



# **Annexes**

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## Agenda

Day 1: March 15 (Wed.), 2006

### Opening Session

- 10:30 - 10:40 Opening Remarks by Mr. Won-Kyong Moon, Administrator, National Emergency Management Agency, Republic of Korea
- 10:40 – 11:00 Congratulatory Address  
Mr. Chiken Kakazu, Senior Vice-Minister, Japan  
Message from Mr. Michel Jarraud, Secretary-General, WMO  
delivered by Ms. Haleh Kootval, Chief, Public Weather Services, Applications Programme Department
- 11:00 – 11:40 Keynote Speeches  
Mr. Salvano Briceno, Director, UN/ISDR  
Mr. Masayuki Kitamoto, Executive Director, ADRC
- 11:40 – 12:00 Commemorative Photo

### Part I “Current Status”

- Theme: Review of the current status of the implementation of the Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) in the context of the Hyogo Framework for Action (HFA) for the countries in the Asian region.
- Chair: Prof. Won-Cheol Cho, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Yonsei University, Seoul, Republic of Korea
- Rapporteur: Mr. Emmanuel de Guzman, Consultant, ADRC
- 13:30 – 13:40 Introduction to Part I by the Chair
- 13:40 - 13:55 Getting Started: Implementing the Hyogo Framework for Action (HFA)  
Mr. Praveen Pardeshi, Senior Adviser, UN/ISDR
- 13:55 - 14:10 Explanation on the Group Discussion by Mr. Hajime Nakano, Senior Researcher, ADRC
- 14:10 - 16:00 Group Discussions (5 groups)  
- Ensuring disaster risk reduction (DRR) is a national and a local priority with a strong institutional basis for implementation (HFA Priority area #1)  
- Enhancing disaster risk information, early warning system, effective risk communication, and public education for DRR (HFA Priority area #2 & #3)  
- Strengthening national and local capacities for vulnerability & risk reduction, disaster mitigation, response, and recovery (HFA Priority area #4 & #5)  
\*Participants are to discuss the current status of implementation, impediments and problems encountered, and the proposed solutions in each country.  
Chairs: to be selected from the participants  
Rapporteurs: to be selected from the participants
- 16:30 – 18:00 Plenary Session
- 19:00 - 21:00 Welcome Reception by Host Country, Republic of Korea



Day 2: March 16 (Thurs.), 2006

**Public Forum: Special Session by the Republic of Korea in cooperation with WMO**

- Moderator: Dr. Dugkeun Park, Senior Researcher, National Institute for Disaster Prevention, NEMA
- Theme: Collaboration between Hydro-meteorological and Disaster Management sectors in disaster reduction
- 09:00 – 09:10 Opening Remarks  
Mr. Won-Kyong Moon, Administrator, National Emergency Management Agency, Republic of Korea  
Message from WMO delivered by Ms. Haleh Kootval
- 09:10 – 09:20 Introduction of NEMA, Republic of Korea  
Video Presentation: "Safe Korea, Active NEMA"
- 09:20 – 09:40 Introductory Presentation by Mr. Toshiyuki Sato, Director-General, International Planning & Broadcasting Department, NHK (Japan Broadcasting Corporation)
- 09:40 - 10:20 2 Joint Thematic Presentations  
[Japan]  
Mr. Satoru Nishikawa, Director for Disaster Preparedness, Cabinet Office, Japan  
[Republic of Korea]  
Mr. Geun-Young Kim, Associate Professor, Department of Urban Planning and Architecture, Kangnam University, Republic of Korea  
Dr. Jun-Hee Lee, Deputy Director, Earthquake Planning Division, Korea Meteorological Administration, Republic of Korea
- 10:35 – 12:10 Panel Discussion  
Chair: Dr. M.C. Wong, Assistant Director, Hong Kong Observatory  
Rapporteur: Ms. Haleh Kootval, Chief, Public Weather Services, Applications Programme Department, WMO  
Panelists  
[Bangladesh]  
Mr. Ehsna Ul Fattah, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Food and Disaster Management  
Mr. MD. Abram Hossain, Director, Bangladesh Meteorological Department  
[Indonesia]  
Ms. Sriworo Budiati Harijono, Director General of BMG (Meteorological & Geophysical Agency)  
[Japan]  
Mr. Satoru Nishikawa, Director for Disaster Preparedness, Cabinet Office  
[Republic of Korea]  
Mr. Heung-Soo Cheong, President, Korean Disaster Information Association  
Dr. Byong-Lyol Lee, Deputy Director, International Cooperation Division, Korea Meteorological Administration  
[Mongolia]  
Mr. Badral Tuvshin, Director of Strategic Planning and International Relations Department, National Emergency Management Agency  
Dr. Damdin Dagvadorj, National Agency for Meteorology, Hydrology and Environment Monitoring of Mongolia  
[Sri Lanka]

