

Establishment and Operation of a Regional System of Fisheries *Refugia* in the South China Sea and Gulf of Thailand

REPORT

THE FOURTH MEETING OF SITE-BASED FISHERIES REFUGIA MANAGEMENT BOARD IN SURAT THANI PROVINCE AND THE FIRST MEETING OF OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT

THE FIRST MEETING OF OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR FISHERIES REFUGIA IN THE COASTAL SEAS AROUND THE AREA OF KOH SED

PHUM RIANG SUBDISTRICT, CHAIYA DISTRICT, SURAT THANI PROVINCE
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REPORT OF THE MEETING

The fourth meeting of Site-based Fisheries *Refugia* Management Board in Surat Thani Province and the first meeting of Operational Management Board for Fisheries *Refugia* in the Coastal Seas around the Area of Koh Sed, Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District, Surat Thani Province were jointly organized by Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, Department of Fisheries on 15th November 2022, 09.00 – 17.00 hours, at Wang Tai Hotel, Surat Thani Province. It was aimed at consideration, discussion, and adoption of the operational management plan for fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site which was developed by Operational Management Board for Fisheries *Refugia* in the Coastal Seas around the Area of Koh Sed, Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District, Surat Thani Province on 30th May 2022 and improved by Thailand's National Scientific and Technical Committee on 3rd - 5th October 2022. The meeting was presided over by **Ms. Praulai Nootmorn**, Executive Advisor for Fisheries Management, Department of Fisheries. There were totally 41 participants joined the meeting, including board members, officers of Department of Fisheries, project officers, and observers from government sectors and communities. Meeting agenda and list of participants are shown in ANNEX 1 and ANNEX 2, respectively.

AGENDA 1 REPORT OF THE CHAIRPERSON

1.1 Ms. Praulai Nootmorn, the chairperson, welcomed all participants and expressed her appreciation for the honor of presiding over the meeting of the two boards which aimed at improved and adopted operational management plan for fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site. She reminded the meeting that fisheries refugia project was implemented by Department of Fisheries with the financial support of GEF, targeting the system of fisheries refugia management in the South China Sea and Gulf of Thailand for the sustainability of fisheries resources and fishing communities. She continued reminding that Thailand had 2 fisheries refugia being established, the sites of which were in Trat Province having short mackerel as the priority species and Surat Thani Province having blue swimming crab as the priority species. She expressed her pleasure that the project had successfully accomplished, resulted in the issuances of two notifications for fisheries refugia in Trat Province and Surat Thani Province and the operational management plans had been developed. As per this meeting, participants would be provided with the presentation on the progress of establishment and operation of fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site and introduction of spatial database around fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site. Ms. Praulai noted that participants would finally be requested to consider, amend, improve, and adopt the operational management plan for fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site, which would be subsequently submitted to Surat Thani Provincial Fisheries Committee and Thailand's National Fisheries Refugia Committee for further actions. She finally expressed her gratefulness to the members of the boards and all participants for their great contribution to the success of fisheries refugia establishment in Surat Thani Province.

AGENDA 2 APPROVAL OF REPORT OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

- **2.1 Mr. Somporn Kuasakul**, Committee and Assistant Secretary of Site-based Fisheries *Refugia* Management Board in Surat Thani Province, informed the meeting that report of the previous meeting, namely, the Third Meeting of Site-Based Fisheries *Refugia* Management Board in Surat Thani Province on 14th December 2021 had been handed out to each board member for consideration. In this regard, he requested the committee to consider, amend, and approve the previous report which was prepared as the attachments to the meeting document.
- **2.2 Meeting Resolution:** The meeting approved report of the Third Meeting of Site-Based Fisheries *Refugia* Management Board in Surat Thani Province on 14th December 2021.

AGENDA 3 MATTERS OF REPORT

3.1 Progress of Establishment and Operation of Fisheries Refugia at Surat Thani Site

- 3.1.1 Ms. Ratana Munprasit, Assistant for Fisheries Refugia Project, Department of Fisheries, presented to the meeting the background and processes for establishing fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site. She initially gave a short brief of the background of fisheries refugia project including its participating countries, priority species, and the concept of fisheries refugia. Ms. Ratana subsequently proceeded to the processes of establishing the coastal area around Koh Sed in Ban Don Bay of Surat Thani Province as the fisheries refugia for young blue swimming crab at Surat Thani Site, which were carried out by means of management committee meetings and multi-stakeholder consultations, as well as the approval of Surat Thani Provincial Fisheries Committee. She highlighted that according to the agreement and approval of all relevant sectors, there had been the issuance of "Notification of Surat Thani Provincial Fisheries Committee Re: Prohibition of Some Fishing Gears Fishing in the Fishing Ground within the Coastal Seas around the Area of Koh Sed, Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District, Surat Thani Province, B.E. 2565 (2022)". She concluded the notification that no person shall fish in fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site by crab traps and crab gill nets of a mesh size less than 3 inches. Ms. Ratana then proceeded to the most recent project implementation activities which were the establishment of the committee for operational management of fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site notified in "Notification of Surat Thani Province No. 1963/2565 Re: Appointment of Operational Management Board for Fisheries Refugia in the Coastal Seas around the Area of Koh Sed, Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District, Surat Thani Province"; and the organization of the workshop on fisheries refugia operational management planning at Surat Thani Site, from which the plan would be raised for consideration and adoption in this meeting. Finally, Ms. Ratana showed the meeting the recent outreach programs which were the workshop on fisheries refugia boundary marking at Surat Thani Site and seed releasing of blue swimming crabs and banana prawns around Surat Thani refugia area. Her presentation is shown in ANNEX 3.
- 3.1.2 **Meeting Resolution:** The meeting acknowledged progress of establishment and operation of fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site.

