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"Ecosystem Services in the Asia-Pacific Region"

1- 3 October 2009, with field trip on 3 October Venue: G Hotel, Penang, Malaysia

Organised by: Ministry of the Environment of Japan (MoEJ)

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The objectives of the Workshop are twofold: 1.) To review the management features of satoyama-like landscapes in the Asia-Pacific region and their benefits for biodiversity conservation and human well-being; and 2.) To discuss strategic elements of Vision and Perspectives of the Satoyama Initiative concept as well as international partnership under the Initiative, in the context of post 2010 strategy and action plans of CBD and human development.

Day 1: 1 OCTOBER 2009			
OPENING SES	OPENING SESSION		
10:00 - 10:20	Opening Remarks		
	Tsunao Watanabe , Deputy Director-General, Nature Conservation Bureau, Ministry of the Environment,		
	Japan		
	Aziyah Mohamed, Deputy Secretary General, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Malaysia		
	Dzulkifli Abdul Razak, Vice Chancellor and Professor, Universiti Sains Malaysia		
10:20 - 10:40	Workshop Introductions: The Initiative and Satoyama-like Landscapes		
	Yoshihiro Natori, Senior Fellow, United Nations University Institute of Advanced Studies		
10:40 - 11:00	Keynote Presentation		
	Ecosystem Services from Satoyama-like Landscape and Human Development		
	A.H. Zakri, Director, Center for Global Sustainability Study, Universiti Sains Malaysia		
11:00 - 11:15	Presentation		
	Living in Harmony with Nature		
	Emil Salim, Special Envoy of the President, Republic of Indonesia		

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11:15 - 11:35	Coffee Break
SESSION 1:	Living in Harmony with Nature in the Asia-Pacific Region
	Chair: Shaharuddin Mohd Ismail, <i>Principal Fellow, LESTARI</i>
11:35 – 11:50	Presentation
	The Management Features of Satoyama-like Landscapes in Cambodia and their Benefits for
	Biodiversity Conservation and Human Well-being
	Somaly Chan, Director of International Conservation and Biodiversity, Department of the Ministry of
	Environment, Cambodia
11:50 - 12:05	Presentation
	The Management Features of Satoyama-like Landscapes in Cook Islands and their Benefits for
	Biodiversity Conservation and Human Well-being
	Phillip Strickland, National Environment Division, Environment Services, Cook Islands
12:05 - 12:20	Presentation
	The Management Features of Satoyama-like Landscapes in India and their Benefits for
	Biodiversity Conservation and Human Well-being
	G.V.Subrahmanyam, Adviser, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India
12:20 - 12:35	Presentation
	The Management Features of Satoyama-like Landscapes in Iran and their Benefits for
	Biodiversity Conservation and Human Well-being
	Hamid Farahani Rad, Sustainable Social and Environmental Development Consultant, Iran
12:35 - 12:50	Presentation
	The Management Features of Satoyama-like Landscapes in Nepal and their Benefits for
	Biodiversity Conservation and Human Well-being
	Krishna Chandra Paudel, Director General, Department of Forests, Nepal
12:50 - 13:05	Presentation
	The Management Features of Satoyama-like Landscapes in China and their Benefits for
	Biodiversity Conservation and Human Well-being
	Yu Peng, Associate Professor, College of Life and Environmental Science, Minzu University of China
13:05 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 -14:30	Presentation
	Satoyama-like Landscapes in Regions other than in the Asia-Pacific Region
	Shinichi Murata, Executive Producer, NHK, Japan
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#### SESSION 2 will address the following key questions:

- 1) What are the common and different elements of satoyama-like landscapes in the Asia-Pacific region with regard to their management and benefits?
- 2) What are the challenges to the successful management of satoyama-like landscapes?
- 3) Can satoyama-like landscapes be more beneficial to developing countries?

14:30 - 17:00	Round Table Discussion
	Chair: A.H.Zakri, <i>Director</i> , <i>CGSS</i>
	Presentation from IGES
	Coffee break
	Presentation from Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)
17:00 – 17:10	Short Break
17:10 - 17:35	Special Presentation
	Satoyama, Sustainable Use and the Ecosystem Approach: Visions for Biodiversity
	Spencer Thomas, Chair of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice, CBD
17:35-17:50	Announcement of the launch of the portal site for the Satoyama Initiative
	Sean Wood, Creative Director, UNU-Media Studio

#### Day 2: **2 OCTOBER 2009**

SESSION 3: The Satoyama Initiative Concept and Potential Synergies with other International Partnerships for Sustainable Natural Resources Use/Management

Mohd Nordin Hasan, Director, ICSU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific

9:00 – 9:15	Recapturing of Day 1
	A.H. Zakri, Director, CGSS
9:15 - 9:30	Introduction : How to advance the Satoyama initiative
	Tsunao Watanabe, Deputy Director-General, Nature Conservation Bureau, MOEJ
9:30 - 9:55	Presentation
	Satoyama and Ecoagriculture: Building Links among International Programmes for Sustainable
	Agriculture
	Jeff McNeely, Chief Scientist, IUCN and Chair, Board of Eco-agriculture Partners

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9:55 - 10:20	Presentation	
	Conservation and Adaptive Management of Globally Important Agricultural Heritage System	
	(GIAHS)	
	Maharaj Muthoo, Member, Steering Committee of GIAHS	
10:20 - 10:45	Presentation	
	Sustainable Bamboo Forest Management Contributes to Effective Satoyama Landscape	
	Management	
	J.Coosje Hoogendoorn, Director General, International Network for Bamboo and Rattan (INBAR)	
10:45 – 11:05	Presentation (teleconference)	
	Local Capacity and Action for the Environment and Sustainable Development	
	Eileen de Ravin, Manager, Equator Initiative, UNDP Environment and Energy Group	
SESSION 4: The strategic elements of Vision and Perspectives of the <i>Satoyama</i> Initiative concept as well as international partnership under SI, in the context of post 2010 strategy and action plans of CBD and human development		
Chair: Kazuh	niko Takeuchi, Vice Rector, UNU	
11:05-11:25	Presentation	
	Incentive Provision: Payments for Ecosystem Services	
	Cielito F. Habito, Professor, Dept.of Economics, and Director, Ateneo Center for Economic Research and	
	Development, Ateneo de Manila University	
11:25 - 11:50	Presentation	
	Satoyama: A Tool for the Implementation of the CBD and Benefit to the Millennium	
	Development Goals	
	Kalemani Jo Mulongoy, Principal Officer, Scientific, Technical and Technological Matters Division, SCBD	
11:50 – 13:00	Lunch	
13:00 – 13:25	Presentation What is the Satoyama Initiative's Vision? Kazuhiko Takeuchi, Vice Rector, UNU	
13:25 - 15:30	Round Table Discussion	
	1. Strategic Elements of Vision and Perspectives of the <i>Satoyama</i> Initiative Concept	
	2. Towards the Launch of Partnership ( <i>Satoyama</i> International Partnership)	
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break	
16:00 – 16:40	Chair's Summary of the Workshop	
16:40 – 16:45	Closing Remarks Kazuhiko Takeuchi, Vice Rector, UNU	
	Nazoniko Takcocni, vice Nector, ONO	

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