



National Resource Management Symposium 2017: Connecting People With Nature, A Decade Of Learning

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CBRM Common Terminologies



- Management
- Conservation
- Community-Based Management or Co-management
- Community-Based Resource Management (CBRM)
- Community-Based Fisheries Management (CBFM)
- Community-Based Adaptive Management (CBAM)
- CBRM+: (Ecosystem Approach to Fisheries Management (EAFM), Integrated Coastal Management (ICM) / Ridge to Reef(R2R))
- Marine Protected Area (MPA)
- Tambu (tabu) area
- Locally Managed Marine Area (LMMA)



CBRM Approach



Importance of Coastal Resources: Food & Nutrition, Livelihood, Shelter-Island building, cultural traditions, transport, economic development.

- Resource Owners
- Primary rights
- Customary marine tenure - 90% of inshore coastal areas
- Coastal population – reside and depend on coastal and marine resources
- Dependency on resources: food & nutrition, economic benefits & livelihood, cultural values and traditions.



International Frameworks



- **UN Conventions** – UNCLOS, UNCBD, CITES, UNFCCC (incl. Human Rights conventions that guide human rights for livelihood)
- **SDG Goals : Goal 14** – Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development
- **United Nations Ocean Conference – Call for action and Commitments (June 2017)**



Regional Policies



- Coral Triangle Initiative on Coral Reefs, Fisheries and Food Security (CTI-CFF) - RPOA
- Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC):
 - Apia Policy
 - The New song
- South Pacific Regional Environmental Program (SPREP) Action Plans e.g. Dugong, Marine Turtles, etc
- Melanesian Spearhead Group Roadmap
- Pacific Islands Development Forum (PIDF) – Blue Economy
- Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat (PIFS) – Blue Pacific
- Office of the Pacific Ocean Commissioner (OPOC)



Government policies & legislation



MFMR

- ❖ Fisheries Management Act 2015
- ❖ MFMR strategy 2017 – 2019
- ❖ MFMR Corporate Plan 2015 – 2018
- ❖ MFMR Regulations

MECDM

- Environmental Act 1998 and Regulation 2008
- Wildlife Protection and Management Amendment Act 2017
- Protected Areas Act 2010 and Regulation 2012

Provincial Governments

- ✓ Provincial Government Act
- ✓ Provincial Ordinances (Natural Resource, Fisheries or Environment Management)



CBRM Framework

NPOA = CBRM founding policy for putting CBRM as focus for MECDM and MFMR

- developed in 2009

- Aim to ensure CBRM services reaches all 4000 coastal communities or at least 50% of them by 2020.

- Fisheries Act 2017 – CBRM

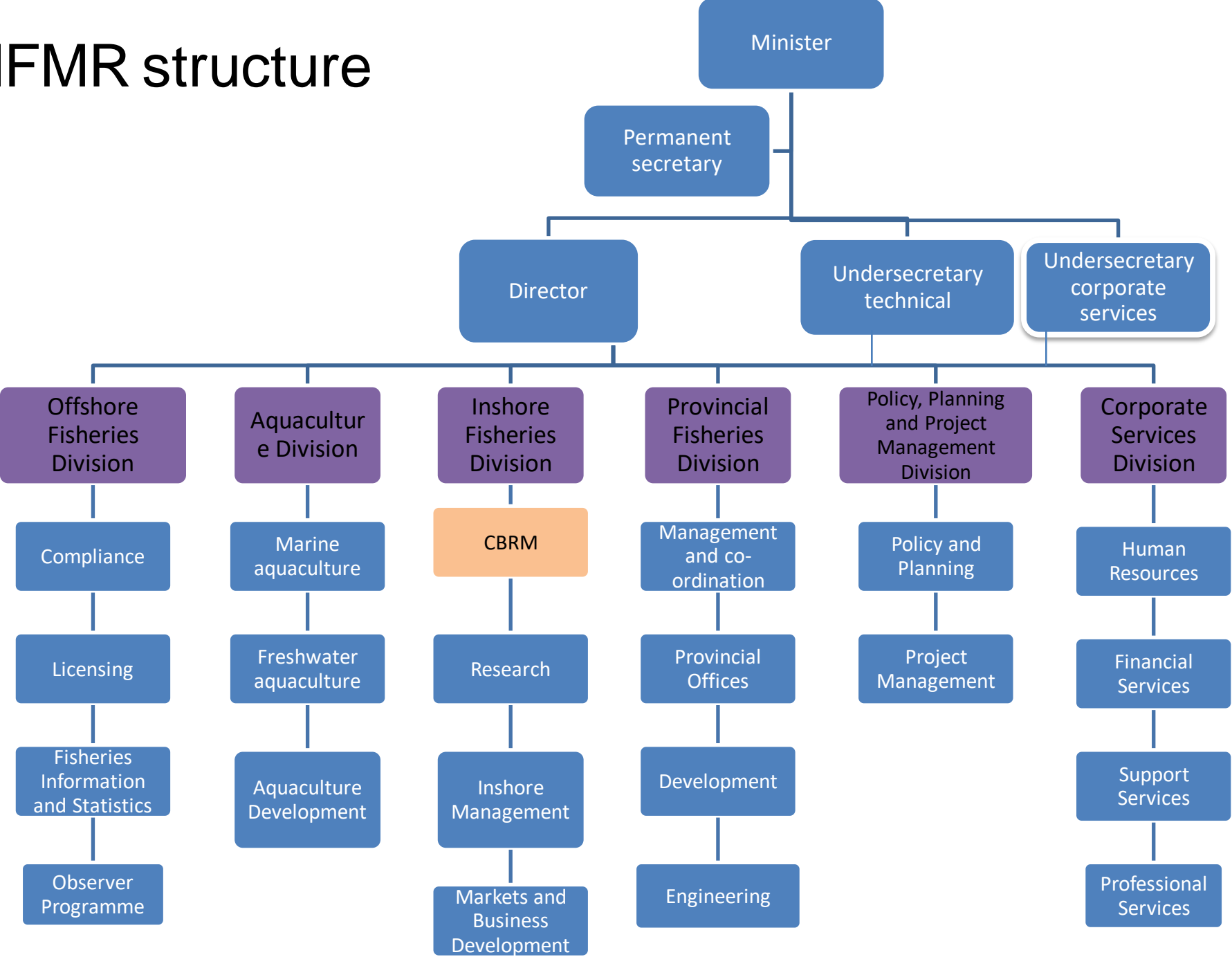
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- Fisheries Regulations



MFMR structure





Networking

- **Connecting partners**
- **CBRM build up – legal framework**
- **Solomon Islands Managed Marine Areas (SILMMA) Network**





Recommendations from Symposium

- **MFMR Overarching Policy**
- **Fisheries Regulations**
- **Review of our CTI-CFF National Plan of Action**
- **Integrated Oceans Policy**

