This Act was promulgated on November 21, 1961 but came into force on November 23, 1961. The important sections of this Act are as follows.

SECTION 3 In this Act

"Sugar – cane" means sugar – cane used in the production of sugar.

"Sugar" means sugar made from sugar cane, for example, white sugar, brown sugar, yellow sugar, raw sugar and includes cane juice boiled into syrup for use in sugar production.

"Committee" means the Sugar Industry Committee.

"Director" means the Director of the Office of the Sugar Industrial Aid Fund.

"Competent office" means persons appointed by the Minister to act pursuant hereto.

"Minister" means the Minister in charge under this Act.

SECTION 4 A fund shall be established consisting of assistance contributions pursuant hereto to be called the "Sugar Industrial Aid Fund" to be used for expenditure on improvement of sugar-cane cultivation and sugar production.

The Sugar Industrial Aid Fund shall be a juristic person with the objectives of giving assistance in sugar-cane cultivation or the production of sugar under this Act and is empowered to do any act necessary or accessory to the said objectives.

The main office of the Sugar Industrial Aid Fund shall be located in Changwat Phra Nakorn and shall be called "office of the Sugar Industrial Aid Fund"

SECTION 5 Producers of sugar other than brown sugar and cane juice boiled into syrup shall pay an assistance charge based on the volume of sugar produced at rates prescribed in Ministerial Regulations which may not exceed one baht per Kilogram.
In the interest of assistance charge collection, the Minister is empowered to prescribe rules and procedures for its collection and payment, for the storage and removal of sugar produced from the sugar factory, the assignment of competent officers to sugar factories to verify compliance of sugar producers with this Act. Such provisions shall be issued as ministerial regulations.

SECTION 7 Assistance charges collected under Section 5 shall be contributed to the Sugar Industrial Aid Fund and may be expended only on the activities provided herein.

SECTION 8 To insure that assistance to sugar-cane growers may be appropriate and of economic benefit, the Minister is empowered to give notice in the Government Gazette of areas within which sugar-cane growers will be entitled to assistance under this Act.

SECTION 9 In the interest of the economy and public livelihood, the Minister is empowered to give notice in the Government Gazette:

(1) Prescribing the maximum production for one or more types of sugar produced by each sugar factory.

(2) Prescribing the minimum price at which sugar – cane may be purchased, such price being variable for different localities.

(3) Prescribing the maximum price at which sugar may be sold, such price being variable for different localities.

(4) Prescribing the periods in which sugar produces may mill sugar cane, such periods being variable for different localities.
SECTION 12 There shall be a Sugar Industry Committee to operate the Sugar Industrial Aid Fund to be abbreviated “SIC” composed of the Under-secretary of the Ministry of Industries as chairman, Undersecretary of the Ministry of Agriculture, Undersecretary of the Ministry of Economic Affairs, Director General of the Industrial Promotion Department, Director General of the Industrial Factory Department, Director General of the Department of Agriculture, a representative of the Ministry of Interior, a representative to the Ministry of Finance and Director as members ex officio and not more than eight other members appointed by the Council of Ministers.

The Committee may appoint any member or other person as secretary of the Committee.

SECTION 22 Assistance charges collected under Section 5 shall be allocated among the following categories of activities based on the volume of sugar in respect of which the assistance charge has been paid:

(a) First Category: For expenditure to promote sugar-cane cultivation, not more than 0.10 Baht per kilogram.

(b) Second Category: For expenditure for research concerning the sugar industry, not more than 0.05 Baht per kilogram.

(c) Third category: For expenditure for the promotion of sugar export, not more than 0.08 Baht per kilogram.

(d) Fourth Category: For expenditure for administration under this Act, not more than 0.05 Baht per kilogram.
The fixing of amounts for expenditure for activities under each category which shall not exceed the said rates, shall be notified by the Minister in the Government Gazette.

SECTION 23 Persons entitled to receive assistance under this Act must be:

(1) Sugar-cane growers in the sugar-cane areas designated by the Minister in the Government Gazette.

(2) Sugar producers.

(3) Sugar exporters.

SECTION 24 Assistance to sugar-cane growers under Section 23 (1) shall take the form of distribution of good varieties of sugar-cane for propagation, the suppression of sugar-cane diseases and pests, providing of low cost tools and equipment for growing sugar-cane, distribution of fertilizer at low cost, giving advice on soil and cane improvement and the provision of other services.

Assistance to sugar producers under Section 23 (2) shall take the form of giving technical advice or training to sugar producers and their employees concerning every stage of sugar production including the reporting of results of research in the interest of improvement of the sugar production process.

Assistance to sugar exporters under Section 23 (3) shall take the form of payment of assistance funds under rules and procedures prescribed in Ministerial regulations.
SECTION 26 Assistance amounts to sugar exporters paid under this Act shall be free of, taxes, duties and fees.

SECTION 33 The Minister of Industries shall be in charge under this Act and is empowered to appoint competent officers and issue ministerial regulations pursuant hereto.