Global Initiative
Southeast Asia
QUARTERLY UPDATES FROM THE REGION

Upcoming Oil Spill Preparedness Activities

Myanmar National Task Force Meetings, Q2’2018

Thailand National Exercise, Q2’2018

Philippines National Workshop, Q2’2018

Highlights for this quarter

New GISEA Project Manager

In February, we welcomed a new Project Manager, Ms Amanda Chee. Amanda takes over the reigns from Mr Joselito Guevarra who has worked tirelessly to bring the GI program up to this current stage since its inception in 2013. The new Project Manager will be carrying out the 2018-2020 plan to further support the region in improving national capacities in oil spill preparedness and response.

Support for Myanmar NFT Continues in 2018

Starting from February 2018, GISEA continues our support to Myanmar’s National Task Force for the development of their National Oil Spill Contingency Plan. The current target is for the national plan to be finalised by the end of 2018.

Updates on the Regional OSCP at the 35th MTWG Meeting

GISEA attended the 35th Maritime Transport Working Group (MTWG) Meeting held in Singapore from 27 February to 1 March 2018. GISEA updated the ASEAN Member States on the progress of the draft Regional Oil Spill Contingency Plan (ROSCP) under the Memorandum of Understanding on ASEAN Cooperation Mechanism for Joint Oil Spill Preparedness and Response (ASEAN MOU) and presented on GISEA’s 2018-2020 planned activities to support the region.

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