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New guidelines to strengthen legal preparedness for international disaster relief

These guidelines will strengthen legal preparedness for international disaster relief. Governments can prepare themselves to avoid the common bureaucratic barriers to relief (e.g., in visas, customs clearance, overflight and landing permission, tax exemptions, and recognition of domestic legal status) while also ensuring adequate systems of oversight and monitoring of the quality and coordination of relief efforts. This will help to ensure that affected communities receive the right aid at the right time

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2008. [2 p.] : col. ill.

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/guidelines/factsheet-2008.pdf>

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ADB emergency loan to help rebuild Fijis flood-affected rural economy

28 Aug 2009. Manila, The Asian Development Bank (ADB) extend an emergency loan of \$17.6 million to help rebuild damaged infrastructure and revive economic activity in rural areas of Fiji that were badly affected by floods earlier this year. This loan would be used to rehabilitate roads, bridges, and other infrastructure, particularly on Viti Levu, Fijis main island

Asian Development Bank

Manila : ADB, 2009. 1 p.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/ADB_FJI_loan_FL_rebuild.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2943.html>

URL <http://www.reliefweb.int/rw/rwb.nsf/db900SID/KHII-7VC88S?OpenDocument>

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Cash transfers in emergencies : a synthesis of World Visions experience and learning. HPG Commissioned report

This paper examines the question of how World Vision should approach the use of cash transfers as a tool in emergency response. There has been growing interest in the use of cash transfers as a way of responding to emergency needs. Diverse agencies in a variety of contexts have provided cash to assist people to access food, find temporary shelter, rebuild their homes, recover their livelihoods and meet other needs. These agencies have developed guidelines and training modules related to the use of cash

Bailey, Sarah. Overseas Development Institute (London, England)

London : ODI, 2009. 52 p. [60 p.]. Ref. : p. 49-50

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/HPG_2008_cash_transfers.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2944.html>

URL <http://www.odi.org.uk/resources/download/3674.pdf>

2945

Republic of Palau : facility for economic and infrastructure management ; technical assistance

consultants report. Environmental and Natural Resources Development Action Plan : July 2008

Palau is endeavouring to meet its international obligations under various conventions and agreements in the absence of a national environmental policy framework and without the requirements of those agreements being integrated into domestic environmental management policy. The Environment and Natural Resources Development Action Plan builds on mechanisms to preserve the key values and address the key constraints within a framework for facilitating a consensus for change

Asia Development Bank. (Project ; TA 4929-PAL)

Wellington : PINZ, 2008. iv, 35 p. [51 p.]. Ref. : p. 10. Annex 1-3 : p. 1-9

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/ADB_PLW_2008_Facility_Economic.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2945.html>

URL <http://www.adb.org/Documents/Reports/Consultant/40595-PAL/40595-06-PAL-TACR.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 3 : April 2006. IDRL programme updates

This issue highlights the case studies examining the various legal issues arising during the international tsunami response operations, have continued to be conducted by the Asia-Pacific IDRL Project. IDRL National legislation. The IDRL Programme seeks the assistance of RC/RC National Societies and Governments in gathering comprehensive national legislation, dealing specifically with the facilitation, coordination or regulation of international assistance, or general national legislative instruments pertaining to disaster response by international actors

Beeckman, Katrien. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2006/3)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2006. 1 p.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2006_idrl_enews_3.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-3.pdf>

2947

Vanuatu : country partnership strategy (2010-2014) ; economic assessment. Vanuatu Economic Report 2009 : Accelerating Reform

Vanuatu has made significant economic and social gains in recent years, with growth driven mainly by construction activity, tourism, and services, underpinned by improved economic policy and effective fiscal management. Concerns remain about the distribution of the benefits of development, which do not reach most of the 80% of the population that lives in rural areas. Therefore this economic assessment seeks to address this issue

Asian Development Bank

[Manila] : ADB, 2009. ix, 142 p. [152 p.] : some col. ill. Draft for Consultation. Appendix 1-7 : p. 136-142

Download

http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/ADB_VUT_2009_Economic_Assessment.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2947.html>

