

DISCUSSION MATERIAL 1

	COUNTRY NAME: Indonesia	NAME OF ORGANIZATION: Ministry of Public Works, Directorate General for Water Resources
1.	The issue selected	Roles of organizations related to water is defined in various laws and regulation. Coordination through Coordinating Minister (embryo for apex body of National Water Council) is not intensively implemented.
	Please described the bad impact or real trouble derived by the issue	<i>Problems on Food security due to change of technical irrigation area into other purposes, 2001-2003 was around 600,000 ha. Water during dry season only warrants less than 10% of irrigation water supply through existing reservoirs (dams). The rest is vulnerable from flood & drought. Drought occurrence is 90,000 ha/annum, annual flood is increasing in frequency, distribution, and magnitude. Problems on domestic water supply, its availability and problems on water pollution. Problems on water conservation resulted from among others forest denudation.</i>
2.	Causes of the issues	Lack of coordination among water resources related ministries.
3.	Proposal 1	Establishment of Water Councils in accordance with New Water Law.
4.	Remarks	This is a high priority program in water resources, to encourage coordination in every level, since water is everybody's concerns.

1. I agree with you that the three proposals shall be merge into one as stated in Row 3.
2. Your comment is absolutely correct. To intensify coordination in lower level for partnership in water security (water conservation) is one task of the Water councils.

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1.	The issue selected	Conflicts on water resources management occurred due to different authority and management for different purpose or use of water in the basin levels.
	Please described the bad impact or real trouble derived by the issue	Short of electricity, drought, and flood.
2.	Causes of the issues	Poor management of watershed, resulting in rapid sedimentation of reservoir that reduced the capacity of the hydropower plant to supply electricity to the province. The reduced reservoir capacity also reducing its capability to prevent flood and drought.
3.	Proposal 1	To prepare integrated water resources plan at the basin level.
4.	Remarks	The importance is that we shall start implementing the law to reduce the conflicts.

1. Agree to your comment to shorten the proposal into the above.
2. We realize the importance of developing basin plan.

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1.	The issue selected	Fast deterioration of infrastructures, quick aging.
	Please described the bad impact or real trouble derived by the issue	Sluices gates broken or even stolen. Reduced capacity of canal due to sedimentation or side failures.
2.	Causes of the issues	Lack of maintenance effort, and Inadequate asset management.
3.	Proposal 1	Create standard of procedure for managing assets in the form of manuals, and regulation.
4.	Remarks	Since 2004, a new directorate is established, Directorate for Water Resources Management. The main function is the operation and maintenance of water resources infrastructures guidance. The directorate shall improve the infrastructures conditions and functions.