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How Diagram - Mun Basin -





Surface Runoff of Khong River Basin (Average 1970-2006)



Surface Runoff of Mun River Basin (Average 1970-2006)





Surface Runoff of Chi River Basin (Average 1970-2006)

Surface Runoff of Other Major Stations Data sources : Processed by Jica Study Team based on RID, DWR's observation records.

Appendix 3.7.5 Station Observed Max. Runoff (Flood) in 1966-2007



Severity rate of Discharge (Flood) Compared with Average Discharge Level



Drought Village % in Domestic Use (unit: %)

% of

Villgae *2



Drought Village % in Agriculture Use (unit: %)



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Appendix 3.8.2 Agriculture Water Demand of Sub-basin



Agricultural Water Demand for Sub-Basins

Subasin Name	Code	W. Reqr. (MCM) -Year-	W. Reqr. (MCM) -Wet-	W. Reqr. (MCM) -Dry-
Khongpart 3	0210	1	1	0
Nam Mhun	0211	0	0	0
Nam Sam	0212	3 14	3	1
Huai Namnuan	0213	10 48	47	1
Lower Loei	0215	102	91	11
Khong part 5	0216	18	18	0
Huai Namsoem	0217	18	17	1
Nam Moeng	0218	111	91	21
Khong part 6	0219	160	87	/3
Huailuano	0220	49 200	40 156	2 53
Huai Darn	0222	5	5	0
Khongpart 7	0223	179	125	54
UPPER KHONG		920	701	219
Upper Songkhram	0224	63	59	4
Lower Songknram	0225	/2 12	60 12	/
Huai Hii	0220	12	8	0
Huai Namvarm	0228	45	41	3
Huai Nam Oon	0229	478	325	153
Huai Thuay	0230	46	42	5
Khong part 8	0231	56	50	6
Nam Phung	0232	71	65	6
Huai Nam Kham	0233	156	140	16
Huai Banosai	0234	14 22	13	ا ر
Huai Muk	0236	17	20 15	2
Huai Bang Ei	0237	40	34	5
Lower Khong	0238	59	52	6
LOWER KHONC		1,159	944	215
KHONG (TOTAL)	0.400	2,079	1,645	434
Upper Chi	0402	52	52	0
Lam Kraiuan	0403	/ 7	7	0
Lam Khanchoo	0405	45	43	3
Chi part 2	0406	196	193	3
Huai Sammo	0407	28	28	0
Chi part 3	0408	134	131	2
UPPERCH	0.400	469	461	8
Upper Phong	0409	105 7	102 7	2
Lam Phaniena	0410	/	32	1
NamPhrom	0412	144	126	18
Lam Namchern	0413	135	123	12
Lower Phong	0414	769	342	427
Huai Saibarth	0415	17	17	0
Chi part 4	0416	1/3	663	111
IVIIDULE CH	0/17	1,983	1,412	25
Lam Phanchard	0418	62	35	28
Lower Lampao	0419	922	460	462
Lam Namyoung	0420	171	151	20
Lower Chi	0421	334	263	71
		1,622	1,017	605
Unit (TUTAL)	0502	4,074	2,890	1,184
LamSae	0503	211	149	62
Lam Phra Ploeng	0504	277	198	79
Lam Takong	0505	411	291	120
Lam Choeng Krai	0506	147	145	2
Lam Chakkaraj	0507	84	79	5
Lam Nang Kong Lam Pa Toor	0508	218	192	25
Lam Plai Maas	0510	90 707	52 251	17 ЛА
Mun part 2	0511	<u>∠</u> ,, 204	168	-40
Huai Aek	0512	65	65	1
Lam Sathaed	0513	128	126	2
Lam Phang Chu	0514	115	108	7
UPPER MUN	0515	2,817	2,357	460
Huai ia khong Lam Chi	0515	104	91	13
Lam Phuh Phlao	0510	306 22	200 	46
LamTao	0518	<u></u> 27	<u></u> 26	1
Lam Siew Noi	0519	18	15	4
Lam Siew Yai	0520	208	189	19
Huai Thab Thun	0521	181	152	29
Mun part 3	0522	115	88	27
Huai Samran Huai Tha	0523 0F24	271	249	22
nual Ina Huia Khawwa	0525	69 115	6/	2
MIDDLE MUN	0.020	1 15	91 1 2/10	24 199
Huai Phoena	0526	28	28	100
	0527	187	154	33
Lam Sebai	Tonoo.	108	91	17
Lam Sebai Lam Sebok	0528			
Lam Sebai Lam Sebok Lam Dom Yai	0528 0529	162	137	25
Lam Sebai Lam Sebok Lam Dom Yai Lower Mun	0528 0529 0530	162 5	137	25 1
Lam Sebai Lam Sebok Lam Dom Yai Lower Mun Huai Tung Lung	0528 0529 0530 0531	162 5 4	137 4 4	25 1 0
Lam Sebai Lam Sebok Lam Dom Yai Lower Mun Huai Tung Lung Lam Dom Noi	0528 0529 0530 0531 0532	162 5 4 305 700	137 4 4 222 620	25 1 0 83
Lam Sebai Lam Sebok Lam Dom Yai Lower Mun Huai Tung Lung Lam Dom Noi LOWER MUN MI IN (TOTA)	0528 0529 0530 0531 0532	162 5 4 305 798 5 052	137 4 222 639 4 244	25 1 0 83 159 809

Appendix 3.8.3

Livestock Water Demand and Main Crops Water Requirement

Water demand for livestock in NE at the year 2009 and 2039 is estimated by the Department of Livestock Development for three river basins in NE as shown in the Table 1.

Basin	Water demand for	livestock (MCM)
	Present (2009)	Future (2039)
Khong	49	64
Chi	62	88
Mun	136	184
Total of Northeast region	247	336

Table 1 Estimated	Water	Demand	for	Livestock
Table I Estimateu	vv attr	Demanu	IUI	LIVESIUCK

Data source: Department of Livestock Development (Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives)

In addition, Summary of estimation results of water requirement for main crops is tabulated below. Among crop water requirements in the dry season, those for vegetable, maize, and groundnut are estimated about 30% to 35% of that for rice.

Crop water l	Requirement (D	ry Season)					
Crops	Potential	Effective	Irrigation	Irr.Req	Calc.	Calc.	Growing
	Water	Rainfall	Requirement	for Rice's	Planting	Harvesting	Period
	Requirement	(mm)	(mm)	(%)	Date	Date	
	(mm)				(Month,		
					Decade)		
Rice	691	166	924	100	Jan (2)	May(2)	5 month
Vegetable	382	82	298	32	Jan (2)	Apr(2)	3 month
Maize	476	187	310	34	Jan (2)	May(2)	4 month
Groundnut	514	207	319	35	Jan (2)	May(3)	4 month
Sugarcane	1,511	877	645	70	Jan (2)	Jan (2)	1 Year
Crop water 1	Requirement (W	et Season)					
Crops	Potential	Effective	Irrigation	Irr. Req	Calc.	Calc.	Growing
	Water	Rainfall	Requirement	for Rice's	Planting	Harvesting	Period
	Requirement	(mm)	(mm)	(%)	Date	Date	
	(mm)				(Month,		
					Decade)		
Rice	846	643	361	100	May (2)	Oct(2)	5 month
Vegetable	348	412	2	0	Jun (2)	Sep(2)	3 month
Maize	391	531	21	6	Jun (2)	Oct(2)	4 month
Groundnut	426	544	6	2	Jun (2)	Oct(3)	4 month
Sugarcane	1,501	877	780	216	Jun (2)	Jun(2)	1 Year

 Table 2
 Comparison on Water Requirement for Main Crops in Dry and Wet Seasons

Note: Calculation is made with CROPWAT based on RID and FAO information based on Agro-climate data

of Khon Kaen Province.

Appendix 3.9.1 Geologic Map and Salt Layer.of Khong, Chi and Mun Basin



Appendix 3.9.2 Hydrogeologic Map of Khong, Chi and Mun Basin









Hydrogeologic Map of Northeast Thailand

Note: Hydrogeologic Map is drawan based on DGR GIS data ,and well data is arranged by DGR inventory data carried out with the compilation of 1:50000 map of North East Hydroroly.

Appendix 3.9.3 Well and Hydrogeologic Information of Khong, Chi and Mun Basin



Well and Hydrologic Information (DGR 1999)



Groundwater Infiltration and Withdrawal

Appendix 3.10.1 Government Agencies Practice in Water Resources Management

Ministry	Department	Responsibility
1. Ministry of	1.1Royal Irrigation	- Water resources development in the
Agriculture and	Department (RID)	river basin by potentiality and equality
Cooperatives		- Efficient water management, equity and
		sustainable
		- Promotion of People's participations in
		the integrated water development and
		management
		- Protection of any water disaster
	1.2Bureau of Royal	- Rain making for national water
	Rainmaking and	resources management
	Agricultural	- Research and develop technology for
	Aviation	weather control
		- Aviation service and communication
		for agriculture purposes
	1.3Department of	- Study, survey, analyze and research
	Land Development	soil and land use for policy making in
		land development for agriculture
		- Inspection and advisory for water, crop,
		fertilizer concerning land development
		 Technology transfer to other
		government agencies and farmers
2. Ministry of	2.1Department of	- Policy making, master plan for water
National	Water Resources	resources development, conservation,
Resources and	(DWR)	rehabilitation as well as solving of water
Environment		crisis
		 Promotion of technology development, standard, criteria for water
		management and maintenance of
		water for domestic, industry and turism
		- Monitoring network, evaluation in water
		resources development and
		management
		- Study, research and provision of
		hydrological mapping
		- Conservation and rehabilitation of
		natural water resources, in order to
		have more efficient storage and
		improvement of hydraulic structures
		- Promotion of people participation,
		water user group, and water resources
		management network

Government Agencies Practice in Water Resources Management (Cont'd)

Ministry	Department	Responsibility
	2.2Department of	- Policy and measures making
	Underground	concerning underground water
	Water	resources
		- Survey, management, development,
		conservation, and rehabilitation of
		underground water resources
		- Conduct, coordinate, monitor, evaluate
		and problem solving for underground
		water resources
	2.3Department of	- Policy making, master plan for
	Pollution Control	promotion and maintenance of
		environmental quality, especially,
		pollution control
		- Conduct the environmental quality
		standard and pollution control standard
		for the point sources
		- Mitigation plan for environmental
		management, protective and problem
		solving for pollution control
		- Development of system, method for
		water quality, air and noise pollution
	2.4Office of Natural	- Policy making for natural resources and
	Resources and	environmental management
	Environmental	- Coordinating and mitigation plan
	Policy and	making for natural resources and
	Planning (ONEPP)	environment
		- Study, analysis, coordinating and
		conduct measures for the issue of
		natural resources and environmental
		protection area
		- Environmental Impacts Assessment for
		the projects or activities of Government
		or private sector
3. Ministry of	3.1Department of	- Planning, Monitoring, Protecting and
Interior	Disaster	warning
	Prevention and	- Administration and action for
	Mitigation	emergency evacuation from the
		disaster area
		- Fundamental assistance for the victims
		- Rehabilitation of disaster area

Government Agencies Practice in Water Resources Management (Cont'd)

Ministry	Department	Responsibility
4. Ministry of	4.1Department of	- Weather forecasting
Information and	Meteorology	- Promote the awareness of people in
Communication		natural disaster, saving of life and reduce
Technology (ICT)		the natural disaster impacts
		- Information center, service center for
		national meteorology
5. Ministry of	5.1Department of	- Management, directing the industrial
Industry	Industrial Work	business including, poisonous materials,
	(DIW)	productions, environment, safety
		- Promotion and information support for the
		knowledge of equipment, machine
		- Registration of industrial machine
6. State Enterprise	6.1Electric	- Services for the qualitative energy with
	Generating	trust in fair price
	Authority of	- Maintain equality of social welfare and
	I hailand (EGAT)	environment
	6.2Metropolitan	- Water supply services with standard and
	Waterworks	quality
	Authority (MVVA)	- Survey and provision of raw water
		resources
		- Procuring and supply of water in
		(Nextbolitan area and their perimeter
	6 2 Drovingial	
	0.3PTOVINCIAI Wotopworko	- Conducting survey, providing sources of
	$\Delta uthority (D) \Lambda (\Delta)$	Producing delivering and distribution
		- Floudeling, delivering and distribution
		Bangkok Metropolitan area, Nonthaburi
		and Samut Prakarm province
		- Undertaking other business related to the
		continuation of water supply business
	6.4Industrial Estate	- Provision of Industrial Estate Location
	Authority of	- Support the private sector to conduct the
	Thailand	industrial estate
		- Conduct the public services beneficiary in
		the industrial business
		- Promotion of private investment
		- Promotion of environmental management
		and protective solution for any disaster
		from industrial business

Existing Institutional Framework

The National Water Resources Committee (NWRC)¹ is a national level organization established under the office of Prime Minister's regulations on the National Water B.E. 2532. The committee is chaired by Prime Minister and consists of members who are appointed by Prime Minister. The committee comprises one Deputy Prime Minister assigned by the Prime Minister to be the chairman, ministers, permanent secretaries, directors-general, heads of state enterprises, representatives of water users organizations of all sectors, technical experts, qualified persons, representatives of non-government organizations etc. Director General of Water Resources Department of Water Resources is a member and the committee secretary. Deputy Director General of the Department of Water Resources as duly assigned and Director of Bureau of Water Resources Policy and Plan act as assistant secretaries.