3.2 Introduction of Spatial Database around Fisheries Refugia at Surat Thani Site

3.2.1 **Ms. Jinda Petchkamnerd**, Director of Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, introduced to the meeting the preparation of spatial database around fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site. She informed that such database had been being developed by the Information Technology Center of the Department of Fisheries by means of importing, storing, processing, analyzing, and displaying data in geographic information system (GIS) format. She explained to the meeting that spatial data were supported by several agencies, such as Fisheries District Offices, Surat Thani Fisheries Provincial Office, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, Marine and Coastal Resources Research and Development Center the Middle Gulf of Thailand, Department of Marine and Coastal Resources, etc. There were the total of 47 data layers imported, such as fisheries *refugia* area, mangrove areas, seagrass beds, coral reefs, artificial reefs, national park area, protected areas, coastal seas boundary, fishing ground for each fishing gear, institutional sites, community learning centers, crab banks, etc. **Ms. Jinda** presented the examples of some data layers in the database map which were easy access online by computer or mobile phone (Figure 1). She concluded that this spatial database would significantly benefit communities and agencies for marine and coastal and other activities in the area.

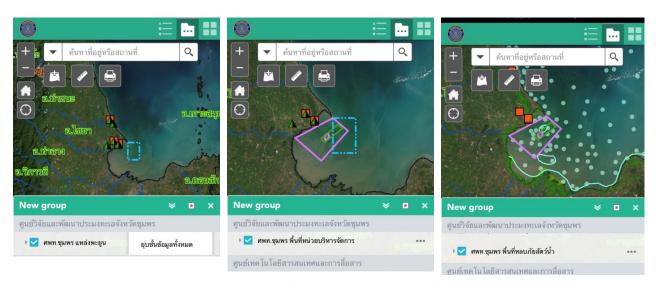


Figure 1 GIS maps showing some data layers of spatial database around fisheries refugia at Surat Thani Site

3.2.2 **Meeting Resolution:** the meeting acknowledged introduction of spatial database around fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site.

AGENDA 4 MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION

4.1 Operational Management Plan for Fisheries Refugia at Surat Thani Site

4.1.1 **Mr. Akanit Kuaphuek**, Senior Fisheries Technical Officer of Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, presented to the meeting the operational management plan for fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site which was developed by "Operational Management Board for Fisheries *Refugia* in the Coastal Seas around the Area of Koh Sed, Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District, Surat Thani Province" at the workshop on fisheries *refugia* operational management planning at Surat Thani Site on 30th May 2022, and improved by "Thailand's National Scientific and Technical Committee" at the seventh meeting of Thailand's National Scientific and Technical Committee on 3rd-5th October 2022. The plan is categorized into 3 components, namely, ecosystem, good governance, and socioeconomy, with 6 elements in each component, namely, issues, goal, objectives, indicators, benchmarks, and management actions. Details are shown in the following tables:

Ecosystem:

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions
Issues 1. Decrease of blue swimming crab resources 2. Young blue swimming crabs are caught by gill nets and crab traps 3. Deterioration of coastal habitats and nursery grounds 4. Discharges from communities and agricultural activities 5. Marine debris	Goal Blue swimming crab resources and their nursery grounds are under sustainable rehabilitation and management	Objectives 1. To enhance the abundance of blue swimming crab resources 2. To rehabilitate and protect the habitats of blue swimming crab resources	Indicators 1. CPUE of blue swimming crab fishing 2. Numbers of aquatic animal conservation area 3. Area of seagrass and mangrove	Benchmarks 1. CPUE of blue swimming crabs from gill netters increases 5% within 2 years 2. One aquatic animal conservation area is established within 2 years 3. Areas of seagrass and mangrove are stable within 2 years	Management actions 1. Notify aquatic animal conservation areas 2. Conduct mangrove plantation 3. Notify seagrass management measures 4. Establish coconut-leave artificial reefs 5. Promote establishment of blue swimming crab banks 6. Establish community learning centers 7. Conduct activities of debris disposal 8. Conduct surveys for data collection of fisheries and habitats of blue swimming crabs 9. Prepare the processes for quality control of water discharges from community and agricultural activities
					 10. Release the seeds of aquatic animals including blue swimming crabs 11. Disseminate the information of notified fisheries <i>refugia</i> in Surat Thani Province 12. Conduct relating researches

Good governance:

