



Workshop on coastal area planning and management in Asian tsunami-affected countries

27-29 September 2006, Bangkok, Thailand

Agenda

Pre-workshop	Tuesday 26th September	
16:00 - 18:00	Registration of participants	<i>Secretariat</i>

Day 1	Wednesday 27th September	
08:00 - 09:00	Registration of participants	<i>Secretariat</i>
09:00 - 09:15	Welcome address – Mr. Changchui He, Assistant Director General, FAO Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific.	<i>Plenary</i>
09:15 - 09:30	Introduction to the workshop	

SESSION I - THE REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE		
09:30 - 09:50	Land tenure and use change in relation to poverty and the environment in Asian tsunami affected countries – Dr. Jayampathy Samarakoon (Environmental/Wetland Specialist, ARCADIS Euroconsult).	<i>Plenary</i>
09:50 - 10:10	Discussion	
10:10 - 10:30	Coffee break	
	<i>Country papers - 15 minute presentation followed by 5 minutes discussion</i>	<i>Plenary</i>
10:30 - 10:50	Bangladesh – Dr. Rafiqul Islam (Integrated coastal zone management program, Dhaka, Bangladesh).	
10:50 - 11:10	India – Ms. Aarthi Sridhar (ATREE, Bangalore, India).	
11:10 - 11:30	Indonesia – Dr. Rokhmin Dahuri (ex Minister of Marine Affairs and Fisheries, Indonesia).	
11:30 - 11:50	Malaysia – Dr. Jin Eong Ong (Professor of Biology Universiti Sains Malaysia – Retd.).	
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch	
13:00 - 13:20	Maldives – Dr Abdulla Naseer (Executive Director, Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources, Maldives).	<i>Plenary</i>
13:20 - 13:40	Myanmar - U Win Tun (Forest Department, Myanmar).	
13:40 - 14:00	Sri Lanka – Dr. R.A.D.B. Samaranayake (Director of Coast Conservation, Coast Conservation Department, Sri Lanka).	
14:00 - 14:20	Thailand – Dr. Cherdchinda Chotiyaputta (Department of Marine and Coastal Resources).	
14:20 - 14:30	Introduction to working group session 1.	
14:30-14:45	Tea break	
14:45 - 16:15	Working group session 1: groups identify key coastal area planning and management issues in tsunami-affected areas.	<i>Break out rooms</i>
16:15 - 17:00	Presentation of results of working group session 1 and discussion.	<i>Plenary</i>
18:30 - 20:00	Reception dinner	

Day 2	Thursday 28th September	
SESSION II – IMPROVED COASTAL ZONE PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT		
08:40 - 09:00	Integrated coastal zone planning in Asian tsunami affected countries – Dr. Robert Kay (Coastal Zone Management, Pty Ltd, Australia).	<i>Plenary</i>
09:00 - 09:15	Discussion	
09:15 - 09:35	Integrated land management to improve long-term benefits in coastal areas of Asian tsunami affected countries – Dr Russell Hanley (Environmental scientist and coastal ecologist).	
09:35 - 09:50	Discussion	
09:50 - 10:00	Introduction to working group session 2	
10:00 - 10:20	Coffee break	
10:20 - 12:00	Working group session 2: groups discuss means of improving coastal zone management with focus on issues identified in working group.	<i>Break out rooms</i>
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch	
SESSION III - PERSPECTIVES ON COASTAL ZONE PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT		
13:45 - 14:00	Post tsunami challenges for coastal zone management - Dr Poh Poh Wong, Associate Professor, Department of Geography, National University of Singapore.	<i>Plenary</i>
14:00 - 14:15	Impacts of post-tsunami rehabilitation and reconstruction in Aceh– Dennie Mamonto (FAO Banda Aceh).	
14:15 - 14:30	Supporting post-tsunami activities and coastal zone management - Mr. Udom Bhatiyasevi (Dept. of Marine and Coastal Resources).	
14:30 - 14:45	Coastal planning development lessons from policy analysis by Green Coast in Aceh – Ms. Cut Desyana (Green Coast/WWF Aceh).	
14:45 - 15:00	Land Use Planning in the Maldives; Creating Sustainable & Safe Island Communities - Patricia Stevenson (Member of the Royal Town Planning Institute, former VSO volunteer Maldives).	
15:00 - 15:30	Tea break	
15:30 - 15:45	Spatial information-based approach for integrated coastal resource management in Asian tsunami affected countries - Dr. Tariful Islam (Land Use Planning & GIS Advisor).	<i>Plenary</i>
15:45 - 16:00	Mangroves for the Future: investing in coastal ecosystems as development infrastructure - Janaka De Silva (IUCN Bangkok).	
16:00 - 16:15	Restoration and Improvement of Coastal Environment Devastated by Tsunami in Sri Lanka - Tilak Ranaviraja, (UNEP, Sri Lanka).	
16:15 - 16:30	The role of information in integrated coastal resource management – Jonathan Shott (Sustainable Development Fondation, Thailand).	
16:30 - 16:45	"Regreening a Coastal Desert: 50 years experience of Erimo Town, Hokkaido, Japan - Shingo Shibata (Forestry agency, Japan).	
16:45 - 17:00	Tree-crops for environmental protection and livelihood enhancement in the Tsunami affected coastal zone in West Aceh, Indonesia. Laxman Joshi, World Agroforestry Centre.	

Day 3	Friday 29th September	
SESSION IV - RECOMMENDATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS		
08:45 – 09:00	Introduction to working group session 3	<i>Plenary</i>
09:00 - 10:15	Working group session 3: groups generate recommendations of actions that could be taken at national and regional level to promote improved coastal area planning and cross-sectoral integration.	<i>Break out rooms</i>
10:15 - 10:45	Coffee break	
10:45 - 11:45	Presentation of results of working groups and discussion.	<i>Plenary</i>
11:45 - 12:45	Lunch	
12:45 - 13:45	Adoption of the outputs of the workshop	<i>Plenary</i>
13:45 - 14:00	Closure of meeting	