Summary of NWRC Authority and Duties are as follow :

1) To submit to the Cabinet for approval of the objectives and policy on ensuring the availability of large, medium and small scale water resources to meet water demand of people;

2) To set guidelines and directives for government agencies, state enterprises and various organizations regarding formulation of plans or projects for water resources development of construction as well as coordination;

3) To scrutinize and approve plans, and to direct, control, supervise, and oversee implementation of plans and report its implementation in terms of water quantity and quality;

4) To consider and solve any urgent problems or impediments;

5) To prioritize water allocation and regulate the use of water from various sources to meet the requirements for consumption, hydropower generation, industry, agriculture, and others and also to report to the Cabinet; and

6) To propose to the Cabinet any introduction or revision of rules, regulations or laws relating to construction or development, control, prevention, and conservation of water resources and water quality

The structure of NWRC is presented in Figure 1 and related agencies is presented in Table 1

¹ Role in Thailand's Water Management, Department of Water Resources, 2008

Onorotina Evnanditurae	Department of Wat	er Resources, Expenditure St	itement (unit:baht)
Operating Experimentes	m Yr.~2006*	Yr.2007**	m Yr.2008
Personnel expenditure	624,988,564.08	645,663,935.96	665,945,787.06
Pension expenditure	75,102,761.68	92,063,103.55	101,344,440.48
Training expenditure	36,713,740.29	37,839,835.41	30,157,240.29
Travelling expenditure	55,074,424.40	63,614,331.68	70,387,641.46
Logistic and accommodation expenditure	407,683,782.72	829,174,748.84	616,448,689.11
Public utility expenditures	34,741,935.95	31,490,246.49	15,506,712.65
Depreciation and disposal expenditures	110,398,663.77	187,919,397.13	262,001,400.44
Supporting expenditure	12,190,599.76	1,448,445,393.96	13,862,047.32
Other expenditures	40,693,747.48	48,719,818.43	6,807,920.62
Total	1,397,588,220.13	3,384,930,811.45	1,782,461,879.43

Appendix 3.10.2 (1) Summary of DWR Expenditure Statement

* as of September 2006

**as of September30,2007

***as of September 2008

sources : Annual Report, 2006,2007 and 2008. Department of water resources, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.

Appendix 3.10.2 (2) Budget of Department of Water Resources on Fiscal year 2009

Items	Description	Budget	Ratio (%)
1.	Personnel	636,956,600	17.66%
2.	Operation	169,430,337	4.70%
3.	Investment	2,564,801,423	71.13%
4.	Government Grant	15,733,000	0.44%
5.	Other Expenses	218,919,804	6.07%
	Total	3,605,841,164	100%

Budget for Fiscal Year 2009 (Royal Irrigation Department, MOAC) Appendix 3.10.3 Unit: Million Baht

Planning/Project	Personnel	Operation	Investment	Government Grant	Other Expenses	Grand Total
Plan: Water Resources Development and increase efficiency of Irrigation System						
- Irrigation Water Management	3,923.52	918.67	8,967.32	0.31	123.89	13,933.71
- Providing water source and increase irrigation area	1,727.02	121.18	11,293.69	0.22	19.34	13,161.45
- Supporting for development of Royal Project	144.71	22.58	386.04	I	ı	553.33
- Protection and Disaster from Water	332.72	123.28	3,819.18	I	8.50	4,283.68
- Khlong Si Yat Project	11.20	1.40	234.32	I	ı	246.92
- Khlong Tha Dan Project	30.32	3.29	49.92	I	ı	83.53
- Pra-sae Project	13.30	1.90	252.84	I	ı	268.04
- Khwae Noi Dam Project	13.78	9.75	749.10	I	I	772.63
- Tha Sae Project	13.83	2.10	190.91	I	I	206.84
- Kew Kho Mar Project, Lam Pang	9.92	4.41	310.50	I	ı	324.83
- Suwannabhum Drainage Project	13.21	1.21	1,350.12	I	I	1,364.54
Plan: Rehabilitation and Promotion on Economic						
Construction and Development water resource for						
Agricultural Project	I	1	1,933.60	1	I	1,933.60
Grand Total	6,233.53	1,209.77	29,537.54	0.52	151.73	37,133.09

Appendix 3.10.4 RID Budget (Classification)

Budget Specify by Economical condition Expenditure in fiscal year 2009 RID, MOAC

		Regular expe	enditure		Investment ex	penditure
Work plan - Output/Project	Budget for	Operating	Subsidy	Others	Investment	All
	employ staff	statement			budget	expense
						budget
Work plan : Water source development and irrigation system efficiciency increase						
Output : Irrigation water management	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Output: Water source providing and irrigation area increase	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Output : To sustain the Development Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Output : Flood protection and mitigation						√
Project: Si Yad Canal Projecr						~
Project: Tha Dan Dam Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King, Nakhon Nayok						~
Project: Pra Sae Project						✓
Project: Khwae Noi Dam Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King						✓
Project: Tha Sae Project						√
Project: Kiew Kho Mah Project, Lampang						~
Project: Water drainage project in Suwannaphumi airport area						√
Work plan: Rehabilitation and strengthening on economic confident						
Project: Agricultural water source development and implementation project					1	\checkmark

Source: Budget document no. 6, Budget Bureau

Budget Specify by Economical condition Expenditure in fiscal year 2008 RID, MOAC

		Regular exp	enditure		Investment e	xpenditure
Work plan - Output/Project	Budget for	Operating	Subsidy	Others	Investment	All
	employ staff	statement			budget	expense
						budget
Budget plan: Adjustment on Agriculture, Industry, and Tourism Structure						
Service and Trading sector						
Output 1: Irrigation water management	✓	✓	~	✓	~	
Output 2: To sustain the Development Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King	✓	√	~	✓	~	
Budget plan: Water Resources Management						
Output 1: Water source providing and irrigation area increase	~	✓	~	✓	✓	
Output 2: Flood protection and mitigation						~
Project 1: Si Yad Canal Projecr						~
Project 2: Pasak Basin Development Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King						~
Project 3: Tha Dan Dam Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King, Nakhon Nayok						~
Project 4: Prasae Project						✓
Project 5: Tha Ramar Weir Project						~
Project 6: Khwae Noi Dam Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King						~
Project 7: Tha Sae Project						✓
Project 8: Kiew Kho Mah Project, Lampang						✓
Project 9: Water drainage project in Suwannaphumi airport area						✓
Source: Budget document no. 6, Budget Bureau						

Budget Specify by Economical condition Expenditure in fiscal year 2007 RID, MOAC

		Regular exp	enditure		Investment ex	kpenditure
Work plan - Output/Project	Budget for	Operating	Subsidy	Others	Investment	All
	employ staff	statement			budget	expense
						budget
Budget plan: Adjustment on Agriculture Structure						
Output 1: Irrigation water management	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Output 2: To sustain the Development Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Budget plan: Water Resources Systemable Management						
Output 1: Water source providing and irrigation area increase	✓	√	✓	✓	✓	
Output 2: Flood protection and mitigation						✓
Project 1: Si Yad Canal Projecr						✓
Project 2: Pasak Basin Development Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King						~
Project 3: Tha Dan Dam Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King, Nakhon Nayok						~
Project 4: Prasae Project						✓
Project 5: Tha Ramar Weir Project						✓
Project 6: Khwae Noi Dam Project under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King						✓
Project 7: Tha Sae Project						~
Project 8: Kiew Kho Mah Project, Lampang						√
Project 9: Water drainage project in Suwannaphumi airport area						√

Source: Budget document no. 6, Budget Bureau

Expenditure status in GFMIS System by Economical condition - Provincial group - Provincial finance Average of Fiscal year 2007 -2009 Appendix 3.10.5 (1) RID Budget (Detail Average 2007-2009)

RID, MOAC

377,694,966 273,467,685 284,097,058 2,421,456,413 733,778,599 155,202,223 3,396,900,446 1,918,389,975 1,478,510,471 2,334,445,261 4,563,775,816 88,568,742 373,083,981 496,245,693 137,459,141 209,955,520 2,740,092,001 7,671,041,700 306,801,853 43,231,542 523,002,336 419,718,856 6,898,221,077 10,411,133,701 5,350,202,988 2,928,746,575 144,203,388 439,595,472 66,306,489 35,506,484,351 1,605,870,991 182,913,277 7,844,488,48 94,209,50 Grand Total 2,216,726,265 4,455,924,657 434,441,063 135,800,201 206,697,823 297,234,769 269,756,355 1,915,035,143 354, 314, 225 2,274,802,479 6,672,650,922 9,995,416,121 7,518,618,944 1,558,940,808 5,025,750,640 256,097,305 42,914,042 137,249,594518,381,575 414,919,222 152,631,292 178,204,643 3,237,675,124 28,405,468,757 2,476,797,177 2,750,948,161 93, 166, 751 87,729,355 279,184,967 673,334,558 432,353,392 1,842,254,527 1,395,420,597 61,339,507 **Fotal** 164,913,052 134,986,933 5,442,000 1,388,433 3,516,253,728 616,361,272 675,265,012 148,824,029 ,282,727,125 635,671,019 647,056,105 104,272,160 537,728,174 5,742,333 7,277,000 162,653,978 3,009,000 6.467.774 526,440,984 332,814,947 14,287,142 42,564,388 299,899,985 Flood protection 14,815,800 9,259,067 1,007,500 40,264,687 17,647,722 19,089,207 149,589,947 325,000 17,295,331 204,913,227 19,601,867 and Mitigation **227,320,567** 216,230,833 11,089,733 **28,138,483** 28,138,483 under the Royal initiative 279,962,357 1,477,107 1,477,107 339,567 27,665,583 33,333 33,333 66,667 19,142,267 70,333 3,793,600 20,000 19,212,600 of His Majesty the King . . **Development Project** • To sustain the Invesment Expenditure **5,567,739,668** 335,243,424 **72,038,399** 72,038,399 271,031,327 1,116,271,581 164,142,806 3,096,346,969 Water source providing and irrigation ,387,302,908 3,260,489,775 512,665,161 Large Scale area increasing 2,989,842,640 874,083,870 2,115,758,770 358,405,014 2,251,681,761 158,813,054 26,700,576 83,736,613 56,214,488 179,622,023 133,247,714 111,120,046 379,772,288 40,547,571 88,437,694 152,978,215 34,064,440 2,610,086,775 ,064,657,404 10,876,486,679 714,867,113 1,433,538,119 ,077,729,783 140,656,045 487,086,313 2,511,267,902 59,426,557 426,900,078 126,831,617 70,925,353 172,832,404 1,551,743,717 498,678,532 68,441,127 Medium Scale Small and **1,294,780,423** 521,503,405 706,556,206 686,363,589 1,318,578,338 1,522,057,002 23,774,034 139,749,618 41,920,507 52,332,175 26,950,067 82,128,884 10,471,133 146,339,334 141,340,978 125,400,295 460,958,315 956,456,612 24,481,127 992,159,469 90,161,649 287,317,245 773,277,018 8,165,026,326 1,392,919,794 2,840,635,340 227,116,374 1,948,616,080 39,225,839 165,628,560 274,473,063 51,183,477 109,074,721 109,931,041 Irrigation water managmenet 1,658,940 3,257,697 76,135,449 83,089,874 7,101,348,927 5,929,453,338 225,570,155 117,718,996 415,717,580 46,930,183 324,452,348 177,798,414 984,167 1,042,750 18,769,756 3,711,329 107,851,159 263,294,824 152,422,756 50,704,548 6,953,795 839,388 4,620,761 4,799,633 80,460,197 4,912,090 146,653,934 2,570,931 7,242,080 4,708,634 61,804,630 4,966,982 159,225,323 60,444,041 expenditure Regular Upper Northeastern Provincial Group Lower Northeastern Provincial Group Southern provincial group Southern provincial group in border Provincial finance Provinical group - finance Upper Northern provincial group Lower Northern provincial group Comptroller General's Department Upper central provincial group Lower central provincial group Northeastern regional Group Grand total Nakhon Ratchasima Non Bua Lam Phu Ubon Ratchathani Southern regional group Northern regional group Nakhon Phanom Maha Sarakham Eastern regional group Central regional group Sakon Nakhon Amnat Charoen Chaiyaphum Udon Thani Khon Kaen Nong Khai Mukdahan Si Sa Ket Yasothon Buriram Kalasin Roi Et Surin Loei 4500 3900 4800 4600 3000 3200 3400 3500 Code 4300 4900 4700 3600 3100 3700 3300 4100 4200 4000 4400