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions
 Insufficient cooperation and integration of multistakeholders Existence of illegal fishing (e.g., small trawling, push netting, collapsible shrimp trapping) Inefficient law enforcement Insufficient awareness of resources conservation Insufficient understanding of fisheries resources management Conflicts among fishers Insufficient database for fisheries management 	Blue swimming crab resources are managed under good governance	 To enhance cooperation and integration of multistakeholders To enhance efficiency of fishery regulatory compliance and law enforcement To promote awareness building of sustainable fisheries and coastal resources management To develop and integrate coastal and fisheries database in fisheries refugia area 	 Numbers of fisheries resources management group Numbers of community agreement in Local Fishing Community Organization Numbers of fisher involved in awareness building for sustainable fisheries and coastal resources management Numbers of illegal fisher Network of Koh Sed conservation groups Numbers of trainee trained for assistant fisheries officer Spatial database of coastal and fisheries resources 	 One fisheries resources management group is created within 2 years One community agreement is set up within 2 year At least 50 fishers are trained for sustainable fisheries and coastal resources management within 2 years Illegal fishers decrease 20% within 2 years At least 5 communities are engaged in the network of Koh Sed conservation groups within 2 years At least 15 fishers are trained for assistant fisheries officers within 2 years One spatial database of coastal and fisheries resources is created within 2 years 	 Establish ecosystem-based fisheries resources management groups Set up mutual community agreements for fisheries resources management groups Promote community awareness building for ecosystem-based fisheries resources management Promote awareness building for sustainable use of coastal and fisheries resources to the youth in communities Prepare ecosystem-based management plans for coastal communities Introduce ecosystem-based management plans to stakeholders in the communities for adoption and for budget request Conduct training for assistant fisheries officers to the fishers in fishing communities Establish the network of Koh Sed conservation groups Prepare fisheries surveillance plans in fisheries refugia area Conduct community relations activities aimed to minimize conflicts among fishers Create spatial database of coastal and fisheries resources

Socio-economy:

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions
Low price of fish fixed by middlemen	Improved livelihoods of fishing communities	 To increase the incomes of fishing households To increase the possibility for government funding/credit access To reduce cost of fishing operations To promote the knowledge of fish processing, marketing, and alternative occupations 	 Household income Numbers of fisher assessing the government source of funding/credit Numbers of fishing gear support group Numbers of fisher operating alternative occupation 	 Household incomes increase at least 5% within 2 years Fishers assessing the government source of funding/credit increase 2% within 2 years There is one fishing gear support group established within 2 years Fishers operating alternative occupations increase 10% within 2 years 	 Promote community tourism Promote linkage between tourism business and small-scale fishing Develop fishing piers for community tourism Promote eco-friendly aquaculture Train fishers about marketing via applications Decrease the problem of low- price fishery products by establishing community fish markets Establish fishing gear support groups Promote household accounting Promote cooperation of the banks for providing fishers of funding/credit

- 4.1.2 After presentation of operational management plan for fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site, **Mr. Akanit Kuaphuek** invited the meeting to consider and raise comments to adjust and improve the plan so as to make it the best practical.
- 4.1.3 **Mr. Chumphon Saelim**, President of the Fisher Association of Surat Thani, recommended that there should be the registration of fishing boats fishing in the area around fisheries *refugia* to facilitate surveillance. He suggested awareness building by urging fishers to donate mother blue swimming crabs for spawning or for releasing in the area; record of donation should be done for consequent privilege. He also recommended placing coconut-leave artificial reefs and regular surveys of blue swimming crab abundance.
- 4.1.4 **Mr. Jirot Puakkliang**, Chairman of the Local Fishing Community Organization of Tha Chang District Coastal Small-scale Fishing Group, informed that many buoys, placed for fisheries *refugia* boundary marking, had been disappear. In this regard, he recommended setting up the poles with reflective paining for steady markers.
- 4.1.5 **Mr. Somporn Kuasakul**, Head of Fisheries Administration and Management Group, Surat Thani Fisheries Provincial Office, responded that setting up the poles had to get the permission from Marine Department, and the proposal of the project for pole setting was needed.
- 4.1.6 **Mr. Sanae Rattanasamnieng**, Chief of Chaiya Fisheries District Office, mentioned about conservation group in community that there had been a blue swimming crab conservation group in Phum Riang Subdistrict; it could be used as a model for setting the blue swimming crab conservation group for fisheries *refugia* around Koh Sed.
- 4.1.7 **Mr. Charin Choeichoeichom**, Chairperson of the Local Fishing Community Organization of Phum Riang Subdistrict Aquatic Resources Conservation Group, recommended establishing surveillance center for fisheries *refugia* in Chaiya District together with building the processes for fisheries and coastal resources management. In addition, he suggested awareness building in schools and related sectors
- 4.1.8 **Mr. Jirot Puakkliang** supported the concept of blue swimming crab donation with the record of donors. He recommended creating incentives for crab donation, for example, donation record could be used as a credit for fishing loan or education fund. He noted that blue swimming crab bank in Ban Pak Don Sak could be regarded as the best practice in this matter.
- 4.1.9 **Mr. Prasert Chanjukorn**, Li Let Subdistrict Head, supported the ideas of establishing surveillance center and setting the poles for fisheries *refugia* boundary marking. He also recommended training fishers for surveillance volunteers and enhancing surveillance activities.
- 4.1.10 **Ms. Praulai Nootmorn**, the chairperson, noted that Department of Fisheries would coordinate with Department of Marine and Coastal Resources for integration and expansion of coastal resources management at fisheries *refugia* around Koh Sed, particularly on seagrass and endangered species.
- 4.1.11 **Mr. Akanit Kuaphuek** noted that Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center cooperating with Surat Thani Fisheries Provincial Office would further coordinate with communities for fisheries management activities in fisheries *refugia* area.
- 4.1.12 There followed some more discussion on the agencies responsible for each management action. The plan was then adjusted according to the recommendation of the committee.
- 4.1.13 **Meeting Resolution:** the two boards endorsed operational management plan for fisheries *refugia* at Surat Thani Site adjusted in the meeting. The endorsed plan is shown in ANNEX 4.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS AGENDA 5 5.1 None **ANNEX 1 AGENDA** AGENDA 1 REPORT OF THE CHAIRPERSON AGENDA 2 APPROVAL OF REPORT OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING AGENDA 3 **MATTERS OF REPORT** 3.1 Progress of Establishment and Operation of Fisheries Refugia at Surat Thani Site 3.2 Introduction of Spatial Database around Fisheries *Refugia* at Surat Thani Site **AGENDA 4 MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION** 4.1 Operational Management Plan for Fisheries Refugia at Surat Thani Site

