

About the 3rd thematic workshop on water allocation and water rights

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1. Introduction ~ General Information

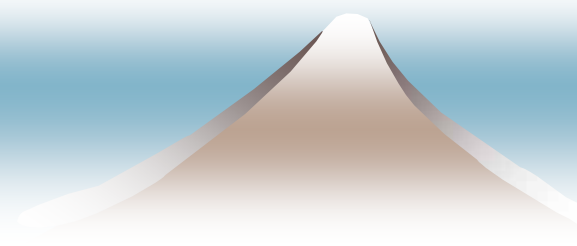
- ◆ Venue : Bangkok, Thailand

- ◆ 3rd Host Organization:

*Department of Water Resources (DWR),
Ministry of Natural Resources & Environment*

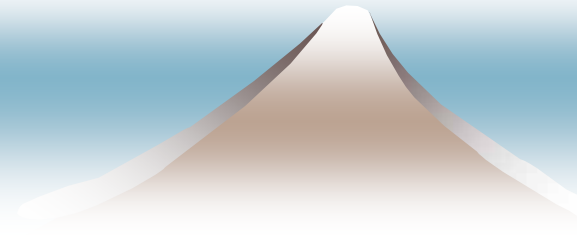
- ◆ Date : 28th Nov – 1st Dec

- ◆ Period : 4days (3days discussion, 1day site visit)



1. Introduction ~ What is the thematic workshop ?

- ◆ Focused and specific theme
- ◆ Small scale & profound discussion
- ◆ Improvement from the pragmatic and practical viewpoint
- ◆ Simple style
- ◆ Series of workshops (4 times)



1. Introduction ~ Expected Outcome

The expected outcome of each workshop

1st- To identify the issues in participants' countries

2nd- To analyze the cause of the issues and propose plans for improvement

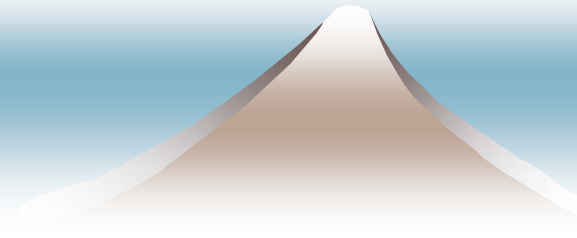
3rd- To review the 1st and 2nd workshop and propose plans for improvement

4th- To draft the action plan

We don't mean to prepare the action plans for super goals. We mean to consider what should be done in the near future.

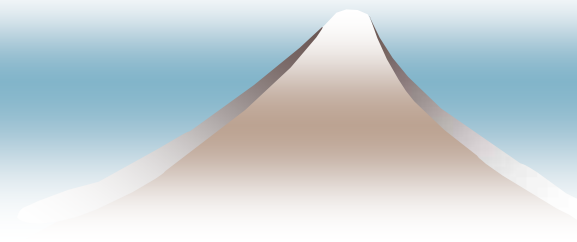
2. Summary of the former workshops & discussions

- ◆ Already finished to identify the issues on water allocation and to analyze the causes
- ◆ Internal discussion between workshops in participants' countries
- ◆ In the 2nd workshop, a lot of issues were discussed. This time, the number of issues are limited to 3-4, in order to make discussion deeply.



3. Programs ~ Sessions

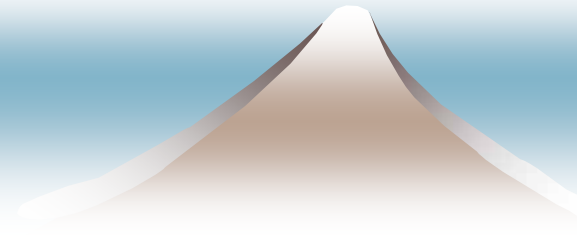
- ◆ Session 1: Report on the situation of dissemination and discussion in participants' countries
- ◆ Session 2: Review of the former workshops (1)
- ◆ Session 3: Review of the former workshops (2)
- ◆ Session 4: Internal Discussion & Revision of the Discussion Materials
- ◆ Session 5: Presentation on the revision of the discussion materials



3. Programs ~ From Japan

2 presentations will be held.

- ◆ Groundwater management
~ From Japanese Government
- ◆ The River Law in Japan
~ From ADB Institute



4. How to proceed the discussion?

- ◆ Presentation
- ◆ Q&A, Discussion
- ◆ Adjust, Rewrite, Overwrite your discussion materials (In the Session 4)
- ◆ Preparation of final outcome might be an assignment.



5. Methodology

1. Grasping Issues
2. Analysis of the causes of the issues grasped in the step 1
3. Proposal of solution (approach to improvement) and processes/procedures for realizing the proposal
4. Evaluation of the proposals considered in the step3 (From the viewpoint of effectiveness, feasibility, and sustainability)
5. Preparation for the “Action Plan”