Appendix 3.10.5 (2) RID Budget (Detail 2007) Expenditure status in GFMIS System by Economical condition - Provincial group - Provincial finance RID, MOAC

Provinical group - finance				Invesme	ent Expenditure			
	Regular	Irrigation water	Water source prov	iding and irrigation	To sustain the	Flood protection	Total	
Code Provincial finance	expenditure	managmenet	area inc	creasing	Development Project	and Mitigation		Grand Total
		1	Small and	Large Scale	under the Royal initiative	1		
			Medium Scale		of His Majesty the King			
Grand total	7,114,224,094	7,141,432,542	8,639,495,111	8,046,528,160	190,988,248	2,694,474,941	26,712,919,002	33,827,143,096
Comptroller General's Department	6,034,758,678	456,627,029	491,314,703	201,073,064	5,547,900	518,808,147	1,673,370,843	7,708,129,521
Northern regional group	202.505.126	1.294.783.826	2.757.031.632	1.730.142.000	152.122.348	577.133.631	6.511.213.437	6.713.718.563
Upper Northern provincial group	106,665,268	675,502,714	730,779,876	277,927,700	136,945,348	125,220,900	1,946,376,538	2,053,041,806
Lower Northern provincial group	95,839,858	619,281,112	2,026,251,756	1,452,214,300	15,177,000	451,912,731	4,564,836,899	4,660,676,757
Central regional group	399,231,487	2,486,145,894	1,333,855,301	5,361,993,796	400,000	1,199,796,325	10,382,191,316	10,781,422,803
Upper central provincial group	268,467,068	1,148,916,452	197,565,963	302,812,000	1	639,293,540	2,288,587,955	2,557,055,023
Lower central provincial group	130,764,419	1,337,229,442	1,136,289,338	5,059,181,796	400,000	560,502,785	8,093,603,361	8,224,367,780
Eastern regional group	44,383,978	265,546,119	630,429,740	656,042,500	•	27,591,800	1,579,610,159	1,623,994,137
Northeastern regional Group	294,509,903	1,589,540,916	2,137,736,131		26,530,200	168,032,300	3,921,839,547	4,216,349,450
Upper Northeastern Provincial Group	169,082,974	828,943,701	1,168,807,952		26,530,200	114,507,200	2,138,789,053	2,307,872,027
4100 Udon Thani	48,733,268	93,151,817	197,180,066		256,800	41,810,900	332,399,583	381,132,851
3900 Non Bua Lam Phu	897,300	4,070,900	17,243,342	•	1	210,000	21,524,242	22,421,542
4300 Nong Khai	5,976,470	28,838,985	45,675,932		1	22,991,000	97,505,917	103,482,387
4200 Loei	643,400	32,329,100	45,217,445			23,540,600	101,087,145	101,730,545
4900 Mukdahan	721,650	2,275,300	49,192,100		-	1,950,000	73,617,400	74,339,050
4700 Sakon Nakhon	15,263,071	146,172,110	170,456,295		25,873,400	4,511,000	347,012,805	362,275,876
4800 Nakhon Phanom	4,240,000	50,524,050	262,223,358		100,000	6,435,000	319,282,408	323,522,408
4600 Kalasin	3,302,904	68,055,600	173,638,285		100,000	1,449,700	243,243,585	246,546,489
4000 Khon Kaen	82,689,178	125,376,135	75,599,811	-	1	1,238,800	202,214,746	284,903,924
4400 Maha Sarakham	4,065,333	119,864,234	47,646,299	-	1	8,930,200	176,440,733	180,506,066
4500 Roi Et	2,550,400	138,085,470	84,735,019		200,000	1,440,000	224,460,489	227,010,889
Lower Northeastern Provincial Group	125,426,929	760,597,215	968,928,179		-	53,525,100	1,783,050,494	1,908,477,423
3000 Nakhon Ratchasima	54,434,420	216,714,650	380,576,700	-	1	11,249,120	608,540,470	662,974,890
3600 Chaiyaphum	1,262,400	65,311,360	37,062,496	-		-	102,373,856	103,636,256
3100 Buriram	7,281,704	93,106,063	182,784,408	-	1	34,454,080	310,344,551	317,626,255
3200 Surin	3,084,655	37,115,060	42,560,970		-	-	79,676,030	82,760,685
3400 Ubon Ratchathani	50,672,150	279,737,038	72,076,694		-	1,994,000	353,807,732	404,479,882
3700 Amnat Charoen	1,001,200	26,282,150	63,249,570	-	1	2,963,000	92,494,720	93,495,920
3300 Si Sa Ket	1,780,900	17,801,018	179,349,041		•	2,864,900	200,014,959	201,795,859
3500 Yasothon	5,909,500	24,529,876	11,268,300				35,798,176	41,707,676
Southern regional group	138.834.922	1.048.788.758	1.289.127.604	97.276.800	6.387.800	203.112.738	2.644.693.700	2.783.528.622
Southern provincial group	62,812,659	499,565,869	1,035,198,644	97,276,800	6,176,800	94,782,800	1,733,000,913	1,795,813,572
Southern provincial aroun in horder	76 022 263	549 222 889	253 928 960		211 000	108 320 038	911 692 787	987 715 050

Appendix 3.10.5 (3) RID Budget (Detail 2008) Expenditure status in GFMIS System by Economical condition - Provincial group - Provincial finance Fiscal year 2008 RID, MOAC

Provinical group - finance				Invesme	ent Expenditure			
	Regular	Irrigation water	Water source provi	iding and irrigation	To sustain the	Flood protection	Total	
Code Provincial finance	expenditure	managmenet	area inc	creasing	Development Project	and Mitigation		Grand Total
		<u> </u>	Small and	Large Scale	under the Royal initiative			
			Medium Scale	1	of His Majesty the King			
Grand total	7,047,230,481	8,023,983,759	11,148,937,407	5,410,733,485	268,058,942	3,661,521,427	28,513,235,020	35,560,465,500
Comptroller General's Department	5,933,784,882	436,770,069	538,111,713	203,699,079	5,547,900	657,439,931	1,841,568,692	7,775,353,574
Northern regional group	217.627.383	1.371.833.751	3.106.780.937	1.588.000.499	227.932.142	710.777.313	7.005.324.642	7.222.952.025
Upper Northern provincial group	112.378.454	700.540.227	1.012.399.110	215,569,400	217.334.142	161,198,160	2.307.041.039	2.419.419.493
Lower Northern provincial group	105,248,929	671,293,524	2,094,381,827	1,372,431,099	10,598,000	549,579,153	4,698,283,603	4,803,532,532
Central regional group	398 922 970	2 920 117 605	3 005 007 358	2 912 501 624	•	1 454 803 497	10 292 430 084	10 691 353 053
Upper central provincial group	255.398.514	1.362.537.297	397.514.956	189.616.417		598.268.456	2.547.937.126	2.803.335.640
Lower central provincial group	143,524,456	1,557,580,308	2,607,492,402	2,722,885,207	•	856,535,041	7,744,492,958	7,888,017,413
Eastern regional group	41,080,329	205,335,341	565,824,664	641,295,983	•	87,380,900	1,499,836,888	1,540,917,217
Northeastern regional Group	303,590,398	1,815,160,564	2,527,803,873	•	28,723,900	503,330,461	4,875,018,798	5,178,609,196
Upper Northeastern Provincial Group	164,930,024	973,085,202	1,319,116,697		28,723,900	54,472,300	2,375,398,099	2,540,328,123
4100 Udon Thani	49,409,406	90,072,740	132,516,242		505,100	420,100	223,514,182	272,923,588
3900 Non Bua Lam Phu	865,700	17,456,800	23,345,800		1	17,017,000	57,819,600	56,685,300
4300 Nong Khai	7,188,983	45,108,378	50,720,100				95,828,478	103,017,461
4200 Loei	611,700	15,601,624	52,730,500		1	1,606,600	69,938,724	70,550,424
4900 Mukdahan	715,523	35,779,783	35,122,741			585,000	71,487,524	72,203,047
4700 Sakon Nakhon	16,614,374	137,711,655	137,491,474		28,218,800	1,613,000	305,034,929	321,649,303
4800 Nakhon Phanom	3,746,500	47,374,073	437,306,674		I	8,459,000	493,139,747	496,886,247
4600 Kalasin	3,439,200	60,215,249	145,824,117		I	2,869,685	208,909,051	212,348,251
4000 Khon Kaen	75,635,730	149,418,611	154,627,980		I	1,021,315	305,067,906	380,703,636
4400 Maha Sarakham	3,588,637	166,282,273	113,005,147		I	1,907,500	281,194,920	284,783,557
4500 Roi Et	3,114,271	208,064,016	36,425,922		I	18,973,100	263,463,038	266,577,309
Lower Northeastern Provincial Group	138,660,374	842,075,362	1,208,687,176			448,858,161	2,499,620,699	2,638,281,073
3000 Nakhon Ratchasima	57,385,932	284,578,315	558,153,079			4,115,700	846,847,094	904,233,026
3600 Chaiyaphum	2,317,185	91,722,982	26,252,026		I	-	117,975,008	120,292,193
3100 Buriram	8,591,781	110,072,532	204,279,636		I	410,289,461	724,641,629	733,233,410
3200 Surin	4,419,793	82,311,718	78,825,508		I	28,304,200	189,441,426	193,861,219
3400 Ubon Ratchathani	54,868,126	187,917,855	97,591,782		I	5,208,400	290,718,037	345,586,163
3700 Amnat Charoen	1,694,619	26,325,047	74,225,995		1		100,551,042	102,245,661
3300 Si Sa Ket	2,052,284	35,674,845	135,076,803		1	940,400	171,689,048	173,741,332
3500 Yasothon	7,330,654	23,475,068	34,282,347				57,757,415	65,088,069
Southern regional group	152,224,519	1,274,766,429	1,405,408,862	65,236,300	5,855,000	247,789,325	2,999,055,916	3,151,280,435
Southern provincial group	77,956,689	456,987,511	917,693,629	65,236,300	5,855,000	153,917,400	1,599,689,840	1,677,646,529
Southern provincial group in border	74,267,830	817,778,918	487,715,233			93,871,925	1,399,366,076	1,473,633,906

Appendix 3.10.5 (4) RID Budget (Detail 2009) Expenditure status in GFMIS System by Economical condition - Provincial group - Provincial finance Fiscal year 2009 RID, MOAC