Mr. Nimal Dharmasiri Hettiarachchi, Director, Ministry of Disaster Relief Services, National Disaster Management Center (NDMC), Ministry of Disaster Relief Services, Sri Lanka

Mr. Porakara Mudiyansele Jyatilaka Banda, Director, Department of Meteorology [Thailand]

Mr. Suporn Ratananakin, Director, Research and International Cooperation Bureau, Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation, Ministry of Interior

Mr. Suparek Tansiratanawong, Director-General, Thai Meteorological Department

## Part II "Towards the Future: Commitments and Innovation"

Theme: Towards the provision of relevant guidelines and tools to assist the implementation of Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) in the context of the Hyogo Framework for Action (HFA) in the Asian region.

Program:

13:30 – 13:45 Summary of Day 1 by Mr. Emmanuel de Guzman, Consultant, ADRC

13:45 – 14:30 **Introduction to Part II & Presentations of proposed process design for development of Strategic National Action Plan for Countries in Asia and Pacific Regions (SNAP)**

Chair: Mr. Kamal Kishore, Regional Disaster Reduction Advisor, UNDP/BCPR

Rapporteur: Mr. Amod Dixit, Executive Director, National Society for Earthquake Technology-Nepal (NSET)

Presentations:

Mr. Joseph Chung, Senior Regional Officer, UN/ISDR Asia

Mr. Ehsanul Haque Fattah, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Food & Disaster Management, Bangladesh & Dr. Aslam Alam, Training & Awareness Raising Specialist & Deputy Team Leader, Comprehensive Disaster Management Programme, United Nations Office of Project Services (UNOPS), Bangladesh

Ms. Crispina Abat, Chief, Planning Division, Office of Civil Defense, Philippines

Mr. Nguyen Sy Nuoi, Deputy Director, Department of Dike Management and Flood Control (DDFSC), Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, Vietnam

14:30 – 15:45 **Presentation & Discussion 1 "Disaster Risk Reduction for Sustainable Development"**

(1) Mainstreaming DRR into government policies, social and economic development

(2) Promotion of information/knowledge sharing, networking, and partnerships

Chair: Mr. Kamal Kishore, Regional Disaster Reduction Advisor, UNDP/BCPR

Rapporteur: Mr. Amod Dixit, Executive Director, NSET

Presentations:

Ms. Tine Ramstad, Regional Programme Officer, UN/ISDR Central Asia

Mr. Shingo Kochi, Researcher, ADRC

Dr. Hiroyuki Kameda, Visiting Researcher, Earthquake Disaster Mitigation Research Center, National Research Institute for Earthquake Science and Disaster Prevention (EDM-NIED)

Mr. Kazuya Kaku, Advisor to the Director, Japan Aerospace Exploration



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- 16:15 – 17:45 **Presentation & Discussion 2 “Enhancement of Preparedness, Response & Recovery”**  
 (1) Enhancement of early warning mechanism  
 (2) Strengthening disaster preparedness for effective response  
 (3) Guidelines and tools for effective post disaster recovery  
 Chair: Mr. Terje Skavdal, Head, UN/OCHA Bangkok  
 Rapporteur: Mr. Deepesh Sinha, National Emergency Response Coordinator, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute (AIDMI)  
 Presentations:  
 Mr. Kamal Kishore, Regional Disaster Reduction Advisor, UNDP/BCPR  
 Ms. Haleh Kootval, Chief, Public Weather Services, Applications Programme Department, WMO  
 Mr. John McHarris, Adviser, Disaster Preparedness and Response, World Food Programme (WFP), Bangladesh  
 Mr. Praveen Pardeshi, Senior Adviser, UN/ISDR  
 Ms. Claudia Coenjaerts, Senior Socio Economic Reintegration Specialist, International Labor Organization (ILO)  
 Mr. Anil K. Sinha, Programme Advisor, International Recovery Platform (IRP)
- 19:00 - 21:00 Reception hosted by UN/ISDR, Government of Japan, and ADRC