URL <http://www.adb.org/Documents/CPSs/VAN/2010-2014/VAN-Economic-Assessment.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no 17 : March 2009

This issue highlights- IDRL projects take form in Sierra Leone and Uganda, sorting out the humanitarian pieces in Spain, Cambodia IDRL project gets down to brass tacks, Greater Mekong governments embrace legal reform, Indonesia reflects on lessons from the 2004 tsunami, UN Nargis evaluation highlights regulatory balance and UN General Assembly touts the IDRL Guidelines

Amin, Aishah. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2009/17)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2009. 8 p. : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2009_idrl_enews_17.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-17.pdf>

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Vanuatu : country partnership strategy (2010-2014) ; environment assessment

Vanuatu would appear to be well placed to respond to changes in environmental quality, particularly with constitutional provisions and a suite of laws to protect the environment, however, there is inadequate political commitment to the environment, under staff Environment Unit, and inconsistent implementation of the carefully crafted laws. To improve this situation, priority actions recommended by national consultations undertaken during the Country Environmental Analysis is to commence implementation of the road map

Asian Development Bank

[Manila] : ADB, 2009. 2 p. [3 p.] Draft for Consultation

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http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/ADB_VUT_2009_Environment_Assessment.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2949.html>

URL <http://www.adb.org/Documents/CPSs/VAN/2010-2014/VAN-Environmental-Assessment.pdf>

2953

Achieving sustainable development in an age of climate change

This policy note emphasizes the need for greater coherence in the different policies being pursued and more broadly, for an integrated approach to sustainable development

United Nations

New York : UN, 2009. ix, 29 p. [44 p.]

Download

http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/UN_2009_achieving_sustainable_development.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2953.html>

URL <http://www.un.org/esa/policy/devplan/cdppublications/2009cdppolicynote.pdf>

2954

IDRL e-newsletter - September 2005. IDRL programme updates

This IDRL issue highlights about the Federations IDRL programme, Legal advisors meeting, Growth in IDRL programme, IDRL training, New case studies and IDRL developments

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies

[Geneva] : IFRC , 2005. 3 p.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2005_idrl_enews_1.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2954.html>

URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-1.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter - December 2005. IDRL programme updates

This IDRL issue highlights IDRL global appeal 2006-2007 online, IDRL surveys: share your operational challenges, new case studies, Workshops, meetings, conferences and IDRL developments

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2005. 3 p.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2005_idrl_enews_2.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2955.html>

URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-2.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no 15 : October 2008

This issue highlights- legal Preparedness project welcomed in Vietnam, UN SG reiterates his call to use the IDRL guidelines, SAARC Summit calls for new disaster mechanisms, inching toward DM legislation in Mozambique, Nepal moves to strengthen its DM law, Legal advisors shine a light on RC/RC advocacy, IDRL workshops planned in Asia and Africa and IDRL in Finland

Amin, Aishah. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2008/15)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2009. 8 p. : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2008_idrl_enews_15.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-15.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 4 : September 2006. IDRL programme updates

This issue highlights Legal issues from the international response to the tsunami in Thailand, European Forum on IDRL, Webinar Governing the Maelstrom: the Law of Disaster Relief was held on April 25th, 2006, Thailand IDRL Information Session and workshop. On 17th July on the margin of ECOSOC, IDRL side event on Improving Legal Frameworks for the Facilitation, Coordination, and Regulation of Disaster Response

Beeckman, Katrien. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2006/4)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2006. [2 p.] : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2006_idrl_enews_4.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-4.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 6 : July 2007. IDRL programme updates

This IDRL issue highlights : Three new regional multi-stakeholder Consultations, New version of the Draft IDRL Guidelines, New Documents and publications, IDRL in the International Arena, Regional Forums on IDRL, IDRL Legal Developments

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2007/6)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2007. [4 p.] : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2007_idrl_enews_6.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-6.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 5 : February 2007. IDRL programmes updates

This issue highlights- Asia-Pacific Forum on IDRL, climate change and IDRL in the international arena, report of the UN Secretary-General to the General Assembly, UN General Assembly, Sixth Committee and further IDRL developments"