Provinical group - finance				Invesme	ent Expenditure			
	Regular	Irrigation water	Water source provi	iding and irrigation	To sustain the	Flood protection	Total	
Code Provincial finance	expenditure	managmenet	area inc	reasing	Development Project	and Mitigation		Grand Total
			Small and Medium Scale	Large Scale	under the Royal initiative of His Majesty the King			
Grand total	7,142,592,207	9,329,662,676	12,841,027,518	3,245,957,358	380,839,880	4,192,764,817	29,990,252,249	37,131,844,456
Comptroller General's Department	5,819,816,455	489,477,846	466,609,180	600,958,130	285,000	672,835,737	2,230,165,893	8,049,982,348
Northern regional group	256.577.955	1.512.141.806	3.105.715.352	843.766.226	301.907.210	737.884.093	6.501.414.687	6.757.992.642
Upper Northern provincial group	134,113,266	743,625,676	879,072,625	319,596,881	294,413,010	160,053,026	2,396,761,218	2.530.874.484
Lower Northern provincial group	122,464,689	768,516,130	2,226,642,727	524,169,345	7,494,200	577,831,067	4,104,653,469	4,227,118,158
Central regional group	448,998,284	3,115,642,520	3,491,397,666	1,506,973,904	4,031,320	1,193,581,552	9,311,626,962	9,760,625,246
Upper central provincial group	266,018,890	1,444,281,264	480,134,123			669,451,062	2,593,866,449	2,859,885,339
Lower central provincial group	182,979,394	1,671,361,256	3,011,263,543	1,506,973,904	4,031,320	524,130,490	6,717,760,513	6,900,739,907
Eastern regional group	55,326,243	210,467,662	948,346,934	240,657,000	60,000	197,843,781	1,597,375,377	1,652,701,620
Northeastern regional Group	375,256,743	2,441,146,761	2,868,263,702		29,161,350	941,821,762	6,280,393,575	6,655,650,318
Upper Northeastern Provincial Group	199,382,243	1,067,340,932	1,812,689,708		29,161,350	829,465,341	3,738,657,331	3,938,039,574
4100 Udon Thani	53,970,969	63,162,096	146,742,855		256,800	2,216,400	212,378,151	266,349,120
3900 Non Bua Lam Phu	1,189,500	9,885,700	39,512,585			•	49,398,285	50,587,785
4300 Nong Khai	7,695,931	43,730,154	154,813,806			19,870,426	218,414,386	226,110,317
4200 Loei	1,873,151	25,512,658	80,331,726			2,630,000	108,474,384	110,347,535
4900 Mukdahan	1,080,990	33,267,018	84,328,622		1	487,500	118,083,140	119,164,130
4700 Sakon Nakhon	24,431,822	135,365,090	230,918,301		28,904,550	15,707,000	410,894,941	435,326,763
4800 Nakhon Phanom	5,875,782	55,652,307	581,170,203		1	105,900,060	742,722,570	748,598,352
4600 Kalasin	7,656,796	247,930,035	61,032,448		1	483,642,548	792,605,031	800,261,827
4000 Khon Kaen	83,055,684	164,223,255	169,515,350		1	50,683,050	384,421,655	467,477,339
4400 Maha Sarakham	3,480,018	137,876,426	172,708,693		-	41,048,294	351,633,413	355,113,431
4500 Roi Et	9,071,600	150,736,193	91,615,119		-	107,280,063	349,631,375	358,702,975
Lower Northeastern Provincial Group	175,874,500	1,373,805,829	1,055,573,994		-	112,356,421	2,541,736,244	2,717,610,744
3000 Nakhon Ratchasima	69,511,770	322,126,225	200,587,085		-	41,902,800	564,616,110	634,127,880
3600 Chaiyaphum	4,133,209	170,189,820	58,328,191	-	-	9,027,000	237,545,011	241,678,220
3100 Buriram	5,852,754	126,614,529	131,433,168		1	4,026,300	262,073,997	267,926,751
3200 Surin	6,621,454	151,058,169	83,936,903		1	30,501,400	265,496,472	272,117,926
3400 Ubon Ratchathani	79,873,613	394,296,841	252,299,659		1	12,200,921	658,797,421	738,671,034
3700 Amnat Charoen	2,281,000	73,154,325	127,837,516			13,363,000	214,354,841	216,635,841
3300 Si Sa Ket	5,939,908	103,520,662	144,508,800		-	360,000	248,389,462	254,329,370
3500 Yasothon	1,660,792	32,845,258	56,642,672			975,000	90,462,930	92,123,722
Southern regional group	186,616,527	1,560,786,081	1,960,694,684	53,602,098	45,395,000	448,797,892	4,069,275,755	4,255,892,282
Southern provincial group	87,636,998	607,956,834	1,241,079,939	53,602,098	45,395,000	246,038,956	2,194,072,827	2,281,709,825
Southern provincial group in border	98,979,529	952,829,247	719,614,745			202,758,936	1,875,202,928	1,974,182,457

Appendix 3.10.6 National Water Resource Committee

1.	Major General Sanan Khachornprasart	
	Vice Prime Minister	Chairman
2.	Mr. Suwit Khunkitti	
	Minister, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment	Vice-chairman
3.	Mr. Theera Wongsamut	
	Minister, Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives	Vice-chairman
4.	Mr. Woottipong Chaiseang	
	Minister, Ministry of Science and Technology	Vice-chairman
5.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Coopera	tives Committee
6.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Transport	Committee
7.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Natural Resources and E	nvironment Committee
8.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Science and Technology	Committee
9.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Energy	Committee
10.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Interior	Committee
11.	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Industry	Committee
12.	Director general of Bureau of the Budget	Committee
13.	The Secretariat of Office of The National Economic	
	and Social Development Board	Committee
14.	Director General of Royal Irrigation Department	Committee
15.	Director General of Department of Groundwater Resources	S Committee
16.	Mr. Jetsada Kaewkallaya	Committee
17.	Mr. Chana Rungsaeng	Committee
18.	Mr. Nipon Tangthum	Committee
19.	Mr. Mingsan Kaosa-ard	Committee
20.	Mr. Santi Bang-or	Committee
21.	Mr. Suphat wongwisetsomjai	Committee
22.	Mr. Aphichart Anukulamphai	Committee
23.	Mr. Siripong Hangsapuk	
	Director General, Department of Water Resource	Committee Secretariat
24.	Vice-director, Royal Irrigation Department	Assistant to Committee Secretariat
25.	Mr. Surapol Pattani	
	Vice-director, Department of Water Resources	Assistant to Committee Secretariat
26.	Director, Bureau of Water Resources Planning and Policy	Assistant to Committee Secretariat

Additional Committee (Mar.2009)

<u>Representative Government</u> 1. Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Information and Communication Technology 2. Director General, Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation	Committee Committee
Experts 1. Delegate of Provincial Administration Organization of Thailand 2. Delegate of Sub district Administration Organization of Thailand 3. Delegate of the National Municipal League of Thailand 4. Delegation of River Basin Committee 9 persons	Committee Committee Committee Committee

4.1 Mr. Suriya Makerd

Committee of Ping river basin, Agricultural sector representative, Tak

4.2 Mr. Virot Rimchan

Committee of Kok and Khong river basin, Agricultural sector representative, Chiang rai

4.3 Mr. Apichat Srisawat

Committee of Khong river basin(NE), Representative of Commercial Service and Tourism sector, Mukdahan

4.4 Mr. Nimit Ngamyingphaisan

Committee of Chi river basin, Industrial sector representative, Kalasin

4.5 Mr. Winai Rungrittidet

Committee of Mae Klong river basin, Representative of Commercial Service and Tourism sector, Samut Songkram

4.6 Asst.Prof. Charoen Piyarom

Committee of East Coast river basin Agricultural sector representative, Chanthaburi

4.7 Mr. Somphop Somapha

Committee of Pa-sak river basin Representative of Commercial Service and Tourism sector, Lop buri

4.8 Mr. Jirawut Jiraphaphongchan

Committee of Pattani river basin Representative of Commercial Service and Tourism sector, Yala

4.9 Mr. Kraiwan Ackarakul

Committee of SE river basin Agricultural sector representative, Nakhon Sritammarat

Appendix 3.10.7

National Water Resources Committee Organization



Existing Institutional Framework

The National Water Resources Committee (NWRC)¹ is a national level organization established under the office of Prime Minister's regulations on the National Water B.E. 2532. The committee is chaired by Prime Minister and consists of members who are appointed by Prime Minister. The committee comprises one Deputy Prime Minister assigned by the Prime Minister to be the chairman, ministers, permanent secretaries, directors-general, heads of state enterprises, representatives of water users organizations of all sectors, technical experts, qualified persons, representatives of non-government organizations etc. Director General of Water Resources Department of Water Resources is a member and the committee secretary. Deputy Director General of the Department of Water Resources as duly assigned and Director of Bureau of Water Resources Policy and Plan act as assistant secretaries.

Summary of NWRC Authority and Duties are as follow :

1) To submit to the Cabinet for approval of the objectives and policy on ensuring the availability of large, medium and small scale water resources to meet water demand of people;

2) To set guidelines and directives for government agencies, state enterprises and various organizations regarding formulation of plans or projects for water resources development of construction as well as coordination;

3) To scrutinize and approve plans, and to direct, control, supervise, and oversee implementation of plans and report its implementation in terms of water quantity and quality;

4) To consider and solve any urgent problems or impediments;

5) To prioritize water allocation and regulate the use of water from various sources to meet the requirements for consumption, hydropower generation, industry, agriculture, and others and also to report to the Cabinet; and

6) To propose to the Cabinet any introduction or revision of rules, regulations or laws relating to construction or development, control, prevention, and conservation of water resources and water quality

The structure of NWRC is presented in Figure 1 and related agencies is presented in Table 1

¹ Role in Thailand's Water Management, Department of Water Resources, 2008



Appendix 3.10.8 River Basin Organization, National and Basin Levels

Appendix 3.10.9 River Basin Committee in Northeast

1) Khong river basin Committee

1. Advisor

- 1) Governor, Nong Bua Lam Phu
- 2) Governor, Amnat Charoen

2. Committee

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1) Governor, Udon Thani	Committee
2) Governor, Nong Khai	Committee
3) Governor, Loei	Committee
4) Governor, Sakon Nakhon	Committee
5) Governor, Nakhon Phanom	Committee
6) Governor, Mukdahan	Committee
7) Delegate, Royal Irrigation Department	Committee
8) Delegate, Land Development Department	Committee
9) Delegate, Marine Department	Committee
10) Delegate, Office of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Natur	ral-
Resources and Environment	Committee
11) Delegate, Royal Forest Department	Committee
12) Delegate, Department of Water Resources	Committee
13) Delegate, Department of National Parks, Wildlife and Plant-	
Conservation	Committee
14) Delegate, Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation	Committee
15) Delegation, Local Administration Organization, 3 persons	Committee
16) Delegation, Agricultural Water user group, 4 persons	Committee
17) Delegation, Industrial Water user group, 2 persons	Committee
18) Delegation, Water user group for Commercial, Service and Tor	urism,
2 persons	Committee
19) Experts 5 persons	Committee
20) Director of Water Resources Regional Office 3	Committee Secretariat
21) Director of Coordination and Watershed management Section,	
as assigned	Secretariat assistant
22) Director of Coordination and Watershed management Section,	
as assigned	Secretariat assistant

2) Chi river basin Committee

1. Committee

1) Governor, Chaiyaphum	Committee
2) Governor, Khon Kaen	Committee
3) Governor, Nong Bua Lam Phu	Committee
4) Governor, Maha Sarakham	Committee
5) Governor, Kalasin	Committee
6) Governor, Roi Et	Committee
7) Governor, Yasothon	Committee
8) Delegate, Royal Irrigation Department	Committee
9) Delegate, Land Development Department	Committee
10) Delegate, Department of Agricultural Extension	Committee
11) Delegate, Office of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Natur	ral-
Resources and Environment	Committee
12) Delegate, Royal Forest Department	Committee
13) Delegate, Department of Water Resources	Committee
14) Delegate, Department of National Parks, Wildlife and Plant-	
Conservation	Committee
15) Delegate, Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation	Committee
16) Delegate, Electricity Generating Authority of Thailand	Committee
17) Delegation, Local Administration Organization, 3 persons	Committee
18) Delegation, Agricultural Water user group, 4 persons	Committee
19) Delegation, Industrial Water user group, 2 persons	Committee
20) Delegation, Water user group for Commercial, Service and Tor	urism,
2 persons	Committee
21) Experts 5 persons	Committee
22) Director of Water Resources Regional Office 4	Committee Secretariat
23) Director of Coordination and Watershed management Section,	
as assigned	Secretariat assistant
24) Director of Coordination and Watershed management Section,	
as assigned	Secretariat assistant

3) Mun river basin Committee

1. Advisor

- 1) Governor, Chaiyaphum
 2) Governor, Khon Kaen
- 3) Governor, Maha Sarakham
- 4) Governor, Roi Et
- 5) Governor, Yasothon

2. Committee

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Committee
Committee Secretariat
Secretariat assistant
Secretariat assistant
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Appendix 3.10.10

Budget of River Basin Committee

Process Plan for River Basin Management, Fiscal year 2552
Khong Basin section 2, First transfer 500,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river	-	
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	-together with Khong Basin section 3
1.3 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	
1.4 River basin working group	2 times	-to consider work plan/river basin project
provincial level meeting		-process in the area of river basin branch
1.5 Workshop for setting river basin	1 time	at lease 1 sub basin
working group branch		-meeting with working group of river
1.6 Working group meeting for	3 times	basin branch for setting strategy and
setting Strategy and plan		collecting sub basin information.
1.7 setting new network of new sub	2 network	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
basin		
1.8 Support exist network	12networks	
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin
and development basin		
2.2 Training for basic knowledge of	1 time	-in river sub basin of pilot area
project planning, development and		
conservation		
2.3 Training of registering small scale	1 time of each	-SAO in main basin each province
water resources	province	
3. Support Participation		
3.1 Setting Strategy and Management	3 times	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
plan by Publish hearing		
3.2 Public relation	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
3.3 Conservation and developing	4 province,	-within September 20,2552. with report
river, canal by people participate	4 places	and other print material.

