

**9<sup>TH</sup> PROJECT COORDINATION COMMITTEE MEETING  
UNDER THE CO-OPERATIVE MECHANISM  
IN THE STRAITS OF MALACCA AND SINGAPORE**

**ROYAL AMBARRUKMO HOTEL, YOGYAKARTA, INDONESIA  
29-30 SEPTEMBER 2016**

**REPORT OF THE MEETING**

**SESSION 1: OPENING**

- 1.1 The Ninth Project Coordination Committee Meeting (PCC) under the Co-operative Mechanism on the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (the SOMS) was held on 29-30 September 2016 at the Royal Ambarrukmo Hotel, Yogyakarta, Indonesia.
- 1.2 The Meeting was attended by representatives from the three littoral States: Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, and contributors from People's Republic of China, Japan, International Maritime Organization (IMO), Malacca Strait Council (MSC), and The Nippon Foundation. The list of participants as appears in **ANNEX A**.
- 1.3 The Chairman, Mr. Raymond Sianturi, Head of District of Navigation of Ambon, Directorate General of Sea Transportation, Ministry of Transportation of the Republic of Indonesia expressed his appreciation and thanked the participants from Malaysia and Singapore, as well as all other contributors for attending the Meeting.
- 1.4 Singapore and Malaysia thanked Indonesia for hosting the 9<sup>th</sup> PCC Meeting, welcomed participants and contributors to the Meeting, and wished for a positive and fruitful discussion.

**AGENDA ITEM 2 - ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

- 2.1 The Meeting adopted the Agenda of the Meeting. The Agenda is attached in **ANNEX B**.

**AGENDA ITEM 3 - IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECTS UNDER THE COOPERATIVE MECHANISM**

- 3.1. Straits Project 1 - Removal of Wrecks in the Traffic Separation Scheme in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (SOMS) (By Malaysia)  
  
Malaysia will conduct training workshop program for the Littoral States on the MYWREMS system. The venue and date will be confirmed at a later date.

- 3.2. Straits Project 5 - Replacement and Maintenance of Aids to Navigation in SOMS (By Indonesia)
- 3.2.1. Indonesia thanked all contributors for their continuous support and contribution to Project 5. Furthermore, Indonesia invited broader involvement and contribution from Stakeholders to ensure the safety of navigation and environmental protection in the SOMS.
- 3.2.2. Singapore highlighted that Project 5 is under the ANF program.
- 3.3. Straits Project 9 - Ship Traffic Management System in the SOMS (by Singapore)
- A Working Group was convened on 26 Sep 2016 to follow up on Straits Project 9 that was presented at the Cooperation Forum. In updating the meeting on the main points of the WG report, Singapore said that the proposed sea trial was to demonstrate the operations concept and the technologies. The WG also established the expected outcomes of the trial and the follow up actions. The report of the WG is attached in **ANNEX C**.
- 3.4. Straits Project 10 - Study of the Blueprint for the Future Development of Safety of Navigation and Marine Environment Protection in the SOMS (by Indonesia)
- 3.4.1. Indonesia highlighted results of the WG on MEP during TTEG 41, that the Littoral States agreed to the proposal from Indonesia to form a Correspondence Group and appoint national focal person to facilitate the implementation of the project.
- In this regard, the Littoral States submit the national focal person as follows:
- a. Mr. Nanditya Wardhana (Indonesia)
  - b. Mr. Mohd. Fairoz Rozali (Malaysia)
  - c. Mr. David Ho (Singapore)
- 3.4.2. Indonesia confirmed its willingness to be the host of intersessional meeting on project 10.
- 3.5. Straits Project 11 - Development of Guidelines on the Places of Refuge for Ships in need of Assistance in the SOMS (by Malaysia)
- 3.5.1. Malaysia updated on the project 11, that Malaysia would conduct two workshop in late 2016 and early 2017. Malaysia welcomed the support from ICS.
- 3.5.2. Indonesia also welcomed the support from the ICS, and proposed to invite more participants from shipping industry.
- 3.5.3. The meeting noted on the update of project 11 and supported Malaysia to conduct the workshop.
- 3.6. Straits Project 12 - Marine Oil Spill Monitoring System in the SOMS (by People's Republic of China)
- 3.6.1. China informed the Meeting that China will conduct two workshops under this Project: Workshop on Marine Oil Spill Monitoring and Workshop on Marine Oil Spill Risk Assessment. China will provide further details of the workshop to the Littoral States at a later date.

- 3.6.2. The Meeting thanked China for the support of this Project, and confirmed its readiness to participate in the said workshops.
- 3.6.3. Singapore invited China to provide the concept paper on this Project before conducting the workshops, China replied that it will provide the concept paper in due course.
- 3.7. Straits Project 13 - New Study for the Safety of Navigation in the SOMS (by Malacca Strait Council)
  - 3.7.1. The Meeting noted the updates given by MSC and requested to report at the next TTEG meeting.
  - 3.7.2. Littoral States thanked MSC for its support on the safety of navigation in the SOMS.

#### **AGENDA ITEM 4 – ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

The Meeting noted that there were no matter raised under this agenda item.

#### **AGENDA ITEM 5 – CONSIDERATION AND ADOPTION OF REPORT OF MEETING**

The Meeting adopted the Report.

#### **AGENDA ITEM 6 - CLOSING OF THE MEETING**

- 6.1. The Chairman thanked all delegates for their active participation during the meeting, and looking forward to have another fruitful discussion at the next 10<sup>th</sup> Project Coordination Committee Meeting.
- 6.2. All delegates thanked Indonesia for hosting the Meeting, and expressed appreciation to the user States and stakeholders for their contributions.
- 6.3. The meeting agreed that the 10<sup>th</sup> Project Coordination Committee would be held in Malaysia, the details on the date and venue will be communicated at a later date.

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