

ASEAN Regional Forum Disaster Relief Exercise 2011
Field Exercise and Humanitarian Civic Action / Rehabilitation

Concept Paper

1. Background
 - 1.1. ARF DiREx 2011 will be co-chaired by Indonesia and Japan with participation of ARF members and related international and regional organizations in March, 2011.
 - 1.2. As there is limited activity of disaster relief field exercise at multinational level in the region, the ARF DiREx 2011 can be an important venue for all ARF Participants to test and improve the capacity of their disaster response mechanism in an multinational operation context.
2. Objectives:
 - 2.1. To enhance confidence and mutual understanding among ARF Participants in the context of multinational disaster relief operations in the region;
 - 2.2. To improve civilian-led military-supported DR operations and civil-military coordination at operational and tactical level;
 - 2.3. To develop cooperation and interoperability among ARF nations' civilian (including civil society organizations) and military agencies at operational and tactical level;
 - 2.4. To provide actual humanitarian assistance needed by local people among others in the form of medical and rehabilitation services.
3. Benefit of the exercise is intended to cover the interest of the region as a whole and individual participant of the ARF in dealing with the immediate impacts of large-scale disasters:
 - 3.1. The exercise is aimed at improving capacity and capability of disaster relief response mechanism of ARF Participants especially in the context of civil-military coordination;
 - 3.2. The exercise can significantly contribute to the strengthening of networking among the disaster relief teams and officials which can improve better coordination in the context of actual disasters relief operation;
 - 3.3. ARF participants collectively and individually can identify operational issues in a disaster relief operation, and possible strategic background that has to be addressed in ensuring timely delivery of assistance in emergency state;
 - 3.4. Humanitarian civic action (HCA) / Rehabilitation represents concrete measures of cooperation among ARF participants even at the grass root level.
4. Targeted Audience:
 - 4.1. Players: civilian and military disaster relief teams, and officials from ARF Participants, selected international organizations, and non-governmental organization, responsible for disaster relief at operational and tactical level;
 - 4.2. Observers: diplomatic community in Indonesia, international media, and selected civil society organizations.
5. Framework of Exercise: the exercise is designed and developed to address the operational issues of multinational disaster relief operation involving ARF Participants. Framework could include but not limited to the following:
 - 5.1. Actors:
 - 5.1.1. Affected states: Incident Commander (IC)
 - 5.1.2. Coordinating: civilian-military coordination unit/center
 - 5.1.3. Assisting entities include: ARF Participants, International Organizations, ASEAN, and NGOs
 - 5.2. Stages:
 - 5.2.1. Preparation and early stage:
 - CIQ (Custom, Immigration, and Quarantine);
 - Flight clearance and ground handling.
 - 5.2.2. Operation:
 - Allocation of assets

- Host nation security
 - Accomodation of foreign teams
 - Establishment of civil-military operation center or/and OSOCC
 - Warehousing
- 5.2.3. Exit
- CIQ (Custom, Immigration, and Quarantine);
 - Transition of asset management.
- 5.3. Aspects of DR operation:
- 5.3.1. Evacuation and Identification (including: USAR, search and Rescue and Maritime rescue)
 - 5.3.2. Logistical Distribution (including air lift, and sea lift)
 - 5.3.3. Recovery and reconstruction
 - 5.3.4. Mapping service, Communication, Public information
 - 5.3.5. Medical operation (Hospitalization and Sanitation)
 - 5.3.6. Displaced person relocation (including: Shelter, Water Supply, and Community/Field Kitchen)
- 5.4. Proposed areas of operation (please see attachment for further details):
- 5.4.1. Manado city and Sindulang village
 - 5.4.2. Bunaken Island
 - 5.4.3. Mantehage Island
 - 5.4.4. Siladen Island

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EXPECTED FTX/HCA ACTIVITIES



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EXPECTED FTX/HCA ACTIVITIES

THEATRE OF OPERATION



MINAESA Village



- Water Sanitation
- Road Reconstruction
- Bridge Reconstruction
- Air & Maritime Evacuation

WORI Village



- Medical Evacuation
- Road Reconstruction
- MEDCAP
- Air & Maritime Evacuation
- BTS Establishment

KIMABAJO Village



- Water Sanitation
- Toilet Renovation
- Road Reconstruction
- Bridge Reconstruction
- Logistic *Air Drop*
- Search and Rescue



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