Process Plan for River Basin Management, Fiscal year 2552 Khong Basin section 3, First transfer 500,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	-together with Khong Basin section 2 (section2 budget)
1.3 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	- Khong Basin section2 budget
1.4 River basin working group	2 times	-to consider work plan/river basin project
provincial level meeting		(section2 budget)
1.5 Workshop for setting river basin	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
working group branch		at lease 1 sub basin
1.6 Working group meeting for	3 times	-meeting with working group of river
setting Strategy and plan		basin branch for setting strategy and
		collecting sub basin information.
1.7 setting new network of new sub	2 network	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
basin		
1.8 Support exist network	12networks	
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(section2 budget)
and development basin		
2.2 Training for basic knowledge of	1 time	-in river sub basin of pilot area
project planning, development and		
conservation		
2.3 Training of registering small scale	1 time of each	-SAO in main basin each province
water resources	province	
3. Support Participation		
3.1 Setting Strategy and Management	3 times	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
plan by Publish hearing		
3.2 Public relation	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
3.3 Conservation and developing	4 province,	-within September 20,2552. with report
river, canal by people participate	4 places	and other print material.

Process Plan for River Basin Management, Fiscal year 2552 Upper Chi Basin, First transfer 500,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	-together with Lower Chi Basin
1.3 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	
1.4 River basin working group	2 times	-to consider work plan/river basin project
provincial level meeting		
1.5 Workshop for setting river basin	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
working group branch	2.4	at lease 1 sub basin
1.6 Working group meeting for	3 times	-meeting with working group of river
setting strategy and plan		basin branch for setting strategy and
1.7 setting new network of new sub	2 notwork	in sub basin assigned in ur 2552
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1.8 Support exist network	12networks	
1.0 Support exist network	12networks	
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin
and development basin		
2.2 Training for basic knowledge of	1 time	-in river sub basin of pilot area
project planning, development and		
conservation		
2.3 Training of registering small scale	1 time of each	-SAO in main basin each province
water resources	province	
3. Support Participation		
3.1 Setting Strategy and Management	3 times	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
plan by Publish hearing	. ,	
3.2 Public relation	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
3.3 Conservation and developing	3 province,	-within September 20,2552. with report
river, canal by people participate	3 places	and other print material.

Process Plan for River Basin Management, Fiscal year 2552 Lower Chi Basin, First transfer 500,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	-together with Upper Chi Basin (Upper Chi Budget)
1.3 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	- Upper Chi Basin Budget
1.4 River basin working group	2 times	-to consider work plan/river basin project
provincial level meeting		(Upper Chi Budget)
1.5 Workshop for setting river basin	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
working group branch		at lease 1 sub basin
1.6 Working group meeting for	3 times	-meeting with working group of river
setting Strategy and plan		basin branch for setting strategy and
		collecting sub basin information.
1.7 setting new network of new sub	2 network	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
basin		
1.8 Support exist network	12networks	
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin (Upper Chi Budget)
and development basin		
2.2 Training for basic knowledge of	1 time	-in river sub basin of pilot area
project planning, development and		
conservation		
2.3 Training of registering small scale	1 time of each	-SAO in main basin each province
water resources	province	1
3. Support Participation	1	
3.1 Setting Strategy and Management	3 times	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
plan by Publish hearing		
3.2 Public relation	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
3.3 Conservation and developing	3 province,	-within September 20,2552. with report
river, canal by people participate	3 places	and other print material.
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Process Plan for River Basin Management, Fiscal year 2552 Upper Mun Basin, First transfer 500,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	-together with Lower Mun Basin
1.3 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	
1.4 River basin working group	2 times	-to consider work plan/river basin project
provincial level meeting		
1.5 Workshop for setting river basin	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
working group branch		at lease 1 sub basin
1.6 Working group meeting for	3 times	-meeting with working group of river
setting Strategy and plan		basin branch for setting strategy and
		collecting sub basin information.
1.7 setting new network of new sub	2 network	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
basin		
1.8 Support exist network	12networks	
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin
and development basin		
2.2 Training for basic knowledge of	1 time	-in river sub basin of pilot area
project planning, development and		
conservation		
2.3 Training of registering small scale	1 time of each	-SAO in main basin each province
water resources	province	
3. Support Participation		
3.1 Setting Strategy and Management	3 times	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
plan by Publish hearing		
3.2 Public relation	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
3.3 Conservation and developing	3 province,	-within September 20,2552. with report
river, canal by people participate	3 places	and other print material.

Process Plan for River Basin Management, Fiscal year 2552 Lower Mun Basin, First transfer 500,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	-together with Upper Mun Basin(Upper Mun Basin budget)
1.3 Watershed Committee meeting	3 times	(Upper Mun Basin budget)
1.4 River basin working group	2 times	-to consider work plan/river basin project
provincial level meeting		(Upper Mun Basin budget)
1.5 Workshop for setting river basin	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
working group branch		at lease 1 sub basin
1.6 Working group meeting for	3 times	-meeting with working group of river
setting Strategy and plan		basin branch for setting strategy and
		collecting sub basin information.
1.7 setting new network of new sub	2 network	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
basin		
1.8 Support exist network	12networks	
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management	a	
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin
and development basin	4	(Upper Mun Basin budget)
2.2 Training for basic knowledge of	1 time	-in river sub basin of pilot area
project planning, development and		
conservation	1.2 6 1	
2.3 Iraining of registering small scale	1 time of each	-SAO in main basin each province
water resources	province	
3. Support Participation		
3.1 Setting Strategy and Management	3 times	-in sub basin assigned in yr.2552
plan by Publish hearing	• ,	
3.2 Public relation	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
3.3 Conservation and developing	2 province,	-within September 20,2552. with report
river, canal by people participate	2 places	and other print material.

Process Plan for River Basin Management by River basin committee, Fiscal year 2553 Khong Basin section 2, First transfer 800,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
Main Basin		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting		
- River basin committee meeting	4 times	-together with Khlong section 3 Basin
- Sub committee meeting	2-3 times	-sub committee meeting
- River basin working gr. Meeting	2-3 times	-meeting to consider work plan/project
- Working gr. Of registering small	2-3 times	
scale water resources information		
<u>Sub basin</u>		
1.3 Workshop for review of setting	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
river basin committee (branch)		
1.4 River basin working group	3 times each	-setting operation plan yr.53 for consider
meeting	branch	budget yr.54 and evaluate
Network		
1.5 Setting and Knowledge transfer to	2 network	-existing project which not yet transferred
water user group (network)		to local
1.6 Water management project	5 networks	
(existing network)		
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(Planning Yr.54 and
and Integrated development plan		frame work yr.55-59)
2.2 Training for water use,	Local	
maintenance and management (For	administration	
Transfer Project and SP2 yr.2555)	&community	
3. Publish and Support People		
Participation		
3.1 Publish hearing in review and	1 time	-in sub basin
setting of water resources		
management plan (villager stage)		
3.2 Published, educate and create	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
awareness of water resources		
3.3 Conservation and developing	1 province,	-within conservation week with
river, canal by people participate	1 places	developing river, canal and report and
		other print material.
4. Publish hearing by Regulation of	3,000Baht/	-permitted target area
the Prime Minister yr.2548	project	

Process Plan for River Basin Management by River basin committee, Fiscal year 2553 Khong Basin section 3, First transfer 800,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
Main Basin		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting		
- River basin committee meeting	4 times	-together with Khlong section 2 Basin(section2 budget)
- Sub committee meeting	2-3 times	-sub committee meeting (section2 budget)
- River basin working gr. Meeting	2-3 times	-meeting to consider work plan/project
- Working gr. Of registering small	2-3 times	
scale water resources information		
<u>Sub basin</u>		
1.3 Workshop for review of setting	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
river basin committee (branch)		
1.4 River basin working group	3 times each	-setting operation plan yr.53 for consider
meeting	branch	budget yr.54 and evaluate
Network		
1.5 Setting and Knowledge transfer to	2 network	-existing project which not yet transferred
water user group (network)		to local
1.6 Water management project	5 networks	
(existing network)		
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(Planning Yr.54 and
and Integrated development plan		frame work yr.55-59)
2.2 Training for water use,	Local	
maintenance and management (For	administration	
Transfer Project and SP2 yr.2555)	&community	
3. Publish and Support People		
Participation		
3.1 Publish hearing in review and	1 time	-in sub basin
setting of water resources		
management plan (villager stage)		
3.2 Published, educate and create	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
awareness of water resources		
3.3 Conservation and developing	1 province,	-within conservation week with
river, canal by people participate	1 places	developing river, canal and report and
		other print material.
4. Publish hearing by Regulation of	3,000Baht/	-permitted target area
the Prime Minister yr.2548	project	

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river	U	1
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
Main Basin		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting		
- River basin committee meeting	4 times	-together with Lower Chi Basin
- Sub committee meeting	2-3 times	-sub committee meeting
- River basin working gr. Meeting	2-3 times	-meeting to consider work plan/project
- Working gr. Of registering small	2-3 times	
scale water resources information		
<u>Sub basin</u>		
1.3 Workshop for review of setting	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
river basin committee (branch)		
1.4 River basin working group	3 times each	-setting operation plan yr.53 for consider
meeting	branch	budget yr.54 and evaluate
Network		
1.5 Setting and Knowledge transfer to	2 network	-existing project which not yet transferred
water user group (network)		to local
1.6 Water management project	5 networks	
(existing network)		
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(Planning Yr.54 and
and Integrated development plan		frame work yr.55-59)
2.2 Training for water use,	Local	
maintenance and management (For	administration	
Transfer Project and SP2 yr.2555)	&community	
3. Publish and Support People		
Participation		
3.1 Publish hearing in review and	1 time	-in sub basin
setting of water resources		
management plan (villager stage)	. ,	
3.2 Published, educate and create	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
awareness of water resources		
3.3 Conservation and developing	l province,	-within conservation week with
river, canal by people participate	1 places	developing river, canal and report and
	2 0000 1.4	other print material.
4. Publish hearing by Regulation of	3,000Baht/	-permitted target area
the Prime Minister yr.2548	project	

Process Plan for River Basin Management by River basin committee, Fiscal year 2553 Upper Chi Basin, First transfer 800,000 baht

Process Plan for River Basin Management by River basin committee, Fiscal year 2553 Lower Chi Basin, First transfer 800,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
Main Basin		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting		
- River basin committee meeting	4 times	-together with Upper Chi Basin (upper chi budget)
- Sub committee meeting	2-3 times	-sub committee meeting(upper chi budget)
- River basin working gr. Meeting	2-3 times	-meeting to consider work plan/project
- Working gr. Of registering small	2-3 times	
scale water resources information		
<u>Sub basin</u>		
1.3 Workshop for review of setting	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
river basin committee (branch)		
1.4 River basin working group	3 times each	-setting operation plan yr.53 for consider
meeting	branch	budget yr.54 and evaluate
Network		
1.5 Setting and Knowledge transfer to	2 network	-existing project which not yet transferred
water user group (network)		to local
1.6 Water management project	5 networks	
(existing network)		
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(Planning Yr.54 and
and Integrated development plan		frame work yr.55-59)
2.2 Training for water use,	Local	
maintenance and management (For	administration	
Transfer Project and SP2 yr.2555)	&community	
3. Publish and Support People		
Participation		
3.1 Publish hearing in review and	1 time	-in sub basin
setting of water resources		
management plan (villager stage)		
3.2 Published, educate and create	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
awareness of water resources		
3.3 Conservation and developing	1 province,	-within conservation week with
river, canal by people participate	1 places	developing river, canal and report and
		other print material.
4. Publish hearing by Regulation of	3,000Baht/	-permitted target area
the Prime Minister yr.2548	project	

