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*YB Dato' Sri Minister with his counterparts from Brunei Darussalam, Singapore and representatives from Thailand and Indonesia and Asean Secretariat.*



## 16TH MEETING OF THE SUB-REGIONAL MINISTERIAL STEERING COMMITTEE (MSC) ON TRANSBOUNDARY HAZE POLLUTION



Ministers and representatives responsible for the environment from Malaysia, Indonesia, Brunei Darussalam, Singapore, and Thailand met on the occasion of the Sixteenth Meeting of the Sub-Regional Ministerial Steering Committee (MSC) on Transboundary Haze Pollution on 2 April 2014 in Brunei Darussalam.

The MSC is a platform established since 2006 to allow Ministers from Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, Brunei Darussalam and Indonesia to discuss issues pertaining transboundary haze within the region. This meeting also discusses actions taken by these countries in mitigating transboundary haze.

The Malaysian delegation for the 16th MSC in Brunei Darussalam was led by Y.B. Datuk Seri G. Palanivel and accompanied by YBhg. Datuk Dr. Abdul Rahim bin Nik, YBhg. Dato' Halimah Hassan and officers from NRE, MetMalaysia, Department of Environment, Environment Protection Department, Sabah and Natural Resources and Environment Board, Sarawak.

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The issues that were highlighted during this meeting are as follows:

\* **The weather outlook in ASEAN in 2014**

ASEAN Specialised Meteorological Centre's (ASMC) informed that the rainfall is expected to be below average for most parts of the southern region until the end of the Southwest Monsoon season in early October 2014. The Ministers noted that the unusually dry weather conditions in the first quarter of 2014 has brought about a serious escalation of fires in several countries in the region.

\* **Actions by MSC countries to mitigate haze**

The MSC countries have pledged to continue to be vigilant and take additional preventive measures and immediate fire suppression in the event of any occurrence of transboundary haze in the coming months. The Ministers noted the concerted efforts taken by these countries to control the fires and noted the importance of the lessons learnt in further improving the national and regional mechanisms to mitigate fires during such adverse weather conditions.

\* **ASEAN Agreement on Transboundary Haze Pollution**

The Ministers urged that Indonesia place its highest priority on its ratification and complete it at the earliest possible time.

\* **ASEAN Sub-regional Haze Monitoring System (HMS)**

The Ministers noted that the HMS has not been operationalized as the land use and concession maps have not been provided, due to the difficulties in sharing the land-use and concession maps by the MSC countries.

Oleh: Unit Pengurusan Udara BPASPI

THE FOURTH PART OF THE SECOND  
SESSION OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP  
ON THE DURBAN PLATFORM FOR ENHANCED  
ACTION (ADP 2.4) MEETING,

BONN, GERMANY,  
10 - 14 MARCH 2014

The ADP 2.4 meeting was held at World Conference Centre, Bonn from 10th to 14th March 2014. The formal meeting was preceded by a meeting of Group of 77 and China on 9th March 2014. The Ministry was represented by Dr Gary William Theseira, Deputy Undersecretary of Environment Management and Climate Change Division (PASPI) and Mr. Shahril Faizal Abdul Jani, Principal Assistant Secretary of PASPI.

The ADP is a subsidiary body that was established by decision 1/CP.17 to develop a protocol, another legal instrument or an agreed outcome with legal force under the Convention applicable to all Parties. The ADP is to complete its work as early as possible but no later than 2015 in order to adopt

this protocol, legal instrument or agreed outcome with legal force at the twenty-first session of the COP and for it to come into effect and be implemented from 2020.

The ADP works in 2 Workstreams; namely (a) Workstream 1 and (b) Workstream 2. Workstream 1 deals with issues relating to a protocol, another legal instrument or an agreed outcome with legal force under the Convention applicable to all Parties (also known as the 2015 agreement). On the other hand, Workstream 2 deals with issues relating to pre-2020 ambition.



View of the ADP open-ended consultations

## BENGKEL PERUNDINGAN MENGENAI PENDEKATAN POLISI BAGI PELAKSANAAN REDD+ DI MALAYSIA



Terasmikan oleh YBhg. Datuk Dr. Abdul Rahim Hj. Nik

Unit REDD+, Bahagian Pengurusan Alam Sekitar dan Perubahan Iklim telah menganjurkan dua siri bengkel yang sama iaitu Bengkel Perundingan Mengenai Pendekatan Polisi Bagi Pelaksanaan REDD+ di Malaysia.

Siri bengkel ini masing-masing telah diadakan di Hotel Le Meridien, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah pada 10 Januari 2014 dan di Hotel Le Meridien, Kuala Lumpur pada 20 Januari 2014 oleh Kementerian Sumber Asli dan Alam Sekitar Malaysia (NRE) dengan kerjasama Institut Penyelidikan Perhutanan Malaysia (FRIM).

Kedua-dua siri bengkel ini dirasmikan oleh YBhg. Datuk Dr. Abdul Rahim Hj. Nik, Timbalan Ketua Setiausaha (Alam Sekitar), NRE.

Siri bengkel yang pertama melibatkan stakeholder daripada Sabah dan Sarawak manakala siri kedua melibatkan stakeholder daripada Semenanjung Malaysia.

