

## BIZ BUZZ

### MCOT ALSO NEEDS 'TUI,' THE HERO

"Love and revenge" are always good for a Thai soap-opera plot. Main actors and actresses are also crucial ingredients.

Channel 7, a home of top-rated TV dramas, seems to be happy to have Teerapat "Tui" Sajakul as the main actor along with Usamane "Kwan" Waitayanon in "Mai Sin Rai Fai Sawat" (Unending Fire of Passion), which enjoys its highest prime-time ratings on Mondays and Tuesdays.

MCOT director-general Sivaporn Chomsuvan acknowl-



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edged that Tui was always a great actor as well as singer. Sivaporn also confessed that he was a big fan of Tui and the soap opera.

Sivaporn added that MCOT's radio team still

needed a chief executive for SEED 97.5 FM. So the head of the state media enterprise passed a message via *The Nation* to the big TV star:

"After the revenge game comes to an end with your love in that soap opera, Tui, please come back home. The SEED family is still waiting for you."

He smiled and continued: "We strongly believe that Tui can help SEED become a top-rated radio station, like the TV drama he stars in."

SEED 97.5 FM is one of the most popular radio stations run by MCOT.