Process Plan for River Basin Management by River basin committee, Fiscal year 2553 Upper Mun Basin, First transfer 800,000 baht

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river		
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
Main Basin		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting		
- River basin committee meeting	4 times	-together with Lower Mun Basin
- Sub committee meeting	2-3 times	-sub committee meeting
- River basin working gr. Meeting	2-3 times	-meeting to consider work plan/project
- Working gr. Of registering small	2-3 times	
scale water resources information		
<u>Sub basin</u>		
1.3 Workshop for review of setting	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
river basin committee (branch)		
1.4 River basin working group	3 times each	-setting operation plan yr.53 for consider
meeting	branch	budget yr.54 and evaluate
Network		
1.5 Setting and Knowledge transfer to	2 network	-existing project which not yet transferred
water user group (network)		to local
1.6 Water management project	5 networks	
(existing network)		
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(Planning Yr.54 and
and Integrated development plan		frame work yr.55-59)
2.2 Training for water use,	Local	
maintenance and management (For	administration	
Transfer Project and SP2 yr.2555)	&community	
3. Publish and Support People		
Participation		
3.1 Publish hearing in review and	1 time	-in sub basin
setting of water resources		
management plan (villager stage)		
3.2 Published, educate and create	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
awareness of water resources		
3.3 Conservation and developing	1 province,	-within conservation week with
river, canal by people participate	1 places	developing river, canal and report and
		other print material.
4. Publish hearing by Regulation of	3,000Baht/	-permitted target area
the Prime Minister yr.2548	project	

Activity	Target	Detail/Requirements
Management process of 25 main river	8	
basin committee		
1. River basin committee		
management		
Main Basin		
1.1 Coordinate and office	1 office	
Administrative		
1.2 Watershed Committee meeting		
- River basin committee meeting	4 times	-together with Upper Mun Basin(upper mun budget)
- Sub committee meeting	2-3 times	-sub committee meeting(upper mun budget)
- River basin working gr. Meeting	2-3 times	-meeting to consider work plan/project
- Working gr. Of registering small	2-3 times	
scale water resources information		
Sub basin		
1.3 Workshop for review of setting	1 time	-process in the area of river basin branch
river basin committee (branch)		1
1.4 River basin working group	3 times each	-setting operation plan yr.53 for consider
meeting	branch	budget yr.54 and evaluate
Network		
1.5 Setting and Knowledge transfer to	2 network	-existing project which not yet transferred
water user group (network)		to local
1.6 Water management project	5 networks	
(existing network)		
2. Developing tool for water		
resources management		
2.1 Work shop for management plan	3 times	-main river basin(Planning Yr.54 and
and Integrated development plan		frame work yr.55-59)
2.2 Training for water use,	Local	
maintenance and management (For	administration	
Transfer Project and SP2 yr.2555)	&community	
3. Publish and Support People		
Participation		
3.1 Publish hearing in review and	1 time	-in sub basin
setting of water resources		
management plan (villager stage)		
3.2 Published, educate and create	issue/copy	-Publishing newsletters and brochures
awareness of water resources		
3.3 Conservation and developing	1 province,	-within conservation week with
river, canal by people participate	1 places	developing river, canal and report and
		other print material.
4. Publish hearing by Regulation of	3,000Baht/	-permitted target area
the Prime Minister yr.2548	project	

Process Plan for River Basin Management by River basin committee, Fiscal year 2553 Lower Mun Basin, First transfer 800,000 baht

Appendix 3.10.11 Case Study of Chi River Basin Committee

Chi River Basin Committee (CRBC) was established by the national water committee in 2008. It was shared by Khon Kaen Provincial governor. Water Resource Office Region 4 secretariats the committee. The CRBC consisted of 33 members representing different groups of stakeholders in the river basin area. In the CRBC 1/2553 meeting two more committee members were appointed. Therefore, total CRBC members are 35 people. The responsible area covers 10 provinces in the Northeast namely Khon Kaen, chaiyaphum, Mahasarakham, Nong Bua lamphu, Udornthani, Loei, Nakhon ratchasrima, Roi Et, Kalasin and Yasothorn.

The committee meets 3 times per year. Meeting places rotate among the member provinces in the Chi river basin. CRBC receives 1.8 million Baht annually as operating cost from the government. Other sources of financial support are Mekong River Commission, World Bank, WWF and Private companies. In 2011, CRBC will receive 1 million Baht from German Government to support the establishment of information center in Khon kaen province. The center will serve as information center for 80 sub basins in three river basins (Khong,Chi and Mun).

In 2010, CRBC collects water resource development plan from related agencies in 10 provinces. There are 628 projects with the total budget of 6,463 million Baht. In 2011, total 928 projects are planned by the related agencies with total budget of 10,433 million Baht.

CRBC established sub-basin working group in Huai Sam Mor(HSM) sub basin as pilot area to develop the sub basin development plan. Lessons learnt from this pilot area are now documented and will be diffused to other 19 sub basin in the near future. However, lacking of budget for diffusion of the lesson learnt is major problem. CRBC estimates that it will take five years to promote the sub basin development plan in the whole basin. Total amount of 35 million Baht is needed for the diffusion.

Major problems of the CRBC are;

- The committee does not understand real situation at sub basin level since there is no plan from sub basin level except in HSM area. Only general problems of the basin are discussed in meetings such as flood or drought which often occur in some provinces.
- 2) There is not enough support from policy level on both financial and strategy to the committee and the working group.

Appendix 3.10.12 Establishment of Water User Organizations (WUOs)

1. Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM)

Water scarcity becomes problem in many countries including Thailand. It is a limited resource while demand of water increases in agriculture, industry and domestic consumption.

The development of water resource for agriculture will be emphasized on qualitative oriented under sustainable development concept and appropriate technology. Farmer participation in water management will be promoted.

1.1 Definition

PIM refers to the participation of farmers in construction, operation and maintenance of irrigation system. The participation is necessary also local administration organization at provincial, district and sub-district level according to the decentralization policy.

1.2 Participation in operation and maintenance

Farmers participate in operation and maintenance of irrigation system at all levels following 11 activities of PIM guideline. These activities could be adjusted base on social, culture and geographical context. List of activities are as follows.

- 1. Public relation
- 2. Participation agreement
- 3. Establishment of water user group (WUG)
- 4. Strengthen WUG
- 5. Upgrade WUG to become Integrated Water User Group (IWUG)
- 6. Establishment of Joint Management Committee (JMC)
- 7. Establish Irrigation Fund
- 8. Contract out irrigation activities to IWUG
- 9. Participation in Operation and Maintenance
- 10. Assessment of Strength of WUO
- 11. Establishment of Project Database

1.3 Expectations

It is expected that after the participation of farmers and local administration organizations, they will have the feeling of belonging of irrigation infrastructures. Operation and maintenance of irrigation will be improved and the production increases.

Chapter 2: Water User Organizations (WUOs)

2.1 Definition

Water User Organizations refers to group of water users at different levels who organize themselves to maintain and operate irrigation system. WUOs could be classified into two groups namely;

1. Informal Organizations

- 1.1 Water User Group (WUG) operates water and maintains irrigation at tertiary level.
- 1.2 Integrated Water User Group (IWUG)) operates water and maintains irrigation at lateral level.

2. Legal Organizations

2.1 Farmer Group (FG) is a registered group to produce and to market their products.

2.2 Water User Association (WUA) is registered group under the Ministry of Interior with the main objective to manage irrigation water.

2.3 Water User Co-Operative (WUC) is the registered group under the Cooperative Promotion Department to operate irrigation water and to supply agricultural inputs.

2.2 Sequence of WUO development

The development of WUO development starts from the establishment of water user group, integrated water user group and water user association or cooperatives. It is recommended that the informal group should be established first.

2.3 History of WUO establishment

Farmers organized themselves to manage water in the traditional irrigation in Northern Thailand since King Mengrai period (around 700 years ago). In modern irrigation, the first water user association was established in 1966 in the Northeast Thailand. Since then water user organizations have been developed.

2.4 Structure of WUOs

Normally WUOs should have three basic components such as

- 1. WUO Committee who are elected from members.
- 2. General Meeting should be organized at least once a year.
- 3. Auditor is elected from group member to monitor activities.

Management structures of different level of WUOs are presented in the guideline such as WUG, IWUG, FG, WUA and WUC.

2.5 Role and responsibility of different functions in the management committee.

The guideline describe role and responsibilities of different functions of committee members such as chairman, vice chairman, secretariat members, WUG leaders, members, advisor and auditor.

2.6 Roles of WUOs

WUOs represent water users in coordinating with government agencies and work with RID officers to plan for water supply in each season, report any inconveniences to RID officers, advice members to follow regulations and organize regular meetings.

2.7 Activities of WUOs

Activities of WUOs include water management and maintenance of irrigation infrastructures, manage WUOs, and other agricultural extension activities.

2.8 Registration of WUOs

There are two types of registration namely; registration and record. Registration is for integrated water user group in large scale and medium scale irrigation only. Record is for all type of WUOs except IWUG in large and medium scale irrigation project. The authorized person who could register WUOs are:

- 1. Director of Department of Cooperative Promotion for Farmer Group and WUC
- 2. Provincial Governor for WUA
- 3. Director of RID regional office for IWUG

2.9 Role of WUOs

- manage water from reservoir to farmer field
- control water supply from lateral canal to tertiary canal
- set up criteria for land use and water use in each season
- coordinate with government agencies

Chapter 3: establishment of WUG

Strong WUG comes from the real need of community and participation of local administration organization.

Establishment of WUG

- set up priority
- study existing group
- collect farmer list
- set plan for establishment
- Process of establishment are public relation, farmer meeting, select WUG leader, make rules and record the WUG following step in 2.8.

Chapter 4: Upgrading WUOs

There are four types of upgrading WUOs

- 1. From WUG to become IWUG
- 2. From IWUG to become farmer group
- 3. From IWUG to become WUA
- 4. From IWUG to become WUC

Each type of upgrading follows similar steps such as assessment of readiness of the group, collect group data, plan for upgrading the group, register and some activities after registration. However, there are some details which are different from each of the upgrading type.

Appendix 3.10.13

Water user organization for PIM in Thailand

Joint Management Committee (JMC)

The JMC is the highest management body of water user organization in irrigation project. Presently, there are 22 JMCs in the whole country. Provincial governor endorses the establishment of JMC. The project engineer of medium and large scale irrigation acts as secretariat of the JMC. Chairman of JMC is usually local leader or water user leaders. Management structure of JMC consists of leader of integrated water user groups, leader of local administrative organization, representatives from local government offices and others. JMC usually meet twice a year at the beginning of each cropping season to decide the rotation schedule. Since the JMC policy is practiced in the past few years, there is no study on the performance of JMC. RID has policy to establish JMC in all projects in coming two years.

Integrated Water User Group (IWUG)

In the lateral level, IWUG is established. Leader of IWUG is one of the water user group leaders in the area. However, local leaders are also sometimes selected as IWUG leader. The committee members are water user group leaders within the lateral canal. The active IWUG meet once a month to discuss issue related to water supply such as rotation schedule, water shortage, conflict among farmers and so on. IWUG usually collect maintenance fee from the water user. It promotes ditch cleaning at the beginning of each cropping season and small repair of ditch if necessary. Royal Irrigation Department (RID) promotes the role of IWUG to participate in maintenance at lateral and ditch level by providing maintenance budget for 1 million Baht in each O&M project and Provincial Irrigation Project. Moreover, RID is now in the process of revising the law to promote the legal entity of IWUG.