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AGENDA 5

ANNEX 2

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

Site-Based Fisheries *Refugia* Management Board in Surat Thani Province

1.	Ms. Jinda Petchkamnerd	Director of Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, Department of Fisheries	Committee
2.	Mr. sompong Bantiwiwatkul	Senior Fisheries Technical Officer, Marine and Coastal Resources Research and Development Center the Middle Gulf of Thailand, Department of Marine and Coastal Resources (represented Director)	Committee
3.	Ms. Amiga Chamsirat	Senior Plan and Policy Analyst (Representative of Provincial Office of Natural Resources and Environment Surat Thani, Ministry of Natural Resouces and Environment)	Committee
4.	Mr. Siwa Thanaphon *	Muang Surat Thani Fisheries District Chief	Committee
5.	Ms. Pilaiporn Thongmak *	Tha Chana Fisheries District Chief	Committee
6.	Mr. Sanae Rattanasamnieng *	Chaiya Fisheries District Chief	Committee
7.	Mr. Nuntachai Limsurat *	Phun Phin Fisheries District Chief	Committee
8.	Mr. Thosaporn Thosapal *	Kanchanadit Fisheries Assistant District Chief (represented District Chief)	Committee
9.	Mr. Suwit Choochuay *	Donsak Fisheries District Chief	Committee
10.	Mr. Chumphon Saelim	President of the Fisher Association of Surat Thani	Committee
11.	Mr. Thanawon Naksuwan *	President of the trawl Association of Surat Thani	Committee
12.	Mr. Wanchai Saengchawang	Tha Chana Subdistrict Head	Committee
13.	Ms. Wanwanut Bunphattharathawon	Represented Khlong Chanak Subdistrict Head	Committee
14.	Mr. Rungrot Wanwiriya	Phum Riang Assistant Subdistrict Head (represented Subdistrict Head)	Committee
15.	Mr. Prasert Chanjukorn *	Li Let Subdistrict Head	Committee
16.	Ms. Kanokwan Plotchum *	Thakhian Thong Assistant Subdistrict Head (represented Subdistrict Head)	Committee
17.	Mr. Arun Kueasom	Phlai Wat Assistant Subdistrict Head (represented Subdistrict Head)	Committee
18.	Mr. Jirot Puakkliang *	Chairperson of the Local Fishing Community Organization of Tha Chang District Coastal Small- scale Fishing Group	Committee
19.	Mr. Charin Choeichoeichom *	Chairperson of the Local Fishing Community Organization of Phum Riang Subdistrict Aquatic Resources Conservation Group	Committee
20.	Mr. chonthichan Pontuptim	Director of Surat Thani Marine Resources Conservation Center (representative of Marine and	Committee

		Coastal Resources Administration Office 4 Surat Thani, Department of Marine and Coastal Resources)	
21.	Mr. Panya Kalacacha *	Lang Suan Marine Fisheries Patrol Unit (Chumphon) Head, Department of Fisheries	Committee
22.	Mr. Akanit Kuaphuak *	Head of Fishing Ground Development and Rehabilitation Unit, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, Department of Fisheries	Committee
23.	Mr. Somporn Kuasakul *	Head of Fisheries Administration and Management Group, Surat Thani Fisheries Provincial Office, Department of Fisheries	Committee and Secretary
24.	Mr. Jirawut Kumpirod	Fisheries Technical Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center, Department of Fisheries	Committee and Assistant Secretary

Operational Management Board for Fisheries *Refugia* in the Coastal Seas around the Area of Koh Sed, Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District, Surat Thani Province

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1.	Mr. Kritsada Jornvised	Deputy Mayor of Phum Riang Subdistrict, Chaiya District (represented Mayor)	Chairperson
2.	Mr. Prasert Chanjukorn *	Li Let Subdistrict Head, Phun Phin District	Vice-Chairperson
3.	Mr. Sutham Aepmani	Chairperson of the Local Fishing Community Organization of the Group for Releasing Blue Swimming Crab into Ban Don Bay of Thai Seas	Committee
4.	Mr. Piya Saeai	Representative of Tha Chana District: Mr. Piya Saeai	Committee
5.	Mr. Jirot Puakkliang *	Representative of Tha Chang District: Mr. Jirot Puakkliang	Committee
6.	Mr. Thanawon Naksuwan *	Representative of Muang District: Mr. Thanawon Naksuwan	Committee
7.	Ms. Kanokwan Plotchum *	Thakhian Thong Assistant Subdistrict Head (represented Representative of Kanchanadit Distric Mr. Jarong Plodchum)	Committee t:
8.	Mr. Supaluk Tieobut	Representative of Don Sak District: Mr. Supaluk Tieobut	Committee
9.	Mr. Siwa Thanaphon *	Muang Surat Thani Fisheries District Chief	Committee
10.	Ms. Pilaiporn Thongmak *	Tha Chana Fisheries District Chief	Committee
11.	Mr. Sanae Rattanasamnieng *	Chaiya Fisheries District Chief	Committee
12.	Mr. Nuntachai Limsurat *	Phun Phin Fisheries District Chief	Committee
13.	Mr. Thosaporn Thosapal *	Kanchanadit Fisheries Assistant District Chief (represented District Chief)	Committee
14.	Mr. Suwit Choochuay *	Donsak Fisheries District Office Chief	Committee
15.	Mr. Panya Kalacacha *	Lang Suan Marine Fisheries Patrol Unit (Chumphon) Committee

