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**SESSION III.**

**Cooperative Measures for Dealing with Maritime Terrorism**

**Creation of Maritime Coalition  
for the Stable Regional Security**

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# 7 Specific Instability Factors in Asia-Pacific Region

- \*Proliferation of WMD & Ballistic Missiles
- \*Expansion of International Terrorism
- \*Rapid Build-up of Chinese Military Power
- \*Confrontations Continuing in Korean Peninsula
- \*Confrontations More Tense in Taiwan Strait
- \*Confrontational Structure at Sea
- \*Internationalized and Organized Piracy

# **International Terrorism**

**Endured & Difficult War (Long War)**

**Risk of Attacks Still High**

**JI with Al Qaeda, MILF, Abu Sayyaf...**

**US Centric Fight Against Terrorism**

**MIO, Joint Patrol/Exercise, but...**

# **Internationalized & Organized Piracy**

**Piracies in Regional Vital SLOCs**  
**Connected with International Terrorists**

**Anti-Piracy Arrangements in Region**  
**MalSinDo/Eyes in the Sky, Joint Exercises,**  
**and...**

# **Maritime Security as a Key**

**We can find “Maritime Security”  
as a Common Key Word & Urgent Concern  
for Regional Security**

# **Regional Frameworks for Maritime Security Cooperation**

## **Southeast Asia**

**ARF, ASEAN+3, East Asian Summit**

## **Northeast Asia**

**No Framework (6 Party Talks?)**

# **Development of Capacity Building for Maritime Security Cooperation**

**ReCAAP, APEC, RMSI, WPNS, HCGM**

**CSCAP for Capacity Building**

**National and Regional Level**

- ① Institutional Arrangement**
- ② Legal Framework**
- ③ Resources**

# **Maritime Coalition for Maritime Security**

**High Expectations of Regional Countries  
for Energy, Resource & Foods from Oceans**



**Stage of Intricate Tangle of National Intentions**



**Establishing Regional Consensus over Creation of  
Maritime Coalition for Maritime Security**

# How to proceed ?

**Maritime Coalition for**

**Maritime Security in Peacetime First**

**Shelving Sensitivity of Regional Maritime Security**

**Easier to Gather All Related Players, as Navies, CGs...**



**Building Common Values in Region on**

**Maritime Security in Peacetime**



**Finding a way to Stepping up to Maritime Coalition for**

**Maritime Security at War**

# Expanding Maritime Coalition as the Next Step

Confidence Building through Cooperation for  
Regional Maritime Security in Peacetime



Creation of Coalition for Maritime Security at War  
for  
Prevention of War  
Joint Response at War

# Conclusion

**“Region could not just wish the problem away or wait until an attack occurred before acting. If an accident happens, or should I say when it happens, everyone will wake up and scramble for a solution. But it will be too late.**

**Time to act is now!”**

**Tony Tan, DPM of Singapore, 2004**