

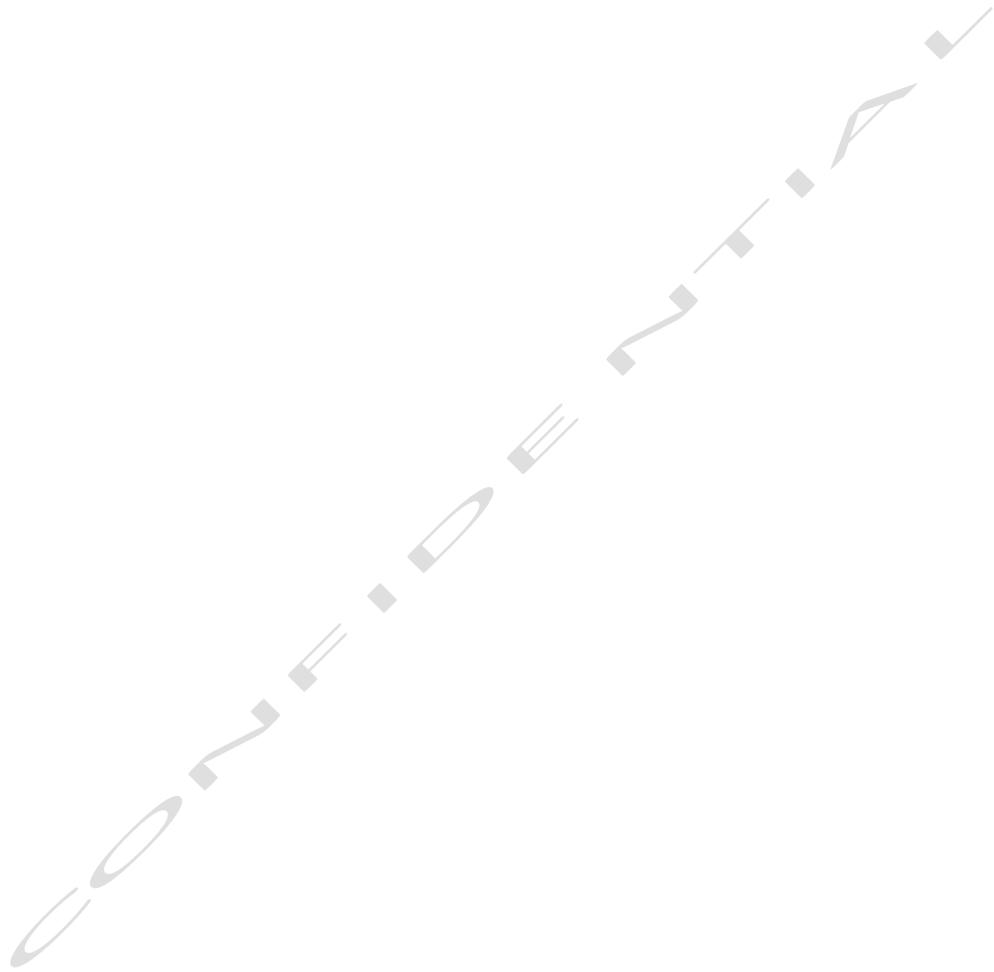
The creation of an international, interdisciplinary task force composed by high-level representatives of various related parties to support and instrumentalize the implementation of the cooperative framework in 2024 and beyond.

Section 1: General Information	
Summary	Indonesia, the Netherlands, and other partners initiate the international task force of high-level representatives to implement cooperative frameworks in 2024, focusing on water resource management in archipelagic and delta regions, aligning with the IWRA's First Islands Water Congress.
Proponent Name(s)	Ministry of Public Works & Housings, (MPWH) Government of Indonesia Ministry of Marine & Fisheries (MMF), Government of Indonesia Ministry of Infrastructure & Water (MIW), Government of the Netherlands International Water Resources Association (IWRA) Pacific Island Forum (PIF)
Proponent Type	Government and International Organizations
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Region	Caribbean, Pacific, African, Indian Ocean, Mediterranean, and South China
Section 2: Commitment	
Linkages to SDG 6	Protection of freshwater systems, improvement of food security through climate-adaptive agriculture, and addressing surface and groundwater depletion on archipelago, islets, and river deltas on coastal protection, rainwater harvesting, reduction water

	consumption, improving water efficiency, lowland management, and disaster mitigation methods.
Target	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating platform of south-south and triangular cooperation, which requires the promotion and, where already possible, the implementation of IWRM, in securing the freshwater cycle in SIS, SNIJ, and small islands within archipelagic states and delta countries. • A designated task force will be developed consisting of high-level representatives to lead and implement this framework, considering the IWRA's First Islands Water Congress (4-6 September 2024, Torshavn) and other UN related events in 2025 and 2026. • The task force will discuss the promotion and, where already possible, the implementation of IWRM for SIS, SNIJ, and small islands within archipelagic states and delta countries, including the connectivity with other strategic activity like the establishment of a centre of excellence (COE) on water and climate resilience.
Linkages to other SDG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Health and Well-Being (SDG 3) • Sustainable Cities and Communities (SDG 11) • Responsible Consumption (SDG 12) • Climate Change (SDG 13) • Life on Land (SDG 15) • Partnerships for the Goals (SDG 17)

Section 3: Actions and Outcomes to Achieve Targets	
Relevant Sub-Theme	<p>Sub-Theme 1, "Water Security and Prosperity"</p> <p>Sub-Theme 2, "Water for Humans and Nature"</p> <p>Sub-Theme 6, "Knowledge and Innovation"</p>
Actions and Outcomes	<p>Expected Outcome:</p> <p>Interdisciplinary Task Force</p> <p>This international, interdisciplinary task force will compose of high-level representatives from various related parties within this HLP to support and instrumentalize the implementation of the cooperative framework in 2024 and beyond.</p> <p>Action:</p> <p>Establishment of a Centre of Excellence</p> <p>Centre of excellence will act as a forum for knowledge-sharing, technology improvements, or trainings between small islands in Caribbean, Pacific, African, Indian Ocean, Mediterranean, and South</p>

	China to increase resilience against climate change impact, protecting freshwater cycle and hydrologic lens in small islands. The centre of excellence may consist of partnerships between Indonesia (BMKG), Japan, Netherland (Deltares), and another partner such as IWRA.	
Implementation Period	Start Period	2024
	End Period	2029
Financial Commitment	USD 100.000	



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