16.	Mr. Somporn Kuasakul *	Head, Department of Fisheries Head of Fisheries Administration and Management Group, Surat Thani Fisheries Provincial Office	Committee
17.	Mr. Akanit Kuapuag *	Senior Fisheries Technical Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center	Committee
18.	Mr. Charin Choeichoeichom *	Chairperson of the Local Fishing Community Organization of Phum Riang Subdistrict Aquatic Resources Conservation Group	Committee and Secretary

Remark: * a duplicate name of the members in two boards

Offic	cers of Department of Fisheries	
1.	Ms. Praulai Nootmorn	Executive Advisor for Fisheries Management
2.	Ms. Phuongphorn Prabsed	Fisheries Technical Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center
3.	Mr. Narongthorn Siengyai	Fisheries Technical Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center
4.	Mr. Chanon Nuansri	Fisheries Technical Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center
5.	Mr. Yanaphat Siriphong	Fisheries Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center
6.	Ms. Laddawan Phromlek	Fisheries Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center
7.	Mr. Noppadol Sorakate	Fisheries Officer, Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center
8.	Mr. Nantawoot Khawsaard	Technical Officer, Lang Suan Marine Fisheries Patrol Unit (Chumphon)
Proj	ect Officer	
1.	Ms. Ratana Munprasit	Assistant for Fisheries <i>Refugia</i> Project, Department of Fisheries
Obs	ervers	
1.	Mr. Apiwat Sukrakka	Fisheries Officer, Marine and Coastal Resources Administration Office 4 Surat Thani, Department of Marine and Coastal Resources
2.	Mr. Sumanop Jangjai	Forestry Officer, Marine and Coastal Resources Administration Office 4 Surat Thani, Department of Marine and Coastal Resources
3.	Acting Sub Lt. Somnuek Chuaykong	Secretary of the Local Fishing Community Organization of the Group for Releasing Blue Swimming Crab into Ban Don Bay of Thai Seas
4.	Ms. Wilaiphon Sahwatnak	Member of Phum Riang Aquatioc Animal Conservation Group

ANNEX 3

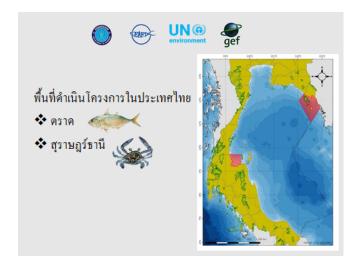
PRESENTATION OF THE PROGRESS OF ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF FISHERIES *REFUGIA*AT SURAT THANI SITE





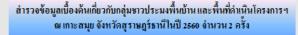












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- 🌣 การจัดทำรายงานการบัญชีและการเงิน



ประชุมรับฟังความคิดเห็นของชุมชนต่อการกำหนดขอบเขตพื้นที่และมาตรการบริหาร จัดการในพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานีระหว่างวันที่9–15 มีนาคม 2564







ผลการประชุบ ชาวประมง ผู้มีส่วนใค้ส่วนเสีย ผู้นำองค์กรปกครองส่วนท้องถิ่นใน 7 อำเภอ รอบอ่าวบ้านคอน เข้าร่วมประชุมเสนอความคิดเห็นจำนวน 497 คน ประกอบอ้าย

อำเภอไชยา 91 คน อำเภอทำฉาง 60 คน อำเภอทำชนะ 61 คน อำเภอดอนสัก 72 คน อำเภอกาญจนดิษฐ์ 52 คน อำเภอเมือง 79 คน และอำเภอพูนพื้น 82 คน

โดยมีผลสรุปความคิดเห็นในแนวทางการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่ ดังนี้











1. ขอบเขตพื้นที่

ที่ประชุมทั้ง 7 อำเภอ มีมติเห็นชอบให้พื้นที่หลบภัยของปู่ถ้ามีขอบเขตเป็นรูปสี่เหลี่ยมผืนกั ในแนวคะวันออกเฉียงเหนือ-ตะวันตกเฉียงใต้ครอบคลุมพื้นที่สันทรายทั้งหมดของเกาะเสร็จ โดยใช้ร่องน้ำที่ทอดยาวในแนวตะวันออกเฉียงเหนือและตะวันตกเฉียงใต้ของเกาะเป็นแนว เขตมีพื้นที่ประมาณ 1.5 x 6.5 = 9.75 ตร.กม. หรือ 6,093 ไร่ (กรอบสิแดงตามภาพ)







2 การบริหารกัดการพื้นต์

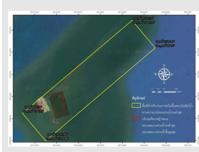
ที่ประชุมทั้ง 7 อำเภอ มีมติเห็นชอบให้ใช้มาตรา 71(1) ในพระราชกำหนดการประมงฯ เป็นมาตรการในการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่หลบภัยปู่ม้ารอบเกาะเสร็จ โดยกำหนดห้าม เครื่องมือต่อไปนี้ทำการประมงในขอบเขตพื้นที่ที่กำหนด

