of Origin*

Bangkok, Thailand

Major Languages

English

Source Format*

Paper

Target Format

Microfilm

Identifiers

Accession No: OCLC: 220595130

Source and Holdings

Location	Format	Holdings/Range	Notes
UC Berkeley	Tabloid, 14" x 11.5"	1966: Jan 5-May 24, June 7-28	

Physical Details

Not brittle. Paper is very thin but strong; considerable bleed through.