





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

REPORT

PROVINCIAL STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATION MEETING ON FINALIZING THE BOUNDARY OF MARINE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREA INCLDUING JUVENILE GROUPER REFUGIA IN KAMPOT PROVINCE

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1. Open a meeting

- **1.1** The provincial stakeholder consultation meeting on finalizing the boundary of marine fisheries management area including fisheries *refugia* in Kampot was organized by Fisheries Administration(FiA) of Cambodia collaborating with Kampot Provincial Hall Administration and Kampot Fisheries Administration Cantonment on 13 December 2022, funded by SEAFDEC/UNEP/GEF Fisheries *Refugia*, under presided by Mr. Pel Kosal, Deputy Provincial Governor of Kampot province.
- 1.2 The meeting was conducted at Kampot Provincial Hall Administration, which was attended by 26 participants from Fisheries Administration, Fisheries Administration Cantonment in Kampot, Provincial Department of Environment, Provincial Department of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries, Department of Land, Urban, Construction, and Cadastral, Department of Public Works and Transports, Provincial Department of Tourism, Bokor City, local authority, NGO, and community fisheries (see Annex 1&3).
- **1.3** Mr. Pel Kosal, deputy provincial governor and chairperson of the meeting, welcomed the delegation from FiA and all participants from provincial departments involved under provincial hall administration, taking their opportunity to join that meeting today. This meeting purpose today was to discuss finalization of the boundary of MFMA. Therefore, he proposed the meeting to consider FiA's proposal in creating MFMA and verifying its boundary, and then he declared to open this meeting from now.

2. Presentation on Establishment Process of the Marine Fisheries Management Area and Fisheries Refugia

- **2.1 Mr. Ouk Vibol** express thank very much to Deputy Provincial Governor and all participants from provincial departments involved under provincial administration. He informed the meeting that on 08 August 2022, there was a meeting to discuss the establishment of MFMA and juvenile grouper refugia site in Kampot province under presided by Mr. Seng Sereyboth, Kampot provincial deputy governor, with participating from FiA, provincial departments involved, and WEA organization.
- **2.2** He added that the result of the meeting supported the establishment of MFMA and juvenile grouper refugia in Kampot province with the size of over 8000ha after cutting off the impact parts of development companies such as Tycoon Try Pheap, Ching Kor, and TP Moral. Regarding this, FiA corrected and provided the new boundary of MFMA after collecting three development companies' UTM from provincial department of land management. Thus, he proposed Deputy Provincial Governor and meeting to consider the new boundary of MFMA.
- **2.3** Chairperson of the meeting expressed thanks to teamwork presenting activities done in the past and proposed the meeting to consider and discuss these issues.
- 3. Discussion on the New Boundary of the Marine Fisheries Management Area and Development Companies
- **3.1 Chairperson of the meeting** opened a floor for discussion
- **3.2** Mr. Voeun Seila informed the meeting that he supported the establishment of MFMA based on recommendation of Prime Minister of the Royal of Kingdom of Cambodia advising all provinces located in coastal area to need to prepare MFMA for one place to ensure the sustainability of

fishing and manage fisheries resources effectively. He informed the meeting that recently, there are a lot of dolphins, especially specie of dolphin with white color occurring in that area.

- **3.3 Mr. Khiev Rithy** informed the meeting that FiA corrected the new boundary of MFMA, so he proposed the chairperson of the meeting and meeting to consider this issue.
- **3.4 Mr. Chan Rith** has an idea that he supported the establishment of MFMA because this area is to provide benefits to fishermen, to ensure sustainability of fishing, protect main habitats such as seagrass, coral reef, and mangrove as well as making more and more fish.
- **3.5 Mr. Kim Nhork** informed the meeting that he supported the establishment of MFMA because the establishment of this area is very important in protecting fisheries resources and restoring marine habitat.
- **3.6 Mr. Phen Bunthorn** has an idea that he supported the establishment of MFMA making more and more fish and the Department of Tourism will plan to promote this project dissemination to tourists to enhance living standard of people that area.
- **3.7 Mr. Len Doeun** informed the meeting that he supported the establishment of MFMA contributing to promoting ecotourism.
- **3.8** Mr. Ouk Vibol informed the meeting that we cut off the part of Companies' impacts from MFMA, so he proposed Chairperson and the meeting to consider and approve the new boundary after spending 4 year to do this working.
- **3.9** Mr. Sok Chea supported the establishment of marine fisheries management area in Kampot province and agreed the new boundary of MFMA in Kampot as well.
- **3.10 Chairperson** of the meeting has an idea that he supported the establishment of MFMA and supported the new boundary of MFMA.
- **3.11** After discussion, **Chairperson** of the meeting summarized following meeting results:
 - 1. Supported the establishment of MFMA at Prek Thnaot and Koh Touch communes of Bokor city, Kampot province with the size of over 800ha to ensure sustainable fishing activities and protect effectively biodiversity, and
 - 2. Supported the new boundary of MFMA.

3. Close meeting

4.1. Mr. Pel Kosal expressed thank very much for all participants, especially teamwork from Fisheries Administration, taking their opportunities to join this meeting. Then, he also declared to close the meeting at 5:00pm on 13 December 2022.