Water User Group (WUG)

WUG is established wherever ditch is constructed. They are farmers who share water from the same ditch. There are usually 10 to 15 farmers. They select one of the members to be leader who represents in the IWUG. WUG cleans ditch before each cropping season, allocate water among members and collect maintenance fee from members. Since Thailand promote participatory on farm development, all farmers have to be consulted before construction of ditch. They have to sign for the approval of using the land for construction.

The role of water user organization in operation and maintenance is increasing since government decreases number of field staff in each irrigation project. Some projects achieve the most tangible result in participatory irrigation management such as Krasiew O&M project in Supanburi province and Klong Phiew Sao Hai O&M Project in Saraburi Province. It is found that the strong water user organization has good linkage with local administrative organizations.

Attachment: List of 22 JMC established

No.	Project with JMC
1	Chiang Rai Irrigation Project
2	Klong Mod Daeng Kam Phaengphet Project
3	Huai Som Hong Project, Nakhon Phanom Province
4	Huai Dong Noi Project, Nakhon Phanom Province
5	Lam Mun Bon Project, Nakhon Ratchasrima Province
6	Huai Sappadoo Irrigation Project, Nakhon Ratchasrima Province
7	Huai Prasatyai Irrigation Project, Nakhon Ratchasrima Province
8	Klong Preiw Sao Hai Operation and Maintenance Project, Saraburi Province
9	Krasiew Operation and maintenance Project, Suphanburi Province
10	Tapsalao operation and Maintenance Project, Uthai Thani Province
11	Hua Khun Kaew Irrigation project, Uthai thani Province
12	Yang Chum Irrigation Project, Prajuab Kiri Khan Province, Royal Project
13	Fai klong Ku Thanon Irrigation Project, Nakhon Sithammarat Province
14	Fai Klong Ya Irrigation Project, Krabi Province
15	Klong Tha Phaya Irrigation Project, Lower Pak Phanang
16	Sua Hung, Nakoti, Lower Pak Phanang
17	Bangjak, Lower Pak Phanang
18	Klong Khong Irrigation Project, Lower Pak Phanang
19	Huai Nam Sai Irrigation Project, Upper Pak Phanang
20	Ranod-Kasaesin Irrigation Project, Song Kla Province
21	Pattani Operation and maintenance Project, Pattani Province
22	Khanonjeen Irrigation Project

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Appendix 3.11.1 Law Related to the Irrigation Development and Management

This part is extracted from "Final Technical Legal Report" for Policies and Strategic Planning for the Thailand Irrigation Sector Reform Program (FAO, 2008)

(1) Canals Maintenance Act, 1902

Waterways and canals or "khlong" in Thai have in the past played an important role in the daily lives of Thai people. They provide sources of water for drinking, and are important for agricultural production; in addition, rivers and khlong have been the major transportation routes in the past. The Canals Maintenance Act, 1902 vests in the officials of the Ministry of Agriculture, the authority to: construct roads along the banks of the rivers and khlong; prohibit the discharge of waste; collect fees for parking boats and rafts; and set conditions for building bridges and piers.

(2) The People's Irrigation Act, 1939

This piece of legislation was enacted to control the expansion of private irrigation facilities built for private uses, for communal uses, or for uses of other people in return for some form of service fees. There are 3 types of private irrigation facilities:

1. <u>Private irrigation</u> for personal use, which refer to irrigation facilities built for agricultural production for the use of one individual or for groups of people. Section 4 of this Act states that permission has to be sought from the authorities if the irrigated areas exceed 200 rai Otherwise, permission is not needed, particularly if it is only for temporary use, provided it does not obstruct the flows of the natural waterways and does not cause damage to other people (sections 7 and 8). The State also has the power to command that water in excess of the needs of the owner of private irrigation facilities is to be shared with people in nearby fields. In return, the beneficiaries in the adjacent fields should share the costs of private irrigation facilities as deemed appropriate. Should the State feel that there is benefit to be gained for a greater number of the public in expanding the private irrigation facilities, it has the authority to take over the facility that has not been used by the private investor for at least 10 years for use as People's Irrigation. Section 9 directs the beneficiaries to jointly compensate the private owner.

2. <u>People's irrigation</u> facility refers to join investments on irrigation for agricultural production among members of the local communities. Permission is required from the State and approval depends on whether a majority of people in the specific community would benefit (section 12). The State will appoint the Chief of Irrigation Management who is supported by a majority of the community. The State also has the authority to recruit personnel to repair and maintain the facilities (sections 13 and 14) as well as issue

prohibitions any actions that may obstruct the flow of water in irrigation facilities, streams, ponds, canals and swamps.

3. <u>Commercial irrigation</u> is the facility for which agricultural producers pay. Concessions to build these irrigation facilities have to be issued by the State. The latter has the authority to oversee or control the irrigation facilities according to the conditions specified by the concession.

The law gives power to the State to temporarily close all three types of irrigation facilities described above in situations where there is shortage of water (section 5). The State also has the power to intervene if at any time, water users are observed to be excessively using the water.

(3) The State Irrigation Act 1942

This Act governs the construction, operation and maintenance of irrigation facilities at public expense, and empowers the responsible government agencies.

According to section 5 of the Act, irrigation waterways are divided into four categories, viz.:

1st Category.

A waterway used for supplying, draining, conserving or retaining water for irrigation purposes.

2nd Category.

A waterway used for navigation in common with irrigation within the area benefited from irrigation works.

3rd Category.

A waterway reserved for irrigation purposes.

4th Category.

A waterway which is accessory to irrigation.

The Minister shall notify Irrigation Waterways in the Government Gazette, including an indication as to which category the waterway belongs. The MOAC has to publicly issue an announcement designating the areas to be used as irrigation waterways which can only cover the actual waterways and the reservoir area. The announcement must be supported by a map clearly showing the location. Based on the information obtained, currently there are a number of waterways used for irrigation purposes which have not been gazetted. In practice, this means that RID does not have the authority over the management of the waterways and this may be one of the main reasons for their ineffective management. Presently, RID has plans to expedite the announcements of the waterways for irrigation purposes and the issuance of ministerial orders to collect user charges for irrigation water so that RID's management is in accordance with the irrigation law.

The Act also empowers the state in a number of ways to maximize the benefits from irrigation. For example, landowners with parcels of land far from the irrigation canals can dig distribution canals past other people's land provided compensation is paid to the owners (section 9). The State can require landowners to open the water gates which block the flow of water to downstream land parcels (section 20), or any actions that may reduce the share of water of nearby land parcels (section 21). Unless granted permission by the Director General of RID or persons assigned by the Director General, the State can prohibit digging canals to link up with the irrigation canals, or any other waterway that links up with irrigation canals. The State also has the power to prevent any actions that will affect water flow or damage irrigation facilities, prohibit dredging or obstruct waterways (section 34), prohibit the abstraction or the use of irrigation water that may result in damages to other people (section 35). Penalties for violation of any of these conditions are specified by the Act.

(4) The Field Dyke and Ditches Act, 1962

This Act replaces the Paddy Bunding and Dyke Act**H** 1941. The changes were based on the recognition that in some localities farmers were not only planting rice but also upland crops. Landowners have the responsibility to build and maintain the dykes that can retain at least 20 centimeters of water but not exceeding 30 centimeters within 2 years. If after 1 year, the Director General of RID is of the opinion that the landowner will not be able to complete the construction within the set time, he may order that the task be completed by RID staff, but with the costs being borne by the landowner. The layout of the dyke and ditch has to be constructed as required by the DG of RID.

To ensure equitable sharing of water resources, the DG shall have the power to direct the competent official to construct the regulators or other barriers used in regulation of the water in the ditches. Landowners who benefit from these investments are required to share the costs. They also have the responsibility to look after and maintain the conditions of the ditches and dykes as well as dredge the canals once a year.

(5) The Agricultural Land Consolidation Act, 1974

This Act concerns the development of land for agricultural production, to increase output and reduce cost of production. This may involve pooling parcels of land in a particular locality to adjust the sizes and reshaping so that each land parcel will benefit from the irrigation system, drainage canals, and also from access and feeder roads. This process may also entail marketing plans, land leveling, and land improvement and production. Land consolidation may also involve changes and transfer of landownership.

The Act stipulates the appointment of a Central Land Consolidation Committee which oversees the work of the Central Land Consolidation Office and the Provincial Land Consolidation Office. This Committee is also responsible for: designing projects of land consolidation; identifying the land consolidation project area and giving advice to the Cabinet over the purchase or expropriation of land for land consolidation purposes; approving plans for subdividing land parcels and water drainage, roads and feeder roads, land leveling, exchange of parcels, transfer of landownership, hire-purchase arrangements; and matters related to land consolidation. The Director General also has the power to settle problems that may arise and review the complaints and requests submitted by landowners and by other stakeholders in the Land Consolidation Project Area. The Director General also lays down rules and regulations regarding procedures, and financial and other management issues that concern the Central and Provincial Land Consolidation Offices. The Agricultural Land Consolidation Act, 1974 was amended in 1991 to include a section on a Land Consolidation Fund (section 50 *bis* and section 50 *ter*) which can be used as a revolving fund to finance land consolidation activities and to provide assistance to the farmers.

(6) The Amendment of the State Irrigation Act, 1942

By the requirement of the Cabinet of 8 February 2005, RID has made a proposal for amending the State Irrigation Act, 1942 to ensure consistency with the National Management Strategy 2005-2008.

- 1. Provide a clear definition of the term 'agriculture' and improve the definition of the term 'irrigated area' and 'embankment'.
- 2. Revise the user charge for irrigation water to a floating rate.
- 3. Increase the area under the responsibility of RID.
- 4. Identify clearly where the caught offender should be sent to.
- 5. Increase the definition of 'roads within irrigated areas' which clearly imply that they fall under the responsibility of RID
- 6. Improve the criteria of water control which is not restricted to the obstruction of the flow of water.
- 7. Revise the criteria to limit the judicial review of administrative decisions.
- 8. Revise to expand the scope of authority of the irrigation engineer, e.g. the authority to order the removal of any obstructions on irrigation waterways.
- 9. Define the unauthorized uses of water and the power of the court as well as the requirement that the beneficiaries must set up meters so as to control the volume of water used.
- 10. Set rules over the types of vehicles allowed on the embankments.
- 11. Set penalties for those who defy the orders of the responsible staff.
- 12. Change the name of the responsible Minister in charge of implementation under the existing law.

Appendix 3.11.2 Law Related to the Establishment of the Organizations of Water Users

This part is extracted from "Final Technical Legal Report" for Policies and Strategic Planning for the Thailand Irrigation Sector Reform Program (FAO, 2008)

(1) The Cooperatives Act, 1999

This legislation was enacted for the purpose of developing cooperatives and to ensure their ability to adapt and maintain competitiveness within the changing business environment. The concept is to have a single system of cooperatives, in which members have limited responsibilities according to the number of shares held. This is to ensure steady growth.

Cooperatives will be registered under this law with the objective of promoting the economic interest of the members through mutual support. The conditions for registration are:

- (1) Members must have joint activities as specified in the registration document.
- (2) Members must be private individuals who are of legal age.
- (3) The Cooperative must have capital which comprises shares of equal value. Each member must have at least one share but the value of shares held by any one member must not exceed one fifth of the number of shares which have been paid in full.
- (4) The Cooperative must have members which have satisfied certain conditions of membership as specified in the Act (section 43(7)).

Organizations of water users in irrigated areas which have the intention to operate as a cooperative can therefore register themselves under this Act. They will then have the legal status of a corporate body which operates as a non-profit making body in the interest of members, enjoying a more secure status and clear regulations, and a transparent and accountable financial management system. In situations where farmers have organized themselves for the purpose of providing mutual support but cannot register as a cooperative under this Act, they can register themselves as farmers' groups following the procedures laid out by the Royal Decree.

(2) The Civil and Commercial Code

The Civil and Commercial Code sections 78 - 109 concern the establishment of Associations. The Code requires that any non-profit Association must be registered in order to become legally established. At least 3 people who wish to become a member of the Association should jointly submit a request to the registrar in the location where the Association office will be set up. The details to be submitted include the rules of the Association, names, addresses and information on occupation of at least 10 members, and the same for those members who will become the Committee of the Association. Once registered, the Association will have the status of a legal body. Unless otherwise

stated, members must pay the full fees on the day of application to become a member. The Association Committee must organize a general meeting at least once a year.

