

# Darwin Initiative

## Half Year Report (due 31 October each year)

**PLEASE NOTE: Due to the increased number of reports expected in 2005, we will not be able to confirm receipt of reports but will contact you individually should any questions arise**

<b>Project Ref. No.</b>	14-007
<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Community action for sustainable use and conservation of coral reefs</b>
<b>Country(ies)</b>	Sabah, Malaysia
<b>UK Organisation</b>	Marine Conservation Society
<b>Collaborator(s)</b>	Sabah Parks
<b>Report date</b>	October 31 <sup>st</sup> 2005
<b>Report No. (HYR 1/2/3/4)</b>	HYR 1
<b>Project website</b>	Under construction

**1. Outline progress over the last 6 months (April – September) against the agreed baseline timetable for the project (if your project has started less than 6 months ago, please report on the period since start up).**

**Key milestones: April-September 2005**

- o Introductory information sheets prepared on objectives for resource use, biodiversity conservation zones, species and habitats at risk and monitoring & circulated to stakeholders. **Completed**
- o Newsletter produced. **Completed**
- o Completion of first round workshops and stakeholder meetings to discuss resource use, biodiversity conservation zones, species and habitats at risk and monitoring. **Completed**
- o Resource surveys to locate broodstock of selected species completed and report produced. **Some of the survey work completed, but some gaps to be filled before the report is produced.**
- o Village publicity event/roadshow carried out. Public/press information. **Both aspects completed**
- o Reports/proceedings of first round workshops and stakeholder discussions and production of draft action plans for resource use, biodiversity conservation zones, species and habitats at risk and monitoring. **Completed.**
- o Seminar/workshop on sea ranching completed. **One-day Seminar completed**
- o Completion of second round of participatory workshop(s)/stakeholder meetings on resource use, biodiversity conservation zones, species and habitats at risk and monitoring. **Completed**

**2. Give details of any notable problems or unexpected developments that the project has encountered over the last 6 months. Explain what impact these could have on the project and whether the changes will affect the budget and timetable of project activities.**

No major problems to date

**Have any of these issues been discussed with the Darwin Secretariat and if so, have**

changes been made to the original agreement?	
Discussed with the DI Secretariat:	no/yes, in..... (month/yr)
Changes to the project schedule/workplan:	no/yes, in.....(month/yr)

**3. Are there any other issues you wish to raise relating to the project or to Darwin's management, monitoring, or financial procedures?**

If you were asked to provide a response to this year's annual report review with your next half year report, please attach your response to this document.

**Please note: Any planned modifications to your project schedule/workplan or budget should not be discussed in this report but raised with the Darwin Secretariat directly.**

Please send your **completed form by 31 October each year per email** to Stefanie Halfmann, Darwin Initiative M&E Programme, [stefanie.halfmann@ed.ac.uk](mailto:stefanie.halfmann@ed.ac.uk) . The report should be between 1-2 pages maximum. **Please state your project reference number in the header of your email message.**