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2007/5)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2007. [4 p.] : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2007_idrl_enews_5.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-5.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no 11 : April 2008

This issue highlights revising laws to save lives in Cambodia, ECOWAS promotes better disaster management, CAPRADE reaches out to the Red Cross, Arab League group considers IDRL Guidelines, Facilitating environmental assistance in disasters and military actors make use of the IDRL guidelines

Bannon, Victoria. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2008/11)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2008. 10 p. : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2008_idrl_enews_11.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-11.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 7 : October 2007. IDRL programme updates

This IDRL issue highlights the 30th International Conference of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, Consultation Process on the Draft IDRL Guidelines, FAQ on the IDRL Guidelines, IDRL Legal Developments, New IDRL Programme documents and Publications And IDRL in Technical Workshops

Beeckman, Katrien. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL E-Newsletter ; 2007/7)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2007. [4 p.] : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2007_idrl_enews_7.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2961.html>

URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-7.pdf>

2962

Disaster Relief Emergency Fund (DREF) : IFRC programme update : appeal no. MAA00010 ; 27 August 2009. IFRC Programme update

This report covers the period 1 January to 30 June 2009. During the first six months of the year, DREF allocated a total of CHF 7,484,779 in 49 different allocations to 32 Red Cross Red Crescent National Societies. DREF supported National Societies in meeting the needs of 2.3 million people through relief operations and reaching 14.5 million through health and hygiene awareness and education operations in response to epidemics

Rees, Peter. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IFRC Appeal ; MAA00010) Geneva : IFRC, 2009. 10 p.

Download

http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2009_DREF_AppealMAA00010.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2962.html>

URL [http://www.reliefweb.int/rw/RWFiles2009.nsf/FilesByRWDocUnidFilename/ASAZ-7VCB82-full_report.pdf/\\$File/full_report.pdf](http://www.reliefweb.int/rw/RWFiles2009.nsf/FilesByRWDocUnidFilename/ASAZ-7VCB82-full_report.pdf/$File/full_report.pdf)

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Hybrid mitigation, relief and reconstruction program for the Marshall Islands and the Federated States of Micronesia - Expression of interest (EOI)

28 Aug 2009. The International Organization for Migration is now accepting Expressions of Interest for the provision of goods and services in the Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of the Marshall Islands related to its Disaster Mitigation, Relief and Reconstruction Project in the region

International Organization for Migration

[Geneva] : IOM, 2009. 2 p.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IOM_mitigation_relief_program.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2963.html>

URL <http://www.reliefweb.int/rw/rwb.nsf/db900SID/MUMA-7VC3JM?OpenDocument>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 9 : special edition. IDRL programme updates

IDRL Report from the 30th International Conference, IDRL Guidelines Unanimously Adopted, Conference Debates Underline the Importance of Legal Preparedness for Disasters, International Conference President Highlights IDRL in Press Conference

Fisher, David. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL E-Newsletter ; 2007/9)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2007. [2 p.] : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2007_idrl_enews_9.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-9.pdf>

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IDRL e-newsletter no. 8 : November 2007. IDRL programme updates

This IDRL Issue Highlights the 30th International Conference of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, IDRL in the International Arena, New Programme Publication, Pledge Reports on IDRL and IDRL in Technical Workshops

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL E-Newsletter ; 2007/8)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2007. [4 p.] : col. ill.

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Papua New Guinea : floods ; DREF operation no MDRPG003 ; GLIDE no FL-2008-00243-PNG ; final report ; 2 September 2009. IFRC DREF operation final report

Abnormally high sea levels resulted in severe floods in Papua New Guinea in December 2008. USD 165,000 were allocated from the International Federations Disaster Relief Emergency Fund (DREF) on 15 December 2008 to support Papua New Guinea Red Cross Society in delivering assistance to approximately 15,450 beneficiaries, and to replenish disaster preparedness stocks

Sinape, Esme. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IFRC DREF Final report ; MDRPG003)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2009. 4 p. [6 p.]