- า) ลอาเป
- 2) อวนจมปูขนาดตาต่ำกว่า 3 นิ้ว
- 3) การทำประมงหอยประกอบเรือกล





การสำรวจเพื่อกำหนดจุดพิกัดทางภูมิศาสตร์ของขอบเขตพื้นที่หลบภัยปู่ม้า บริเวณรอบเกาะเสร็จในอ่าวบ้านดอน จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานีเมื่อวันที่ 30 มีนาคม 2564



ศูนย์วิจัยและพัฒนาประมงทะเล
ชุมพร โดยความร่วมมือกับ
ดร. สุธีระ ทองขาว
จากมหาวิทยาลัยวลัยลักษณ์ (นักวิจัยผู้
ศึกษาระบบน้ำเวศบริเวณเกาะเสร็จ)
นายเสน่ห์ รัศนสำเนียง
ประมงอำเภอไซยา และผู้แทนชุมชน
จากตำบลพุมเรียง อำเภอไซยา ได้
ดำเนินการสำรวจพื้นที่ เมื่อวันที่ 30
มีนาคม 2564 และกำหนดพิกัดทาง
ภูมิศาสตร์ของขอบเขตพื้นที่หลบภัย
ของปม้ารอบเกาะเสร็จ ตามภาพ

ผลการประชุม 1 คณะกรร

 คณะกรรมการเห็นชอบขอบเขตพื้นที่ และแนวทางการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่หลบภัย ปู่ม้าบริเวณรอบเกาะเสร็จ ตามมติที่ประชุมผู้มีส่วนได้ส่วนเสียทั้ง 7 อำเภอ

การประชุม<u>คณะกรรมการประมงประจำจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ชานี</u> เมื่อวันที่23 กรกฎาคม 2564

 คณะกรรมการมีมติเห็นชอบให้ออกประกาศคณะกรรมการประมงประจำจังหวัด สุราษฎร์ธานี เรื่อง ห้ามใช้เครื่องมือทำการประมงบางประเภท ทำการประมงในที่จับสัตว์น้ำ เขตทะเลขายศัง บริเวณพื้นที่รอบเกาะเสร็จ ตำบลพุมเรียง อำเภอ ใชยา จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี



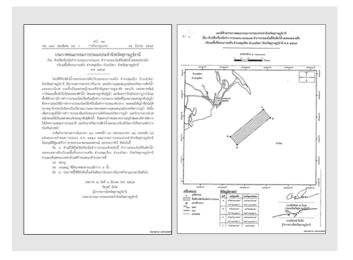
ลำดับการดำเนินการออกประกาศพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ษานี

- วันที่ 18 สิงหาคม 2564 จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานีเสนอ ประกาศคณะกรรมการประมงประจำ จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี เรื่อง ห้ามใช้เครื่องมือทำการประมงบางประเภท ทำการประมงใน ที่จับสัตว์น้ำ เขตทะเลชายฝั่ง บริเวณพื้นที่รอบเกาะเสร็จ ตำบลพุมเรียง อำเภอไชยา จังหวัด สุราษฎร์ธานี ให้กรมประมงพิจารณา เพื่อเสนอต่อรัฐมนตรีว่าการกระทรวงเกษตรและ สหกรณ์อนุมัติ
- วันที่ 28 กันยายน 20 ธันวาคม 2564 กรมประมงปรับแก้ประกาศฯ และจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ ธานียืนยันร่างประกาศฯ ที่ปรับแก้
- วันที่ 19 มกราคม 2565 กรมประมงนำเสนอร่างประกาศฯ ไปยังกระทรวงเกษตรและ สหกรณ์ เพื่อเสนอขออนุมัติรัฐมนตรีว่าการกระทรวงเกษตรและสหกรณ์
- วันที่ 10 กุมภาพันธ์ 2565 รัฐมนตรีว่าการกระทรวงเกษตรและสหกรณ์ อนุมัติร่าง ประกาศจ

ลำดับการดำเนินการออกประกาศฟื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ษานี (ต่อ)

- วันที่ 8 มีนาคม 2565 จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานีออกประกาศคณะกรรมการประมงประจำ จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี เรื่อง ห้ามใช้เครื่องมือทำการประมงบางประเภท ทำการประมง ในที่จับสัตว์น้ำเขตทะเลชายฝั่ง บริเวณพื้นที่รอบเกาะเสร็จ ตำบลพุมเรียง อำเภอไชยา จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี พ.ศ. ๒๙๖.๙
- วันที่ 22 มีนาคม 2565 เผยแพร่ประกาศฯ ในราชกิจจานุเบกษา







<u>สรุปประกาศพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำสำหรับปู่ม้า</u> <u>ในจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี</u>

- ห้ามใช้เครื่องมือประมง
- (1) ลอบปู และ
- (2) อวนจมปูที่มีช่องตาอวนเล็กกว่า 3 นิ้ว ทำการประมงในเขตทะเลชายผึ้งรอบเกาะเสร็จ ตำบลพุมเรียง อำเภอไชยา จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี ในแนวเขตที่เป็นพื้นที่ขนาด 1.5 x 6 ตร.กม. (5.62s ไร่) พิกัดตามแผนที่แนบ



