

2. Establishment of Network in the Asian Region

2-1. Establishment of Human Network

ADRC focuses on the human element, which is fundamental for establishing a network to share disaster information in the Asian region. Developing a human network with counterparts including member countries, advisor countries and observers is vital to promote cooperation in disaster reduction in Asia. Thus, ADRC invites management level officials including deputy director-generals, directors and managers to the ADRC International Meeting annually to encourage interpersonal exchanges. This type of human connections would lead to a prompt and effective information gathering in the future.

Table 2-1-1-1 Member Countries

Classification: ① Supervisor, ② Contact person

Country	Classification	Name	Title
Armenia	①	Dr. Simon Papyan	Acting President, National Survey for Seismic Protection (NSSP), Government of the Republic of Armenia
	②	Dr. Hektor Babayan	National Survey for Seismic Protection, Government of the Republic of Armenia
Bangladesh	①	Mr. MD. Fazlur Rahman	Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka
Cambodia	①	H.E. Nhim Vanda	First Vice President, The National Committee for Disaster Management, Royal Government of Cambodia
	②	Mr. Ross Sovann	The National Committee for Disaster Management, Royal Government of Cambodia
China	①	Mr. Fang Zhiyong	Director, Division of Disaster Reduction, Department of Disaster and Social Relief
	②	Ms. Mei Chai	Director-General, Section Two Department of Foreign Affairs Ministry of Civil Affairs
India	①	Mr. S. K. Swami	Director, National Disaster Management Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India
	②	Mr. V.P. Pasrija	Assistant Director, National Disaster Management Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India
Indonesia	①②	Mr. Sugeng Triutomo	Deputy Assistant, Emergency Response, National Disaster Management Coordinating Board

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Japan	①	Mr. Shigetaro Yamamoto	Director General for Disaster Management, Cabinet Office, The Government of Japan
	②	Mr. Katsuhiko Hara	Director for Disaster Preparedness, Cabinet Office, The Government of Japan
Kazakhstan	①	Mr. Nurahmet Bijanov	First Deputy of Chairman, Emergency Agency, Emergency Agency of the Republic of Kazakhstan
	②	Ms. Laura H.Lukpanova	Main Expert, International Cooperation Office, Emergency Agency of the Republic of Kazakhstan
Kyrgyz	①	Mr. Eshmambetov Radbek Bakievich	Minister, Ministry of Ecology and Emergency Situation of the Kyrgyz Republic
	②	Ms. Ainura Rakunbaeva	Senior Specialist, International Cooperation, Ministry of Ecology and Emergency Situation of the Kyrgyz Republic
Laos	①	Mr. Phetsavang Sounnalath	Director, Department of Social Welfare, National Disaster Management Office, Ministry of Labor & Social Welfare
	②	Mr. Vilaphong Sisomvang	Training Manager, Department of Social Welfare, National Disaster Management Office, Ministry of Labor & Social Welfare
Malaysia	①	Mr. Mohamad bin Haji Yaakub	Director, Crisis and Disaster Management Unit, National Security Division, Prime Minister's Department
	②	Mr. Abdul Khadir Othman	Deputy Director, Crisis and Disaster Management Unit, Division of National Security, Prime Minister's Department
Mongolia	①②	Dr. H.Ykhanbai	Director, Department of Strategic Planning and Management, Ministry of Nature and Environment
Myanmar	①	Colonel Myint Htun	Director General, Fire Services Department (H.Q), Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement
	②	Mr. U Zaw Win	Director, Fire Services Department (H.Q), Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement
Nepal	①	Mr. Kumar Prasad Poudyal	Director General, Dept. of Narcotics Control and Disaster Management, Ministry of Home Affairs
	②	Dr. Meen Bahadur Poudyal Chhetri	Director, Dept. of Narcotics control and Disaster Management, Ministry of Home Affairs

