



TRADE RELATED TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROJECT 2

BRIEF ACTIVITY REPORT

Activity Title:	FIU (Fish Inspection Unit) Procedures Manual Training
Component:	Standards Harmonisation and Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Conformity/ SPS Subcomponent
Activity Number:	2S.1.2.9.2
Date:	1-3 March 2010
Partner Agency:	Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR)



Mr. Dennis Tiotangco (Chief, BFAR Fish Inspection Unit) facilitate the discussion on the interpretation and correct implementation of the Fish Administrative Orders 227 and 228 s.2008 among fellow fish inspectors.



National and regional BFAR fish inspectors together with TRTA Imprest Administrator, Brenda R. Mendoza (leftmost, front row) gather after the first day of review and discussions on BFAR manual and procedures.

Objectives:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduce the modified inspection manual format and refresh the knowledge of fish inspectors on existing procedures • Introduce all new procedures and obtain feedback from the fish inspectors • Review relevant findings and recommendations resulting from the mock FVO audit undertaken in January 2010
Core Subjects:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National BFAR Inspection Framework and Policy • Key Legislation governing the activities of FIU (EC regulations, FAO 227 and 228 s.2008) • Manuals on Protocols and Procedures • Review of the findings of the mock FVO audit
Methodology:	Group review and open floor discussion on the policies, procedures and legislation governing the activities of the FIU
Number of Participants and Profile:	29 BFAR national and regional fish inspectors
Trainer:	Dr. Christopher Oates (SPS Key Expert), Dennis Tiotangco (Chief, BFAR Fish Inspection Unit)