การแต่งตั้งคณะกรรมการเพื่อการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำรอบเกาะเสร็จ

- วันที่ 14 ธันวาคม 2564 ที่ประชุมคณะกรรมการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำ เพื่อการประมงที่ยั่งยืนในจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี เห็นควรให้มีการแต่งตั้งกรรมการชุดใหม่ เพื่อให้เกิดความเหมาะสมในการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่ และเฉพาะเจาะจงที่ชุมชนที่เกี่ยวข้อง จึงมีมดิเสนอรายชื่อผู้แทนชุมชน และองค์กรชุมชนที่เกี่ยวข้องเพื่อแต่งตั้งเป็นคณะกรรมการ เพื่อการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำรอบเกาะเสร็จจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี
- •วันที่ 11 มีนาคม 2565 ผู้ว่าราชการจังหวัดตราด ลงนามในคำสั่งจังหวัดตราด เรื่อง แต่งตั้ง คณะกรรมการบริหารจัดการพื้นที่หลบภัยสัตว์น้ำแขตทะเลชายฝั่งบริเวณรอบเกาะเสร็จ ตำบลพุมเรียงอำเอไชยา จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ชานี





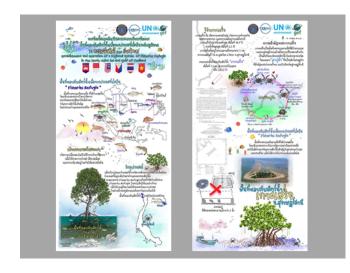














ANNEX 4

OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR FISHERIES *REFUGIA* AT SURAT THANI SITE ADOPTED BY

SITE-BASED FISHERIES *REFUGIA* MANAGEMENT BOARD IN SURAT THANI PROVINCE AND

OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR FISHERIES *REFUGIA* IN THE COASTAL SEAS AROUND THE AREA OF KOH SED, PHUM RIANG SUBDISTRICT, CHAIYA DISTRICT, SURAT THANI PROVINCE ON 15TH NOVEMBER 2022

Vision: Sustainably managed blue swimming crab resources in Surat Thani fisheries *refugia* site that contributes to healthy ecosystem and human well-being under good governance

Ecosystem:

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions	Responsible agencies
Decrease of blue swimming crab resources Young blue	Blue swimming crab resources and their nursery grounds are under	To enhance the abundance of blue swimming crab resources	CPUE of blue swimming crab fishing Numbers of	CPUE of blue swimming crabs from gill netters increases 5% within 2 years	Set up the poles with reflective paining for steady fisheries refugia boundary marking	1. MO/ FPO/ MD/ PAO/ CMDEC/ LFCOs
swimming crabs are caught by gill nets and crab traps 3. Deterioration of	sustainable rehabilitation and management	2. To rehabilitate and protect the habitats of blue swimming	aquatic animal conservation area 3. Areas of	One aquatic animal conservation area is established within 2 years	Conduct surveys for data collection of fisheries and habitats of blue swimming crabs	2. CMDEC/ DMCR/ FPO/ Academics/ LFCOs
coastal habitats and nursery grounds 4. Discharges from communities and		crab resources	seagrass and mangrove	3. Areas of seagrass and mangrove are stable within 2 years	3. Disseminate the information of notified fisheries <i>refugia</i> in Surat Thani Province	3. CMDEC/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs
agricultural activities					Notify aquatic animal conservation areas	4. CMDEC/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs
5. Marine debris					5. Conduct mangrove plantation	5. CMDEC/ DMCR/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs
					6. Notify seagrass conservation measures	6. CMDEC/ DMCR/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs
					7. Establish coconut leave artificial reefs	7. MO / DMCR/ FPO/ LFCOs
					8. Promote establishment of blue swimming crab banks	8. FPO/ MO/ CMDEC/ Academics / LFCOs

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions	Responsible agencies
					9. Release the seeds of blue	9. MO/ FPO/ CMDEC/
					swimming crabs and	DMCR/ Fish processing
					other aquatic animals	plants/ LFCOs
					10. Establish community	10. MO/ FPO/ CMDEC/
					learning centers	DMCR/ Fish processing
						plants/ LFCOs
					11. Prepare the processes	11. Environmental office/
					for quality control of	PCD/ CADEC/ PAEO
					water discharges from	
					community and	
					agricultural activities	
					12. Conduct activities of	12. MO/ District office/
					debris disposal	LFCOs
					13. Conduct relating	13. CMDEC/ DMCR/
					researches	Academics/ FPO/ LFCOs

Good governance:

