

## [Brief Report of Thematic Workshop on Water-Related Disaster and Its Management in Asian Countries]

Based on the previous Action Plan of 2006-2007, NARBO is planning a series of three workshops on the theme of Water-Related Disaster and Its Management in Asian Countries.

The first workshop was carried out and the characteristics and issues on water-related disaster management were identified.

### 1. First Workshop in Indonesia

**Date:** 25-29 November 2007

**Place:** Yogyakarta, Indonesia

**Host:** Serayu-Opak River Basin Office of Yogyakarta

**Participants:** 9 delegates from 8 countries



Session in the workshop  
(Sabo Technical Center)



Sharing in disaster experiences with  
local residents (in Bantul District)

The workshop's goal is to develop capacity of key organizations for water-related disaster management by (i) providing basic concepts and principles; (ii) sharing country challenges and strategies; and (iii) formulating an action plan.

The coming second and third workshops are planning as follows.

- Second Workshop, in the Philippines, July or August 2008  
Objective: Evaluate strategies and solutions to address the issues.
- Third Workshop, in selected participant's country, last half of 2008  
Objective: Present and discuss participants' action plan.