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_PNG_FL_2009_MDRPG003.pdf

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ACP/EU natural disaster facility

The European Union and ACP Secretariat concluded a Contribution Agreement with SOPAC in May 2009 which will facilitate the mobilisation of funding and technical support under the ACP/EU Natural Disaster Facility of the 9th European Development Fund. The 4-year Facility has been established to adopt a coherent approach to assist Pacific ACP states to effectively build their resilience to the long-term impact of natural disasters through the development and strengthening of regional and national disaster risk reduction and disaster management activities

Pacific Islands Applied Geoscience Commission

[Suva] : SOPAC, 2009. 1 p.

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http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/SOPAC_2009_Natural_Disaster_Facility1.pdf

HTML Link <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2967.html>

URL http://www.sopac.org/tiki-read_article.php?articleId=191

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From CDERA to CDEMA : the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency

September 1, 2009 is the official date of transition to CDEMA. CDEMA is the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency. This is the new name of the regional disaster management body formerly known as CDERA, the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Response Agency. CDEMA will replace and advance the work of CDERA. CDEMA will fully embrace the principles and practice of Comprehensive Disaster Management (CDM) which is an integrated and proactive approach to disaster management

Caribbean Disaster Emergency Response Agency

St Michael, Barbados : CDERA, 2009. [3 p.]

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/CDEMA_2009_cdera_to_cdema.pdf

HTML Link <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2968.html>

URL http://www.cdera.org/cdera_to_cdema.pdf

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IDRL e-newsletter no 10 : March 2008

In this issue- Floods in Bolivia, Conflict and disasters, ASEAN forges ahead, The EU Humanitarian Consensus, Nordic states prepare for the worst, Guidelines for the private sector, New Programme Publications, ASEAN forges ahead with its agreement on disaster management, EU humanitarian consensus subscribes to IDRL principles, Nordic states gather to improve their Host Nation Support and New UN principles for public private cooperation in relief

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2008/10)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2008. 5 p. : col. ill.

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Assessing patterns of vulnerability, adaptive capacity and resilience across urban centers

This paper illustrates that some components and determinants of vulnerability hold across urban cases. More specifically, the authors argue some determinants of vulnerability are consistent across specific situations, but also recognize that urban vulnerability is a complex and multidimensional phenomenon determined by a number of concurrent factors

Lankao, Patricia R

[Boulder, CO, USA] : UCAR, 2009. 23 p. Ref. : p. 19-23

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/UCAR_2009_Romero.pdf

HTML Link <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2970.html>

URL <http://www.urs2009.net/docs/papers/Romero.pdf>

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IDRL e - newsletter no 12 : May 2008

This issue highlights -Reference group plans new advocacy manual, UNDAC counsels legal preparedness for Bhutan, Fostering holistic disaster law in South Africa, IDRL highlighted at the IPU and ICDO and first steps on the IDRL guidelines in Europe

Bannon, Victoria. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2008/12)

[Genava] : IFRC, 2008. 8 p. : col. ill.

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2008_idrl_enews_12.pdf

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URL <http://www.ifrc.org/Docs/pubs/idrl/idrl-enews-12.pdf>

2972

**Organizational development support : IFRC programme update ; appeal no. MAA00006 ; 31 August 2009.
IFRC Programme Update**

This Programme Update from 1 January to 30 June 2009 covers the development support of the IFRC organisation both at the global level and in the field, are supporting member National Societies with technical guidance

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IFRC Appeal ; MAA00006)

Geneva : IFRC, 2009. 9 p. This report covers the period 1 January to 30 June 2009

Download http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/IFRC_2009_MAA0000609pu1.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2972.html>

URL <http://www.ifrc.org/docs/appeals/annual09/MAA0000609pu1.pdf>

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World climate conference-3 : climate prediction and information for decision-making ; Geneva, Switzerland 31 August - 4 September 2009

Climate provides societies with opportunities, as well as risks. WCC-3 is building on our resulting improved understanding of the climate system and advances in the science of climate prediction and information that can contribute to enhancing the well-being of society. It will focus on establishing services that enable decision-makers to better manage the climate opportunities and risks associated with extreme climate conditions and allow communities to improve their ability to adapt to long-term climate change"

World Meteorological Organization. (WMO Bulletin ; 58.2009/1)

Geneva : WMO, 2009. 8-9 p. [2 p.]

