

Cooperation for Peace and Prosperity at SEA

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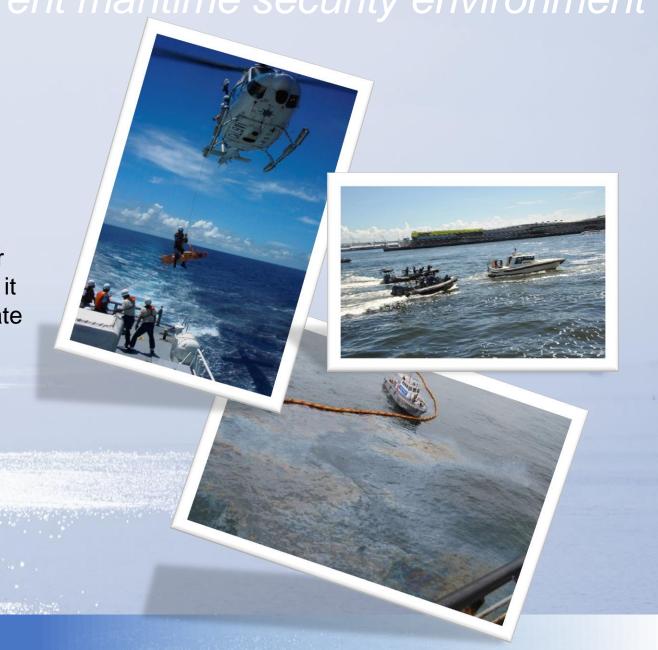
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# Asian Coast Guard, the Role to be required

under the current maritime security environment

Historically, coast guards have ensured maritime safety and security through organizing SAR operations, maintaining maritime order, conserving the natural environment, and other duties. These duties are linked with other countries via the ocean and thus, it is vital to cooperate and collaborate with foreign coast guards.



### **The First Responders and Front-line Actors**



### **New Maritime Era in Asia**

#### **Maritime Interests**

becoming keen in Asia











**Maritime Crimes** 

becoming global & borderless,
Accidents & Disasters

becoming extensive

### **Establishment of Coast Guard as a Non-military Agency**



#### **Asian**

countries established Coast Guard to utilize white ships rather than gray ships

This unique trend is a paradigm shift to respond globalized maritime incidents while preventing maritime conflicts from escalating into military conflicts.

1948: Japan

1953: South Korea

1998: Philippines

2005: Malaysia

2013: China

2013: Vietnam

2014: Indonesia



### Cooperation, Shield, and the Rule of Law



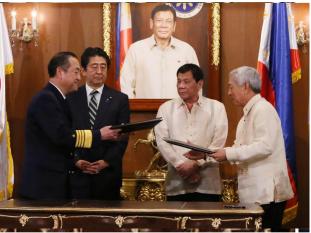
Coast Guard as a Buffer function can increase the possibility of peaceful settlement of a conflict b/w nations over maritime interests.

## Regional Cooperation for Peace and Prosperity















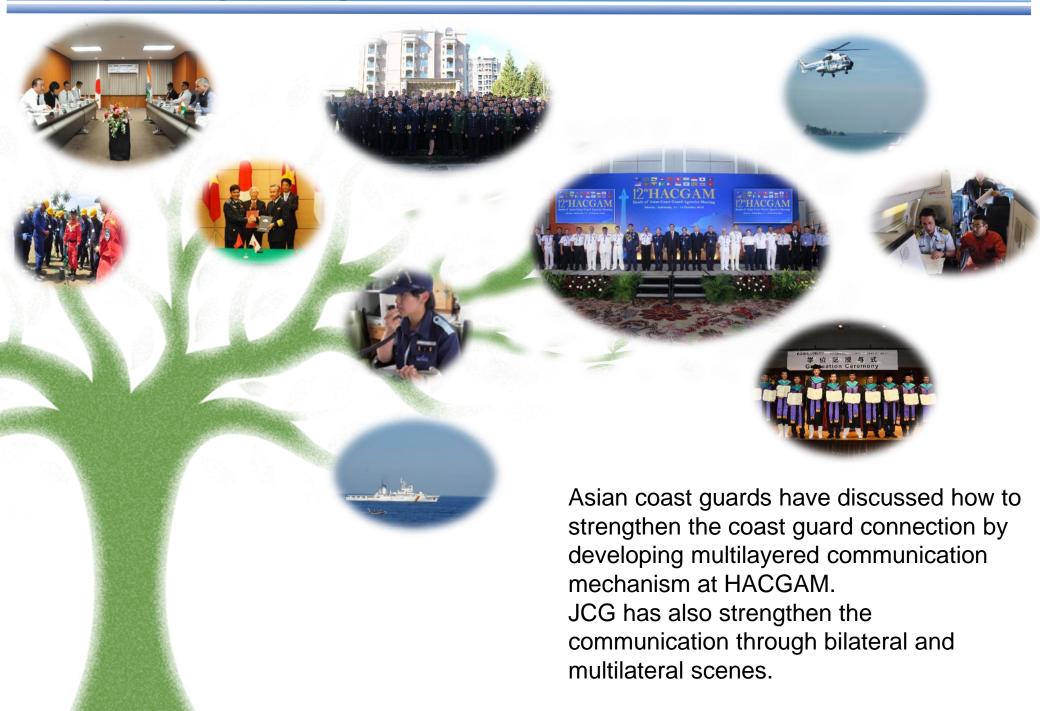






### Strengthening coast guard connection





# Future, what coast guards should think



### From Region to Global, collaborative power for new challenges

## Challenges

**Natural Environment** 

**Large-scale Disasters** 

Northern Sea Route

**Social Environment** 

**Terrorism and Extremism** 

**Transnational crimes** 

### **Actions**

Individual is poor

Bilateral is still not enough

Regional is acceptable

Global cooperation is required







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# Open Up the Future Together