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions	Responsible agencies
 Insufficient cooperation and integration of multi- stakeholders Existences of illegal 	Blue swimming crab resources are managed under good governance	To enhance cooperation and integration of multi- stakeholders To enhance	Network of Koh Sed conservation groups Numbers of fisheries	 There are 5 communities engaged in the network of Koh Sed conservation groups within 2 years One fisheries 	 Establish the network of Koh Sed conservation groups Establish ecosystem- based fisheries resources management groups 	1. FPO/ CMDEC/ MO/ LFCOs 2. MO/ DMCR/ FPO/ LFCOs
fishing (e.g., small trawling, push netting, collapsible shrimp trapping) 3. Inefficient law		efficiency of fishery regulatory compliance and law enforcement	resources management group 3. Numbers of community agreement in	resources management group is created within 2 years 3. There are 2 community agreements created within 2 year	3. Set mutual community agreements in Local Fishing Community Organizations for sustainable fisheries resources utilization	3. MO/ DMCR/ FPO/ LFCOs
enforcement 4. Insufficient awareness of resources conservation		3. To promote awareness building of sustainable fisheries and	Local Fishing Community Organization 4. Numbers of illegal fisher	 4. Illegal fishers decrease 20% within 2 years 5. At least 15 fishers trained for assistant fisheries officers within 	4. Create fisheries surveillance center in Chaiya District5. Prepare fisheries surveillance plans in	4. FPC/ MCPC/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs5. FPC/ MCPC/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions	Responsible agencies
Issues 5. Insufficient understanding of fisheries resources management 6. Conflicts among fishers 7. Insufficient database for fisheries management	Goal	coastal resources management 4. To develop and integrate coastal and fisheries database in fisheries refugia area	Indicators 5. Numbers of trainee trained for assistant fisheries officer 6. Numbers of fisher involved in awareness building for sustainable fisheries and coastal resources management 7. Spatial database of coastal and fisheries resources	Benchmarks 2 years 6. At least 50 fishers are trained for sustainable fisheries and coastal resources management within 2 years 7. One spatial database of coastal and fisheries resources is created within 2 years	fisheries refugia area 6. Conduct training for assistant fisheries officers to the fishers in fishing communities 7. Promote community awareness building for ecosystem-based fisheries resources management 8. Promote awareness building for sustainable use of coastal and fisheries resources to the youth in communities 9. Create incentive for crab donation 10. Prepare ecosystem-based management plans for coastal communities 11. Propose ecosystem-based management plans to responsible agencies and stakeholders in the communities for adoption	Responsible agencies 6. FPC/ LFCOs 7. CMDEC/ SEAFDEC/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs 8. CMDEC/ Schools/ FPO/ MO 9. MO/ FPO/ processing plants 10. CMDEC/ SEAFDEC/ FPO/ MO/ LFCOs 11. LFCOs/ CMDEC/ FPO/ MO
					stakeholders in the	12. MO/ District office/ LFCOs
					among fishers 13. Create spatial database of coastal and fisheries resources in and around fisheries refugia area 14. Create database of fishing	13. CMDEC/ DMCR/ FPO/ MO/ Academics/ LFCOs 14. FPO/ CMDEC/ LFCOs

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions	Responsible agencies
					around fisheries <i>refugia</i> at Koh Sed	

Socio-economy:

Issues	Goal	Objectives	Indicators	Benchmarks	Management actions	Responsible agencies
Fishers' low incomes	Improved socio- economic condition	To increase the incomes of	Household income	Household incomes increase at least 5%	Establish fishing gear support groups	1. PFO/ MO
2. Low price of fish	of fishers and	fishing	2. Numbers of	within 2 years	2. Provide fishers with the	2. PCAO/ Financial
fixed by middlemen 3. High cost of fishing	fishing communities	households 2. To reduce cost	fishing gear support group	One fishing gear support group is established	information of fishing loan	institutes
operations 4. Low possibility for		of fishing operations	3. Numbers of fisher accessing	within 2 years 3. Numbers of fisher	3. Promote alternative occupations, such as fish	3. PFO/ CDO/ MO/ PIO/ PAEO
accessing the government sources		To increase the possibility	the government sources of	assessing the government source of	processing, and eco- friendly aquaculture	
of funding/credit 5. Lack of alternative/		for accessing the government	funding/credit 4. Numbers of	funding/credit increase 2% within 2 years	Train fishers on marketing via	4. MO/ Academics/ Financial institutes
additional occupations		sources of funding/credit	fishers operating	4. Numbers of fisher operating alternative	applications 5. Promote community	5. MO/ TAT/ PAO/ PPRO/
6. Insufficient knowledge of fish		4. To enhance the knowledge of	alternative occupations	occupation increase 10% within 2 years	tourism 6. Develop fishing piers for	LFCOs/ Academics 6. MO/ TAT/ PAO/ PPRO/
processing and marketing		fish processing, marketing, and			community tourism 7. Promote the linkage	LFCOs/ Academics 7. MO/ TAT/ PPRO/ CDO/
7. Insufficient knowledge and skill		alternative occupations			between tourism business and small-scale fishing	LFCOs
for running community tourism					8. Promote household accounting	8. PCAO

Acronyms of responsible agencies:

CADEC Coastal Aquaculture Research and Development Center

CDO Community Development Office

CMDEC Chumphon Marine Fisheries Research and Development Center

DMCR Department of Marine and Coastal Resources

FPC Fisheries Patrol Center

FPO Fisheries Provincial Office

LFCO Local Fisheries Community Organization

MCPC Marine and Coastal Patrol Center

MD Marine Department

MO Municipal Office

PAEO Provincial Agricultural Extension Office

PAO Provincial Administrative Organization

PCAO Provincial Cooperative Auditing Office

PCD Pollution Control Department

PIO Provincial Industrial Office

PPRO Provincial Public Relations Office

SEAFDEC South East Asian Fisheries Development Center

TAT Tourism Authority of Thailand

ANNEX 5

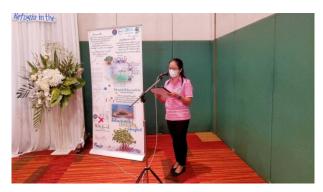
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