



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

REPORT

**REFUGIA SITE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
IN MASINLOC, ZAMBALES**

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HIGHLIGHT ACTIVITIES:

- 1) A total of 20 participants from the different agencies in Masinloc attended the Refugia Site Management Committee (RSMC) Meeting last July August 13, 2019 at DFARM Park Inc., Masinloc, Zambales. During the RSMC meeting, the participants together with the Refugia Management Team discussed and finalized the recommended members for the Masinloc Refugia Site Management Committee.
- 2) The following were also discussed in the said meeting:
 - Finalization of the Provisional Terms of Reference for the Masinloc Fisheries Refugia Site-based Management Committee.
 - Identified and agreed on the species to be managed under the fisheries refugia site, tentatively, *Sardinella fimbriata* (Bilis), *Pterocaesio tesellata* (Terong), and *Auxis thazard* (Tulingan).
 - Meet on a quarterly basis every third Tuesday of the quarter; (First RSMC meeting on September 17, 2019); and
 - Finalized members/representatives of the Masinloc RSMC as follows:

Chairperson : Hon. Arsenia J. Lim, Municipal Mayor

Vice- Chairperson : Hon. Pedro O. Enciso

Members:

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| 1) Agriculture & Fisheries | Hon. Arnel Aquino |
| 2) Environment | Hon. Norman Acierto |
| 3) ABC | Hon. Christian Pierce Nacin |
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| 8) MENRO | Ms. Olivia Gregorio |
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| 13) MFARMC | Mr. Rolando E. De Vera |
| 14) Academe | Mr. Zaldy Elaguas, MAED |
| 15) MPA Network | Mr. Nestor Dait |

- The Masinloc RSMC also suggested two activities for capacity building namely, Law Enforcement Training and EAFM Training preferably during the fourth quarter of this year.
- Furthermore, the BFAR- Provincial Fisheries Office gave a room in their office to serve as the Refugia Center in Masinloc, Zambales.

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