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http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/WMO_2009_WCC3_climate_prediction_information.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2973.html>

URL http://www.wmo.int/wcc3/documents/58_1_en.pdf

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IDRL e-newsletter no 13 : June 2008

This issue highlights- National Societies in the OIC region discuss IDRL, Philippines updates its rules on donations, setting IDRL strategies in Senegal and Cote d'Ivoire, and cooperation with ASEAN in Myanmar relief

Bannon, Victoria. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2008/13)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2008. 6 p. : col. ill.

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Coastal infrastructure management plan : Gagaemauga II District ; implementation guidelines

The Aim of the CIM Plan is to help communities and government improve resilience by identifying actions and solutions. Not all the solutions may be actioned immediately but the plan will ensure that issues and options are identified for the long-term improvement in resilience of both infrastructure and communities

Samoa. Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment

Apia : MNRE, 2002. ii, 8 p. : some col. ill.

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http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/WSM_MNRE_2002_GagaemaugaII_Implmnttn_gdlns.pdf

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URL [http://www.mnre.gov.ws/projects/siam-](http://www.mnre.gov.ws/projects/siam-2/documents/CIM/Gagaemauga2/Implementation%20Guidelines%20English/Implementation%20Guidelines.pdf)

[2/documents/CIM/Gagaemauga2/Implementation%20Guidelines%20English/Implementation%20Guidelines.pdf](http://www.mnre.gov.ws/projects/siam-2/documents/CIM/Gagaemauga2/Implementation%20Guidelines%20English/Implementation%20Guidelines.pdf)

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Coastal infrastructure management plan : Gagaifomauga I District ; implementation guidelines

The District Coastal Infrastructure Management Plan for Gagaifomauga I District has been prepared as part of the Government of Samoa's Infrastructure Asset Management Programme. The CIM Plan is one of the primary means of implementing the CIM Strategy, which was the Strategic direction for the management of infrastructure (both public and private) within the coastal area

Samoa. Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment

Apia : MNRE, 2002. ii, 4 p. [8 p.] : some col. ill.

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http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/original/WSM_MNRE_2002_Gagaifomauga_Implementation_Guidelines.pdf

HTML Link : <http://www.pacificdisaster.net/pdnadmin/data/documents/2976.html>

URL [http://www.mnre.gov.ws/projects/siam-](http://www.mnre.gov.ws/projects/siam-2/documents/CIM/Gagaifomauga/Implementation%20Guidelines%20English/Implementation%20Guidelines.pdf)

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IDRL E - newsletter no 14 : July 2008

This issue highlights - ECOSOC resolution promotes the IDRL guidelines, SOPAC conference urges response to the guidelines, the Colombia Red Cross leads change in DM law, Balkan societies recommit to IDRL advocacy, New Zealand builds IDRL into resiliency planning and High-level workshop in Laos touts legal reform

Bannon, Victoria. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. (IDRL e-newsletter ; 2008/14)

[Geneva] : IFRC, 2008. 6 p. : col. ill.

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2978

Coastal infrastructure management plan : Vaimauga East District ; implementation guidelines

The CIM Plan will improve the community's awareness of coastal hazard risks; Enable the community and infrastructure providers to reduce coastal hazard risks in villages; Enable the community and infrastructure providers to better adapt, respond and recover from cyclones for Vaimauga East

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2979

Coastal infrastructure management plan : Vaisigano no 1 District ; implementation guidelines

The Government of Samoa adopts the Coastal Infrastructure Management Plan for the Faipule District of Vaisigano No. 1 as a Management Plan for the implementation of the Coastal Infrastructure Management Strategy (CIMS)

Samoa. Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment

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2980

IDRL e - newsletter no 16 : December 2008

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2981

Health and care : IFRC programme update ; appeal no. MAA00001 ; 27 August 2009. IFRC programme update

This report covers the period 01 January to 30 June 2009. Since April 2009, the A H1N1 influenza pandemic attracted increasing attention from health professionals, governments, the media and the public. Approximately 10.6 million people were helped in Red Cross Red Crescent operations responding to epidemics from January to May 2009

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2982

Project management : coastal, environmental and institutional services ; infrastructure asset Institutional Strengthening Component : Final Report

The purpose of this short Institutional Review is primarily, to identify important institutional issues which, if addressed will contribute to the further development of DLSE. Secondly, to identify institutional issues which need to be addressed to enable the sustainability and success of the Coastal Environmental and Institutional Services components of the IAMP

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2983

Climate Change and Risk Management : challenges for insurance, adaptation, and loss estimation.