ANNEX 1: List of participants in provincial stakeholder consultation meeting on finalizing the new boundary of marine fisheries management area including grouper refugia site in Kampot province on 13 December 2022

No.	Name	Sex	Title	Organization	Telephone
1	Mr. Pel Kosal	М	Deputy Governor of	Kampot Provincial Hall	012807416
			Kampot province	Administration	
2	Chhun Ti	М	2 nd Commune Chief Prek Thnout Commune		012798810
				Council	
3	Mao Muan	М	Chief of Village	Prek Thnout village	092279548
4	Sok Chea	М	Head of CFi	Chhorng Horn CFi	016301833
5	Nou Chhan Nar	М	Director of Division	Provincial Administration	016909060
6	Khiev Rithy	М	Deputy Director	Department of Land,	012575447
				Urban, Construction, and	
				Cadastral	
7	Korng Vorn	M	Vice Chief of CFi	Chorng Horn CFi	012932909
8	Kim Nhork	M	Deputy Head of		
			Division	Administration	
9	Chhoun Chhan	М	Chief of Village	Chhorng Horn Village	078671033
10	Leng Phalla	F	Project Manager	WEA	092664154
11	Ky Phearin	М	Officer	Kampot FiAC	0968383282
12	Leang Sarun	М	Chief of Post Police	Prek Thnout Post Police	0978216667
13	Leng Sy Vann	М	Deputy Director	DFC/ FiA	017446373
14			Provincial Department of	017111663	
				Agriculture, Forestry, and	
				Fisheries	
15	Va Sotepy	F	Vice Head of Division	DFC/FiA	085237616
16	Voeun Seila	М	Vice Head	Kampot FiAC	012670008
17	Seng Nhem	M	Member of Commune	Prek Thnout Commune	012448913
			Council	Council	
18	Kim Sokha	М	Director of Division	DFC/FiA	012784687
19	On Tha	М	Vice Chief of Division	FiAC in Kampot	017727558
20	Chea Sodany	М	Security Center Chief	Provincial Military Police	0715111537
21	Som Vicheth	М	Chief of Division	Provincial Military Police	016330333
22	Phem Bunthorn	M	Chief of Division	Provincial Department of	012415563
				Tourism	
23	Sok Kun	M	Commander	Maritime Police No. 41	0978325678
	Bopheak				
24	Len Doeun	M	Deputy Governor	Boukor City	092527363
				Administration	
25	Kin Sam Nang	F	Vice Chief of Division	DFC/FiA	077311136
26	Ouk Vibol	M	Director	DFC/FiA	012819120

ANNEX 2: Schedule for provincial stakeholder consultation meeting on finalizing the new boundary of marine fisheries management area including grouper refugia site in Kampot province on 13 December 2022

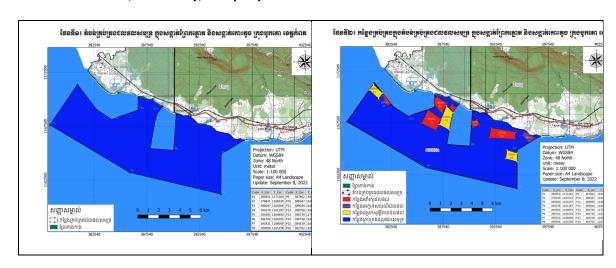
Date/Time	Description	Responsible person
12 December 2022		

10:00am-2:30pm	Leaving Phnom Penh for Kampot	Mr. Ouk VibolMr. Leng Sy VannMr. Kim Sokha						
		Ms. Va Sotepy						
13 December 2022								
8:00am- 8:30am	Registration	All participants						
8:30am- 8:40am	Welcome speech and Open a meeting	Mr. Pel Kosal Deputy Governor of Kampot Province						
8:40am-9:40am	Presentation on Establishment Process of Marine Fisheries Management Area and including Grouper Refugia in Kampot province	Mr. Ouk Vibol Director of the Department of Fisheries Conservation						
9:40am-10:00am	Snack break	All participants						
10:00am-12:00pm	Discussion on the Boundary of the Marine Fisheries Management Area and Development Companies	Mr. Pel Kosal Deputy Governor of Kampot Province						
12:00pm-2:00pm	Lunch break	All participants						
2:00pm-3:30pm	Discussion on the Boundary of the Marine Fisheries Management Area and Development Companies	Mr. Pel Kosal Deputy Governor of Kampot Province						
3:30pm-3:50pm	Snack break	All participants						
3:50pm-5:00pm	Discussion on the Boundary of the Marine Fisheries Management Area and Development Companies	Mr. Pel Kosal Deputy Governor of Kampot Province						
5:00-5:10pm	Closure of a meeting	Mr. Pel Kosal Deputy Governor of Kampot Province						
14 December 2022								
9:00am -1:30pm	Leaving Kampot for Phnom Penh	All						

ANNEX 3: Participants' Photos in provincial stakeholder consultation meeting on finalizing the new boundary of marine fisheries management area including grouper refugia site in Kampot province on 13 December 2022



ANNEX 4: New Boundary of MFMA including Juvenile Grouper Refugia at Prek Thanot and Koh Touch Commune, Bokor City, Kampot province



ANNEX 5: Replying letter of Kampot Provincial Department of Agriculutre, Forestry, and Fisheries to Kampot Provincial Administration related to the establishment of Marine Fisheries Manageemnt Area including Juvenil Grouper Refugia at Prek Thnout, Kampot province



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