The Registrar has the authority to terminate the status of the Association in the following situations.

(1) When it becomes clear after registration that the objectives of setting up the Association is against the law, culturally unacceptable or imposes any risks on the welfare of the people or the security of the State; and where the Association refuses to make adjustments within the specified time period.

(2) When the Association has been inactive for more than 2 years.

(3) When the Association allows other parties who are not Committee Members to manage the affairs of the Association.

(4) When the Association has less than 10 members for two consecutive years.

This Act is a method by which WUGs in irrigated areas can register themselves as an Association. The acquired corporate legal status should in principle provide security and a leverage to provide assistance to members.

(3) The Royal Decree on the Farmers Group 2004

The Cooperatives Act, 1999 section 119 states that Farmers' Groups can be established according to the criteria and guidelines set by the Royal Decree. The main contents of the Royal Decree on the Farmers Group 2004 are:

- 1. Farmers' Groups can be established if there are at least 30 people who earn their major source of income from agricultural production.
- 2. At least 7 people should submit an application for the establishment of a Farmer's Group to the registrar in the province where it is to be set up.
- 3. The Farmers' Group should appoint at least 5 members as Committee Members and not more than 15 members.
- 4. The objectives of setting up a Farmers' Group are as follows:
 - (1) To undertake any production, trading, services or any other activities for the benefit of the members.
 - (2) To provide welfare and support services for the benefit of the members and their families.
 - (3) To provide services to members either free of charge, or in return for a fee.
 - (4) To provide technical assistance to members.
 - (5) To engage in joint investment with other farmers' groups.
 - (6) To serve as a deposit of the savings of the Farmers' Group in accordance with the set regulation and with the approval by the Registrar.
 - (7) To provide loans and other services such as rental, hire-purchasing, transfer, mortgage, pledge for the member.
 - (8) Farmers' Groups can have ownership over land and immovable property.

(9) To undertake any other activities that have been approved by the registrar which is consistent with the objectives of setting up the Farmers' Group.

(10) To take any other actions according to (5), (7) and (8) within the budget allowance approved by the registrar.

- 5. The founding members should organize the first General Meeting of Members within 90 days after having been officially registered. The main objective of the first general meeting of members is to elect Committee Members and the Inspector. General meetings should be organized once a year within 150 days from the end of the financial year. If there is need, Committee Members can also call for an irregular General Meeting of Members. Each member has one vote regardless of the number of shares held.
- 6. The registrar has the power to disagree with the decision of the General Meeting of Members, or any decisions of the Committee Members in the event that these decisions are against the law, or do not conform to the rules, regulations or the orders of the registrar.
- 7. Farmers' Groups can be terminated where:
 - a. Any actions are undertaken which are specified in the regulations.
 - b. There are less than 30 members for a period of longer than 120 days.
 - c. It is the decision of the General Meeting of members.
 - d. The Farmers' Group has been ruled as bankrupt by the Court.
 - e. The registrar decides that the Farmers' Groups have not been active for a specified period of time, if they do not report their financial status as required by the law, or if the operations lead to severe losses.

(4) Local administration and Decentralization Act.

The Provincial Administration Organizations' responsibilities under the Provincial Administration Organization Act, 1997 for example, include the management, conservation and protection of water resources. The municipality is established under the Municipality Act. Municipalities are also responsible for management, conservation and protection of water resources which include looking after drainages, boat landings and piers.

The Provincial Administration Organization has been established under the Provincial Administration Organization Act, 1994. TAOs are responsible for the management of water resources within their jurisdictions which cover the provision of water supply services for consumption, for agricultural production, maintenance of waterways and drainage systems. The TAOs also have general responsibilities to protect, conserve and maintain the quality of natural resources and environment.

Other than legislations specific to the different levels of local governments, the Decentralization Act, 1999, which specified the program and stages of decentralization, also stated that municipalities and TAOs are responsible for management of wastewater.

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Chapter 3/1 Irrigation Water Users Groups

Section 35/1. Beneficiaries who are utilizing water from the same irrigation system have the right to organize themselves and register as Irrigation Water Users Groups for the mutual benefit of member in the management of water and maintenance of irrigation systems.

The Irrigation Water Users Groups registered according to paragraph of this Section have the status of a juristic person.

The criteria, procedure and conditions for registering according to paragraph of this Section should be in accordance with the Ministerial Order. The Irrigation Engineer will act as the Registrar.

Section 35/2: The WUGs should appoint a Committee with at least 5, but not more than 10 WUGs committee members.

The WUG Committee should elect the chairman of the WUGs committee from Committee Members elected under Clause 1.

Section 35/3: The WUGs committee members will serve for a period of 4 years.

The WUGs committee members who have served a full term period may be re-elected as WUGs committee member but can not be appointed for more than 2 consecutive terms.

The status of the WUGs committee members will be terminated in the following situations:

- (1) Death.
- (2) Resignation.
- (3) The decision of the WUG members for to terminate the status as WUG committee member.
- (4) Has become disable or semi-disable.
- (5) Is no longer a member of the Local Government Administration.
- (6) Is no longer a staff of the Irrigation Project in that area.
- (7) Having been sentenced by a final judgment to a term of imprisonment irrespective of a suspension of the punishment, except for a suspension of the punishment in an offence committed through negligence or a petty offence or an offence of defamation.

Section 35/4: The WUG Committee has the general management responsibilities. In addition to coordinating with public agencies over management, the WUGs Committee is responsible for the following:

- Conduct a survey of water needs among WUG members and cooperate with the Irrigation Project Manager and the Irrigation Engineer to develop a plan for water management.
- (2) Give advice to WUG members on how to follow the water allocation plan, the maintenance of the irrigation water ways and the irrigation facilities.
- (3) Report problems in water allocation and maintenance of the irrigation system to the Project Manager and the Irrigation Engineer.
- (4) Keep a register of WUG members.
- (5) Address any problems that occur and arbitrate when conflicts arise among members.
- (6) Organize joint meetings between the WUG Committee and Members as well as organize a General Meeting at least once per year.
- (7) Formulate policies, rules and criteria.
- (8) Set the membership fees, the user fees and fines.
- (9) The WUG Committee also has the authority to ask the members to undertake certain activities as well as prohibit WUGs members from undertaking certain activities considered to be harmful to the interests of members.
- (10) Undertake any other duties that have been assigned by concerned public agencies.

Section 35/5: Those who are eligible to become WUG Committee Members must have the following qualifications:

- (1) Have never been convicted for any crime.
- (2) Have never been fired, expelled or dismissed from services of the pubic and private sectors, institutions, employers for any misconduct in performing their duties.
- (3) Have never been dismissed by the majority vote of the Committee for misconduct of responsibilities.
- (4) Is not a bankrupt person.

Section 35/6 The WUG Committee should organize a general meeting at least once a year, the purpose being to:

- (1)Organize an election to appoint committee members to replace those whose terms have ended or any vacant committee members' positions due to other reasons.
- (2) Approve policy, rules, regulation, fees, user charges and fines
- (3) Approve of the membership fees, water user charges, fines and returns to WUG committee members as well as WUG Inspector (if one has been appointed)
- (4) Approve of the annual budget

(5) Report on the work progress of the WUG Committee.

Section 35/7. The WUG General Meeting must be attended by at least half of the total number of members.

Members can request other members to attend in his or her place. Each member can be representative of not more than 3 members.

Section 35/8. Unless otherwise stated, each member has one vote. WUGs could agree to have different rules over voting rights but the number of votes for each member should be based on considerations over equity issues and incentives for cooperation among WUG members.

The decision rule is based on the majority votes. In the event where there is equal number of votes, the vote of the Head of the WUG will be the decisive vote. At least two thirds of the votes for the motion to pass in the following situation:

- (1) Additional amendment of the rules and regulations.
- (2) The merging of WUGs in the irrigated areas.
- (3) The termination of any WUGs.
- (4) Any other issues as specified by the regulations.

Section 35/9. In the WUG General Meeting, if less than the minimum number of attendant are present, another meeting should be scheduled within 40 days. In the rescheduled date, the presence of at least one third of the members is considered sufficient to hold the General Meeting.

Section 35/10. A WUG Inspector should be elected from the WUG Members in the General Meeting according to the criteria, the procedure and the conditions in the regulations. The role of the Inspector is to monitor and evaluate the performance of the WUG Committee to ensure that they are in accordance with the regulations and the principles of the Royal Irrigation Act.

The Inspector serves a term of 2 years.

Section 35/11. The WUGs may receive financial support from Local Government Administration, Revolving Fund for irrigation purposes, subsidies, assets or donations.

The use of funds from the public or the private sector should be used in accordance with the set objectives. If there are no specifications as to the purpose of the use of funds, then the basic understanding is that the sum allocated will be used to support activities that serve the objective of the WUGs or will be kept as reserve funds.

Section 35/12. The WUGs will keep a financial account which meets the standard financial book keeping requirement. There should be internal auditing of the financial situation, the accounts and the assets and results should be reported to the General Meeting at least once a year.

The Inspector appointed under Section 35/10 is responsible for conducting the auditing under Clause 1.

Section 35/13. The WUG Committee should prepare an Annual Report to present to the members in the Annual General Meeting. The main contents of the report should cover the achievement of the WUG Committee in the past year, the financial accounts including the internal auditor's report and the policy of the WUG Committee including the planned programs and activities.

Section 35/14. To improve the performance and to ensure that evaluation work is undertaken according to the schedule set, the WUGs should arrange for performance evaluation according to the work schedule set by the Irrigation Engineer at least not more than 1 year.

Section 35/15. For any actions taken by the WUG Committee that may infringe upon the interest of the WUGs or its members, or any cause problems over the operational or financial aspects of the WUGs, the General Meeting of the WUG members can reach an agreement that:

- (1) The WUG Committee addresses the problems that arose according to the procedure and within the set timeframe.
- (2) Require that WUG Committee terminate the actions believed to be the cause of the problems and infringes upon the interests of the WUG or of its members.
- (3) Temporarily suspend any activities undertaken by the WUG Committee until the problems have addressed according to the procedure and within the set timeframe.
- (4) Dismiss the entire WUG Committee, or just Committee Members who are responsible for the problems that arose.

Section 35/16. If there is agreement that all the WUG Committee Members should be dismissed, the General Meeting should reach an agreement that a temporary WUG Committee be appointed. The temporary WUG Committee will have the same authority and responsibilities and serve a period of not more than 180 days from the date of appointment.

Before the term comes to a close, the temporary WUG Committee should organize a General Meeting for purpose of electing the entirely new set of people to become the WUG Committee.

In the event that the General Meeting's decision is to terminate the status of some members of the WUG Committee, the remaining WUG Committee Members should call for a General Meeting to elect a replacement within 30 days after the termination of the former WUG Committee members. If the General Meeting cannot be held, or if no replacements can be elected, then it falls upon the remaining WUG Committee Members to appoint a replacement. The elected or appointed WUG Committee Member will serve only the remaining term of the person he or she is replacing.

Section 35/17. The WUGs in any irrigated areas can be terminated in the following situations:

- (1) When there are fewer members than the minimum numbers required by the announcement of the Director General over a period of 120 days.
- (2) When it is the decision of the majority in the General Meeting.
- (3) When the Irrigation Engineer makes a decision that it should be terminated according to Section 35/18.

If termination of the WUGs is due to either (1) or (2), a written notification should be sent to the Irrigation Engineer within 50 days of the termination. If termination of the WUGs is due to (3), the Irrigation Engineer should issue a written notification to the WUG Committee without delay.

Section 35/18. The Irrigation Engineer has the authority to terminate the existence of the WUGs in the following situation:

- (1) When the WUG has not taken any action for a period of one year from the date of registration, or when a WUG has not been operable for a period of more than 2 years.
- (2) When actions undertaken by the WUGs have resulted in severe damages, or when it has become apparent that no benefits can be gained from the operation of the WUG.

Section 35/19. When WUGs terminate, clearing of accounts should follow procedures set by the Ministerial Order.

Section 35/20. Any two or more WUGs can merge provided that they have the approval of the Irrigation Engineer.

Section 35/21. The newly merged WUGs must register themselves as a new WUG.

Section 35/22. The specifications under Section 35/1 and 32/21, irrigation beneficiaries have the right to organize themselves into other forms of organization such as cooperatives, associations or water user groups under other Acts.