Discussion paper

Adapting to climate change will not only require responding to the physical effects of global warming, but will also require adapting the way we conceptualize, measure, and manage risks. Climate change is creating new risks, altering the risks we already face, and also, importantly, impacting the interdependencies between these risks. This paper focus on three particular phenomena of climate related risks that will require a change in our thinking about risk management: global micro correlations, fat tails, and tail dependence

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2984

Draft : Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment : institutional strengthening restructuring report

The purpose of this report is to provide a summary and outcomes of the MNRE Institutional Program Phase II, funded through the Coastal Component of the IAMP. This Stage of the MNRE ISP builds on the outcomes of the Stage I which conducted a full need assessment on the current corporate management and institutional setting of the ministry as well as the Government PSC Reform Program which formulates the setup up of the ministry and its role and responsibilities. Infrastructure Asset Management Project, Government of Samoa and World Bank, Cr. 3193-0-WSO

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[Apia] : MNRE, 2003. v, 23 p. [28 p.] : some ill. Cr. 3193-0-WSO

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2985

Coastal infrastructure management plan : Falealupo District ; implementation guidelines

The CIM Plan will: Improve the community's awareness of coastal hazard risks, enable the community and infrastructure providers to reduce coastal hazard risks in village, enable the community and infrastructure providers to better adapt, respond and recover from cyclones and other natural disasters.

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2986

Annotations to the draft guidelines for the Domestic Facilitation and Regulation of International Disaster Relief and Initial Recovery Assistance : version of 26 October 2007

It is found that a common set of legal problems have consistently surfaced in major international disaster operations, including administrative barriers to entry and operation, and gaps in the regulation of the quality and coordination of international relief and recovery activities. The aim is to express an international consensus on steps States can take to improve their domestic regulatory frameworks to ensure that if international help is needed, the right assistance arrives in time without displacing domestic relief and recovery efforts. But the choice whether and how to use the Guidelines remains with States themselves

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2987

Albania to Zimbabwe : the climate change risk list

Paris, Sept 2, 2009 (AFP). Africa and much of south Asia face extreme risk from climate change but top carbon polluters will be relatively shielded from its ravages, according a ranking of 166 nations obtained by AFP. UN scientists say that even if the world agrees at make-or-break climate talks in December to slash CO2 emissions, many of those impacts - rising sea levels, increased disease, flooding and drought are already inevitable

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2988

Capacity building fund : IFRC programme update ; appeal no. MAA00011 ; 31 August 2009 IFRC programme update

This report covers the period 1 January to 30 June 2009. The capacity building fund is a multi year organizational development funding mechanism to make International Federation members strong in order to scale up service and programme delivery

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2989

Influenza : IFRC programme update ; appeal no. MAA00018 ; 27 August 2009. IFRC programme update

This report covers the 01 January to 30 June 2009. This programme update is intended to convey transition, consolidation, and revision within the following two related appeals, into one plan and budget called Influenza, to maximize impact: MAA00018 - Humanitarian Pandemic Preparedness (H2P) 2009-2010 plan (previously called Avian and Human Influenza), which covered the following aspects and MDR00002 -

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2990

Disaster management : strategy and coordination ; IFRC programme update ; appeal no. MAA00029 ; 27 August 2009. IFRC programme update

This report covers the period 1 January to 30 June 2009. A summary of key achievements of the seven individual plans implemented by the International Federation under its disaster management global programme. The purpose is to reduce the number of deaths, injuries and impact from disasters, diseases and public health emergencies, by effectively using national, regional and international Red Cross and Red Crescent capacities and resources

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