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Papua New Guinea	①	Mr. Eric Ani	Secretary & Chairman, National Disaster Committee, Dept. of Provincial and Local Government Affairs
	②	Mr. Kaigabu Kamnanaya	Assistant Director (Risk Management), National Disaster Management Office, Department of Provincial and Local Government Affairs
	②	Mr. Henry J Mokono	Director General, National Disaster Management Office, Dept. of Provincial and Local Government Affairs
	②	Ms. Philomena Miria	National Disaster Management Office, Dept. of Provincial and Local Government Affairs
Philippines	①	Mr. Angelo T. Reyes	Secretary, Department of National Defense
	①	Gen. Melchor P Rosales	Administrator, Office of Civil Defense, Department of National Defense
	②	Col. Elma Aldea	Deputy Administrator, Office of Civil Defense, Department of National Defense
Korea	①	Mr. Ki Sung Bang	Director-General, Disaster Prevention and Preparedness Bureau, Ministry of Government Administration and Home Affairs
	②	Mr. Lee Byung-Rok	Director, Disaster Prevention Planning Division, Ministry of Government Administration and Home Affairs
	②	Mr. Jeong Song	Disaster Prevention Planning Officer, Ministry of Government Administration and Home Affairs
	②	Dr. Park Dugkeun	Senior Analyst, National Institute for Disaster Prevention, Ministry of Government Administration and Home Affairs
Russia	①	Mr. Yury V. Brajnikov	Chief, Dept. of International Cooperation, EMERCOM of Russia
	②	Dr. Vladimir Kuvshinov	Deputy Chief of Desk, Dept. of International Cooperation, EMERCOM of Russia
	②	Ms. Svetlana Bandurkina	Senior Expert, Dept. of International Cooperation, EMERCOM of Russia
Singapore	①	Mr. Tan Chan Seng	Commissioner, Singapore Civil Defense Force
	②	Mr. Maj Phua Huat Hor	Training Department, Singapore Civil Defense Force
Sri Lanka	①	Ms. V.Jegarasasingm	Secretary, Ministry of Social Welfare
	②	Mr. Nimal D. Hettiarachchi	Director, National Disaster Management Centre, Ministry of Social Welfare
Tajikistan	①	Dr. Abdurakhim Radjabov	First Deputy Minister, Ministry of Emergency Situation and Civil Defense
	②	Ms. Shakhnoza Khaidarova	Ministry of Emergency Situations and Civil Defense

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Thailand	①	Mr. Kosin Kesthong	Director-General, Dept. Disaster Prevention and Mitigation, Ministry of Interior
	②	Mr. Kongrod Sompot	Acting Chief of External Relations Section, Dept. of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation, Ministry of Interior
Uzbekistan	①②	Mr. Valentin Olegovich Sosnovsky	Head of Department for Protection of Populated Territories of Ministry of Emergency Situation
Vietnam	①	Mr. Dang Quang Tinh	Director, Department of Dike Management and Flood Control, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development
	②	Mr. Le Xuan Truong	Deputy Director, Department of Dike Management and Flood Control, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development

Table 2-1-1-2 Advisor Countries

Classification: ① Supervisor, ② Contact person, ③ Attended 3rd ADRC Expert Meeting

Country	Classification	Name	Title
Australia	①	Mr. David Templeman	Director General, Emergency Management Australia
	②	Mr. Morris Bradley	Director of Business Management, Emergency Management Australia
Switzerland	①	Mr. Beat Kuenzi	Senior Program Officer, Division for Humanitarian Aid and Swiss Disaster Relief, Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation
	②	Dr. Markus Zimmermann	Consultant for Disaster Reduction, Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation
France	①	Mr. le Profet Michel Sappin	Directeur, Direction de la Defense et de la Securite Civiles, Ministere de l'Interieur
	②	Colonel Philippe Nardin	Chef de la Mission des relation internationales, Direction de la Defense et de la Securite Civile, Ministere de l'Interieur
	②	Mr. Gilles Bursauq	Directeur de Cabinet, Direction de la Defense et de la Securite Civile, Ministere de l'Interieur
New Zealand	①②	Mr. John Norton	Director, Emergency Management and Civil Defense, Office of Emergency Management & Civil Defense

Table 2-1-1-3 Observers

Classification: ① Supervisor, ② Contact person, ③ Attended 4th ADRC Expert Meeting

Country	Classification	Name	Title
ADPC	①	Dr. Suvit Yodmani	Executive Director, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center
	②	Mr. A.J. Rego	Director, Planning Development & Partnerships, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center