Day 3: March 17 (Fri.), 2006

- 08:30 - 08:45 Summary of Day 2 (Rapporteurs of Day 2)  
 08:45 –10:15 **Presentation & Discussion 3 “For Safer Communities”**  
 (1) Capacity development for DRR at all levels  
 (2) Building of a People-based Culture of Prevention  
 Chair: Dr. Jemilah Mahmood, President, MERCY Malaysia  
 Rapporteur: Ms. Takhmina R. Turaeva, Advocacy Focal Point, UN/ISDR  
 Presentations:  
 Dr. Shoichi Ando, Coordinator, Disaster Management Planning Hyogo Office, United Nations Center for Regional Development (UNCRD)  
 Dr. Pujiono, Regional Disaster Response Advisor, UN/OCHA Kobe  
 Mr. Akihiro Teranishi, Senior Researcher, ADRC  
 Mr. Amod Dixit, Executive Director, NSET

**Closing Session**

- 10:45 – 11:15 Summary of Conference by Mr. Ki-Sung Bang, Director-General, Headquarters of Recovery and Relief, National Emergency Management Agency, Government of the Republic of Korea  
 11:15 – 11:45 Closing Remarks:  
 Message from Mr. Salvano Briceno, Director, UN/ISDR delivered by Mr. Joseph Chung, Senior Regional Officer, UN/ISDR Asia  
 Mr. Fumio Takeda, Deputy Director-General for Disaster Management, Cabinet Office of Japan  
 Mr. Won-Kyong Moon, Administrator, National Emergency Management

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## Hyogo Declaration

We, delegates to the World Conference on Disaster Reduction, have gathered from 18 to 22 January 2005 in Kobe City of Japan's Hyogo Prefecture, which has demonstrated a remarkable recovery from the Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake of 17 January 1995.

We express our sincere condolences and sympathy to, and solidarity with, the people and communities adversely affected by disasters, particularly those devastated by the unprecedented earthquake and tsunami disaster in the Indian Ocean on 26 December 2004. We commend the efforts made by them, their Governments and the international community to respond to and overcome this tragedy. In response to the Special Leaders' Meeting of the Association of South-East Asian Nations on the Aftermath of Earthquake and Tsunami, held in Jakarta on 6 January 2005, we commit ourselves to assisting them, including with respect to appropriate measures pertinent to disaster reduction. We also believe that lessons learned from this disaster are relevant to other regions. In this connection, a special session on the recent earthquake and tsunami disaster, convened at the World Conference to review that disaster from a risk reduction perspective, delivered the Common Statement of the Special Session on Indian Ocean Disaster: Risk Reduction for a Safer Future as its outcome.

We recognize that the international community has accumulated much experience with disaster risk reduction through the International Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction and the succeeding International Strategy for Disaster Reduction. In particular, by taking concrete measures in line with the Yokohama Strategy and Plan of Action for a Safer World, we have learned much, including about gaps and challenges since the 1994 Yokohama Conference. Nevertheless, we are deeply concerned that communities continue to experience excessive losses of precious human lives and valuable property as well as serious injuries and major displacements due to various disasters worldwide.

We are convinced that disasters seriously undermine the results of development investments in a very short time, and therefore, remain a major impediment to sustainable development and poverty eradication. We are also cognizant that development investments that fail to appropriately consider disaster risks could increase vulnerability. Coping with and reducing disasters so as to enable and strengthen nations' sustainable development is, therefore, one of the most critical challenges facing the international community.

We are determined to reduce disaster losses of lives and other social, economic and environmental assets worldwide, mindful of the importance of international cooperation, solidarity and partnership, as well as good governance at all levels. We reaffirm the vital role of the United Nations system in disaster risk reduction.

Thus, we declare the following:

We will build upon relevant international commitments and frameworks, as well as internationally agreed development goals, including those contained in the Millennium Declaration, to strengthen global disaster reduction activities for the twenty-first century. Disasters have a tremendous detrimental impact on efforts at all levels to eradicate global poverty; the impact of disasters remains a significant challenge to sustainable development.

We recognize the intrinsic relationship between disaster reduction, sustainable development and poverty eradication, among others, and the importance of involving all stakeholders, including governments, regional and international organizations and financial institutions, civil society, including non-governmental organizations and volunteers, the private sector and the scientific community. We therefore welcome all the relevant events that took place and contributions made in the course of the