

## LETTER OF AGREEMENT

between

The Natural History Museum,  
Cromwell Road, London SW7 5 BD, United Kingdom  
and

Research Center for Biology, Indonesian Institute of Sciences,  
Cibinong Science Center, Cibinong 16911, West Java, INDONESIA

The Natural History Museum (NHM) and Research Center for Biology, The Indonesian Institute of Sciences (RCB-LIPI), hereinafter is called the Parties, have reached the following agreement for promoting research work in the field of fresh water fish biodiversity in Indonesia.

1. The Parties shall endeavor to realize the following research collaboration including exchange of scientists and materials related to scientific research and education.
2. The NHM has assigned Dr. Lukas Ruber and the RCB-LIPI has assigned Dra. Renny K. Hadiaty as being responsible for executing research collaboration and scientific meetings.
3. The Parties shall collaborate on the research project entitled "Evolutionary Diversification in a Biodiversity Hotspot: the Southeast Asian Peat Swamp Forest Fish Fauna". The main aim of this project is to collaborate on joint field collections of peat swamp forest fishes and their scientific study in systematic and evolution. The stated activities will be realized after mutual agreement between the NHM and RCB-LIPI.
4. The costs for the fieldwork including travel, accommodation, and the counterpart fees will be covered by Dr Lukas Ruber's Natural Environment Research Council (NERC) grant.
5. The agreement can be revised by mutual agreement between the Parties.
6. This agreement will be effective after the date of signature by the representatives of the Parties, and will be valid for two years. After date of expiration if there are no objections from either side, this agreement will be renewed.
7. Any Intellectual Property Right (IPR) brought by one of the Parties for the implementation of research work under this Letter of Agreement shall remain the property of that Party.
8. Any special condition applying particular cases, such as exception, additional terms and so forth, should be determine by two parties and should be implemented in the form of technical agreement, as an integral part of this agreement.
9. This agreement is written in English in duplicate, both texts being equally authentic.

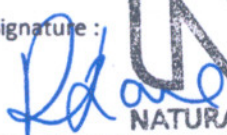


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