Para peserta yang menghadiri bengkel ini adalah terdiri daripada pegawai undang-undang negeri dan pusat, jabatan pertanian, jabatan perhutanan dan beberapa badan bukan kerajaan (NGOs). Jumlah penyertaan adalah seramai 23 orang di Sabah dan seramai 45 orang di Kuala Lumpur.

Objektif utama bengkel adalah untuk membincangkan hala tuju dan pendekatan polisi bagi pelaksanaan REDD+ di Malaysia.

Antara maklum balas cadangan berkaitan rangka kerja perundangan telah disyorkan adalah seperti berikut:

- Menggubal undang-undang baharu dan khusus;

- Memasukkan REDD+ di dalam rangka perundangan sedia ada; dan
- Menggubal dasar/ polisi berkaitan REDD+



Sesi ini mencapai persetujuan agar hala tuju dan pendekatan perundangan REDD+ wajar dimulakan dengan pembentukan draf polisi. Pindaan akta dan lain-lain peruntukan perundangan berkaitan REDD+ akan dilihat secara berperingkat.

Tindakan susulan akan diambil oleh NRE dengan menyediakan draf kertas kerja untuk diangkat bagi pertimbangan pihak pengurusan atasan NRE dan seterusnya diangkat kepada Majlis Tanah Negara (MTN). Draf polisi ini perlu menjelaskan peranan dan fungsi kerajaan Persekutuan dan negeri.

Oleh: Unit REDD+ BPASPI

The meetings in Bonn comprised of informal meetings of the G77 and China, Open-Ended Consultations on the Elements, Technical Experts Meetings, and Workshops. The exchange of views among parties remained cordial throughout the meetings. Some of the key issues being discussed are as follows:

### a) The need for a meaningful and more structured engagement

⇒ Many developing countries expressed dissatisfaction with the organization of the work for the March meeting. They questioned the effectiveness of having open-ended consultations without a means to capture outcomes on the issues discussed.



Dr. Gary Theseira speaking on behalf of the country

### b) The divergence positions with the developed countries

⇒ It is clear that extremely wide gaps remain in terms of the positions of developed and developing countries.

### c) Safeguarding the principles of Convention

⇒ In the discussions of all the elements (i.e. adaptation, mitigation, finance and etc.), developing countries emphasized that the Convention must not be rewritten or reinterpreted.

### d) Nationally Determined Contributions Shall Not Be Limited to Mitigation

⇒ The majority of developing countries believe that nationally determined contributions should not be confined to mitigation. Rather, they should cover all the elements such as technology, finance and capacity building.

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Antara peserta yang hadir



Sesi perbincangan berkumpulan



## BENGKEL KEBANGSAAN INVENTORI GAS RUMAH KACA (GHG)

Bahagian Pengurusan Alam Sekitar dan Perubahan Iklim telah mengadakan satu Bengkel Kebangsaan Inventori Gas Rumah Kaca (GHG) pada 8 April 2014 bertempat di Hotel Pullman, Putrajaya.

Bengkel ini merupakan anjuran bersama Kementerian Sumber Asli dan Alam Sekitar (NRE) dan United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Malaysia, sebagai sebahagian daripada aktiviti awal bagi projek Low Emission Capacity Building (LECB).

Målamat utama bengkel adalah untuk membincangkan pelan terperinci perancangan setiap sektor bagi penyediaan inventori GHG.

Bengkel ini dirasmikan oleh YBhg. Datuk Dr. Abdul Rahim Hj. Nik, Timbalan Ketua Setiausaha (Alam Sekitar), NRE. Penglibatan peserta adalah daripada Kementerian, jabatan, sektor swasta dan ahli akademik.

Jumlah penyertaan seramai 53 orang termasuk peserta, penceramah dan urus setia.

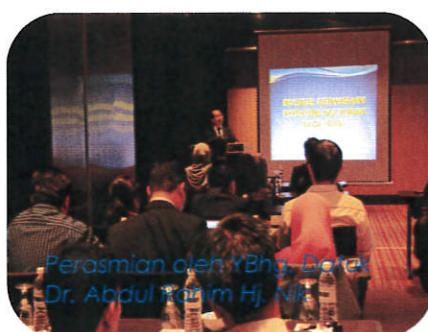
Sesi ini terbahagi kepada dua iaitu sesi pembentangan dan sesi perbincangan berkumpulan bagi setiap sektor.

Perbincangan berkumpulan diketuai oleh ketua penyelaras bagi setiap sektor termasuklah:-

- ♦ Tenaga dan Proses Industri – Institute of Energy Policy and Research, UNITEN;

- ♦ Perubahan Guna Tanah dan Perhutanan - Institut Penyelidikan Perhutanan Malaysia (FRIM);
- ♦ Pertanian - Institut Penyelidikan dan Kemajuan Pertanian Malaysia (MARDI); dan
- ♦ Sisa buangan - Jabatan Alam Sekitar (JAS).

Bengkel ini membincangkan rancangan dan isu-isu yang berkaitan dengan penyediaan inventori GHG daripada semua sektor.



Perasmian oleh YBhg. Datuk Dr. Abdul Rahim Hj. Nik

Setiap sektor digalakkan berkongsi maklumat dan memulakan proses berfikir agar keputusan bersama dapat dibuat untuk penyediaan inventori GHG bagi tujuan pelaporan Biennial Update Report (BUR) pada Disember 2015 manakala Third National Communication (NC3) pada Disember 2017.

Oleh: Unit REDD+ BPASPI