

A tropical forest landscape with a body of water in the foreground and a clearing with logs in the middle ground. The forest is dense with green trees, and the sky is blue with white clouds. The water is a deep blue color.

# **FOREST LAW ENFORCEMENT IN PAPUA**

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# INTRODUCTION

- **PAPUA IS HOME OF BIOLOGICALLY RICHEST**
- **PAPUA'S BIODIVERSITY CONTRIBUTES MORE THAN 50% OF INDOENSIAN BIODIVERSITY**
- **DEFORESTATION WAS QUITE HIGH**
- **THREATS : ILLEGAL LOGGING AND WILDLIFE TRADE**
- **ESTIMATES FOR TOTAL ILLEGAL LOGGING RANGE FROM 600,000 M<sup>3</sup>/MONTH (MoF)**
- **ILLEGAL PRODUCTION COME FROM DIFFERENT SOURCES (overcutting in logging concession, conversion of forest, logging inside conservation and protection forest)**

# FOREST LAW ENFORCEMENT

- **2001, MoF & MoIT ISSUED EXPORT BAN FOR LOGS, GOVERNOR of PAPUA ISSUED DECREE EXPORT LOG FROM PAPUA, 2004 MoF and MoIT ISSUED EXPORT BAN FOR SAW-TIMBER**
- **DATA FROM POLICE OF REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA :**
  - \*\* 2002 (1 headquarter, 26 provinces) : 442 cases, 218 cases investigated, 170 cases P.21, 12 cases SP3 (stopped)**
  - \*\*2003 (1 headquarter, 27 provinces): 546 cases, 282 cases investigated, 268 cases P.21, 5 cases SP3 (stopped)**
  - \*\*2004 (1 headquarter, 30 provinces) : 463 cases, 267 cases investigated, 174 cases P.21, 5 cases SP3 (stopped)**
- **COMMERCIAL-SCALE ILLEGAL LOGGING COME IN VARIOUS FORMS**
- **ISSUED OF CONCESSION LICENSES AND WEAK SUPPERVISION ARE ONE OF PROBLEM**
- **ILLEGAL LOGGING UNDER CURRENT INDOENSIA LAW : (1) CUTTING IN THE FOREST ZONED AS CONSERVATION FOREST,(2) CUTTING IN PRODUCTION FOREST WITHOUT CONCESSION RIGHT, (3) LOADING AND TRANSPORTING LOGS WITHOUT A CERTIFICATE (SKSHH)**

- **IN JOINT TASKFORCE“WANABAHARI” OPERATION BY MoF AND NAVY (2001) ARRESTED 8 SHIPS (26,564 M3 LOGS), 2002 ARRESTED 5 SHIPS (11,300 M3 LOGS).**
- **IN THE FIELD (PAPUA), NO COORDINATION BETWEEN FORESTRY SERVICES AND POLICE (WANALAGA OPERATION)**
- **DATA FROM CII IN 5 REGENCIES DEMONSTRATED ON SEVERAL TYPES OF ILLEGAL LOGGING : (1) ILLEGAL LOADING/TRADING WITHOUT SKSHH, (2) LOGGING INSIDE CONSERVATION FOREST, (3) UNLICENSED LOGGING (FOREST AREA UNKNOWN), (4) UNLICENSED LOGGING INSIDE HPH.**
- **THE PROVINCIAL FORESTRY SERVICES PROVIDED A STATUS REPORT ON 33 CASES, AND OTHER SOURCES PROVIDED DETAILS OF ANOTHER 18 CASES, GIVING A TOTAL OF 51 CASES**
- **PAPUA FORESTRY SERVICES INFORMATION WAS INCOMPLETED (33 OUT OF 50 CASES) AND MUCH OF INFORMATION OUT OF DATED.**

- **ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATED INEFFECTIVE ENFORCEMENT IN PAPUA : (1) OVERLAPPING AND INCONSISTENT LAWS GOVERNING LOGGING, (2) LACK OF COORDINATION BETWEEN AGENCY, (3) INADEQUATE BUDGETARY RESOURCES, (4) INSUFFICIENT NUMBER S OF TRAINED FOREST INVESTIGATORS, (5) LACK OF INCENTIVE FOR EFFECTIVE PERFORMANCE.**
- **CII TOOK INITIATIVE SEVERAL MEETING WITH ENFCORCEMENT AGENCY IN PAPUA (ARMY, NAVY, POLICE, FCI-NATURE CONSERVATION AGENCY & FORESTRY SERVICES, PROSECUTOR, JUDGE) & NGO'S TO MINIMIZE FOREST CRIMES. SIGNIFICANT RESULT WERE "CALL FOR ACTION"**
- **GOVERNOR OF PAPUA ISSUED DECREE NO.50/2003 FOR INTEGRATED TEAM TO COMBAT ILLEGAL LOGGING IN PAPUA AND CONSIST 22 INSTITUTIONS WITH PAPUA FORESTRY SERVICES AS A TEAM LEADER**
- **JULY 2004 CI, ICS AND PAPUA FORESTRY SERVICES TOOK INITIATIVE TO ORGANIZE MEETING FOR INTEGRATED TEAM TO COMBAT ILLEGAL LOGGING AND THE SIGNIFICANT RESULTS WERE ACTION PLAN AND WORKPLAN FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION**

# **RECOMMENDATIONS**

## **A. OVERARCHING ENFORCEMENT STRENGTHENING**

- \* ADAPTIVE MANAGEMENT AND MONITORING(CTS)**
- \* STRENGTHEN OF THE PUBLIC AND NGO'S**
- \* IMPROVE INTER-AGENCY COOPERATION**
- \* CREATE AND STRENGTHEN POSITIVE INCENTIVE FOR ENFORCEMENT AGENTS**

## **A. TRAINING/CAPACITY BUILDING FOR ENFORCEMENT AGENCY**

## **B. ENFORCEMENT POLICY AND PROCEDURAL REFORM**

# CONCLUSION

- **ILLEGAL LOGGING COMES FROM DIFFERENT SOURCES (OVERCUTTING IN LOGGING CONCESSION, CONVERSION OF FORESTS, LOGGING INSIDE CONSERVATION AND PROTECTION FOREST)**
- **NEED SEVERAL ACTION IN ORDER TO INTEGRATED TEAM GET FULL SUPPORT AND TRUST**
- **POLITICAL SUPPORT AND POLITICAL WILL FOR INTEGRATED TEAM TO COMBAT ILLEGAL LOGGING**
- **ILLEGAL LOGGING IS STRATEGIC ISSUE AND EXTRAORDINARY CRIMES WHICH NEED SERIOUSLY ATTENTION AND CONTRIBUTION FROM ALL LEVEL (LOCAL, NATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL)**

# ILLEGAL LOGGING ACTIVITIES



Camp logging in Sorong

Damage of illegal logging





## Community concession in Sorong



# Asean Premier in Sorong



# Tugboat Sukaria Bersama in Sorong





Skouw-Logging  
border Papua-PNG



Logging inside  
protected area

THANK YOU

