



Memorandum of Understanding on the
Conservation and Management of Marine Turtles and
their Habitats of the Indian Ocean and South-East Asia

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SEVENTH MEETING OF THE SIGNATORY STATES
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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Welcoming remarks
2. Signature of the Memorandum of Understanding by additional States
3. Election of officers
4. Adoption of the agenda and schedule
5. Opening statements
6. Reports of the Secretariat and Advisory Committee
 - (a) Report of the Secretariat
 - (b) Report of the Advisory Committee Chair
7. Review of implementation progress
 - (a) Synthesis of national reports – overview of IOSEA MoU implementation to date
 - (b) Recommendations arising from species assessments
 - (c) National networks/committees
 - (d) Sub-regional groups and related coordination mechanisms
 - (e) Current use and further development of online implementation tools
8. Major thematic issues (including draft resolutions)
 - (a) Network of sites of importance for marine turtles and their habitats
 - (b) Further development of the technical support/capacity-building programme
 - (c) Reviews/analyses arising from the Sixth Meeting of Signatory States
 - (d) Other matters (expert presentations)
9. Institutional matters
 - (a) IOSEA Focal Point roles and responsibilities (including inter-sessional executive committee)
 - (b) Advisory Committee membership and tasks
 - (c) Collaboration with other organisations (e.g. IGOs, NGOs, private sector)
 - (d) Forthcoming meetings and events of relevance to IOSEA
 - (e) Next meeting of the Signatory States
10. Financial and administrative matters
 - (a) Review of expenditures and status of voluntary contributions
 - (b) Work programme and indicative budget for 2015-2016
 - (c) Proposed Secretariat arrangements during special leave of absence of Co-ordinator
 - (d) Additional sources of funding and support for coordination and implementation
11. Any other business
12. Closure of the meeting