

# MY STORAGE facility gaining popularity among home-owners and businesses

## Advertorial

Home owners and businesses who in the past had difficulties finding storage space have for the past year benefited from the unique storage services provided by MY STORAGE self storage, conveniently located at Jungceylon shopping centre in Patong, Phuket.

Equipped with advanced security systems and built to be well ventilated, fire resistant and with vermin prevention in mind, MY STORAGE – secure, clean and cost effective self storage – is the only provider in Phuket offering short- or long-term rental of dedicated storage space for households and businesses.

Sukanda Chiaranussati, managing director and Robert Åkerblom, general manager at MY STORAGE, say that the inspiration to develop a storage facility derived partly from their own experiences when moving from Sweden to the island six years ago.

“In our move to Phuket we were accompanied by a container packed with most of our personal effects.

“After quite an extensive

search for a suitable place to temporarily store our belongings while locating a permanent residence, the goods finally ended up with a local company offering storage.

“However, the weather exposure and pests soon started to take their toll and when the time finally came to collect our goods and the move into a new home a number of months later, most had been damaged by weather, water leakage and vermin,” explains Robert.

Another factor in their decision to start their self storage endeavor was the continuous growth of Phuket’s real estate market. The property sector has increased exceptionally in the past decade with numerous commercial properties, villas and condominiums being developed, sold and let out.

According to Robert, the industry’s continuous growth has prompted demand for a wide range of innovative commercial services such as, in their case, self storage.

In 2010, MY STORAGE fitted out an existing warehouse at Jungceylon by installing 28 different sizes of storage units, ranging from internal one-



MY STORAGE is set up to keep the weather and pests away from clients’ belongings.

cubic-metre locker units up to 20-cubic-metre drive-up storage units, with 24 hour access.

Tenants can access the storage facility with their own individual pin codes and each individual storage unit is secured using the customer’s own key and lock.

Types of storage services offered during the generous opening hours, seven days a week, are specially developed to meet all types of storage

needs. They are suitable for all households/businesses and units can at your request be fitted out with shelving for archiving. Vehicle storage for cars, motorcycles or smaller water crafts are also available. If you are a regional traveller there is also a left-luggage service.

Anyone needing moving and packaging material can find a wide range of branded high quality products such

as strong boxes, wrap, tape, strings and padlocks for sale at the facility’s reception area.

Transportation of belongings can also be taken care of by MY STORAGE which, at discounted rates for customers, operates a moving truck.

Units can be rented daily, weekly, monthly or yearly and is extendable to any length of period a customer requires.

Rents, inclusive of insurance, start from B100 a day for

left luggage and B995 a month for lockers. There are also monthly specials and promotions available both for rental units and packaging material.

“Customers who until now been using our services have, been a healthy mix of Thai and expats. There is still work to be done on marketing of the type of services we provide since the majority of Phuket residents thus far have not been exposed to the concept of self storage,” says Sukanda.

“However, a year into operation, our services are gaining awareness not just from Thai and expat property owners or their tenants, but also from businesses.

“It is seen as a cost-effective measure for storing stock and a smart way to operate a secure distribution centre with an ability to meet fluctuations by up- or down-sizing rental space according to needs at any given time.”

**For further information contact MY STORAGE at 076 292909, visit [www.mystorageasia.com](http://www.mystorageasia.com) or stop by the facility at Jungceylon Shopping Centre in Patong.**

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