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Title: MANAGING CORAL REEFS FOR RESILIENCE TO CLIMATE CHANGE - PROGRESS MADE AND KEY PRIORITIES TOWARDS MEETING AICHI TARGET 10 –

Description: The event will share information on coral reef planning and management approaches that safeguard or enhance coral reef resilience to increasing threats from climate change. Through presentations and panel discussion the event will review experiences and progress made, and discuss further actions and measures towards managing and conserving coral reefs for ecosystem service provision in the long term.

Organizers: UNEP & ICRI (International Coral Reef Initiative)

Time & Date: 13:15-14:45 (Lunch-Time), Friday, 10 October 2014

Venue: Hall F, Room 2 – LMMC Meeting Room

Agenda:

1. Welcome remarks: (Makiko Yanagiya, ICRI)

2. Introduction: “Why resilience?” (Jackie Alder UNEP)
   Concept and recent progress in development of approaches and tools for resilience-based management

3. Case studies from countries and region
   3.1. Needs of Resilience Assessment for MPA management in Japan (Tadashi Kimura, Japan Wildlife Research Center)

   3.2. Using resilience indicators for Spatial Planning for coral reefs in Thailand (Niphon Phongsuwan, Department of Marine and Coastal Resources)

   3.3. Emerging science and strengthening monitoring in support of resilience-based management in Indian Ocean (David Obura, CORDIO)

4. Coral reef work plan by CBD (Sakhile Koketso, CBD Secretariat)

5. Open discussion with questions from the floor

6. Concluding remarks by presenters