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Mr. Gao Zhengwen, deputy director general of the Department of Ecological Environment of Yunnan Province give opening speech

2019 Lancang-Mekong Cooperation Week

Lancang-Mekong Roundtable Dialogue on the Outlook for Strategic Environmental Assessment was held in Kunming

On March 20 to 22, 2019, the Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Roundtable Dialogue on the Outlook for Strategic Environmental Assessment was held in Kunming, Yunnan Province as a series of activities of the Lancang-Mekong Week in 2019. The meeting was sponsored by the Ministry of Ecology and Environment of China, supported by the Lancang-Mekong Cooperation China Secretariat and Yunnan Provincial Department of Ecology and Environment, and organized by the International Environmental Cooperation Center of the Ministry of Ecology and Environment/Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Center. More than 100 participants participated in the meeting.



Group Photo of Participants

Representative of Department of International Cooperation of the Ministry of Ecology and Environment, Mr. LIU Chunlong, Deputy Director General of International Environmental Cooperation Center of Ministry of Ecology and Environment /Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Center, AKKHARATH Inthavy, director general of Water resources of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment of Laos, and Mr. Gao Zhengwen, deputy director general of the Department of Ecological Environment of Yunnan Province, attended the meeting and delivered opening speeches. Mr. Yang Shaocheng, Director of the Regional Cooperation Office of Yunnan Provincial Foreign affairs' Office, attended the meeting as a special representative of the Lancang-Mekong Cooperation China Secretariat.



Green Lancang-Mekong Initiative: Equipment Donation Ceremony for Luang Prabang, Laos



Green Lancang-Mekong Initiative: Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Scholarship Programme Launching Ceremony



Panorama of the Roundtable Dialogue



The Comments and Discussion Session

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During the meeting, the "Green Lancang-Mekong Initiative-Demonstration for Promoting Environmental Monitoring Capability of Luang Prabang, Laos: Equipment Donation Ceremony" was held. The International Environmental Cooperation Center of the Ministry of Ecology/Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Center, Yunnan Department of Ecology and Environment and Luang Prabang Provincial's Nature Resources and Environment Department, Laos signed the certificate for donation of environmental monitoring equipment.

The "Green Lancang-Mekong Initiative: Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Scholarship Programme" was jointly launched by International Environmental Cooperation Center / Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Center and Guangxi Bossco Environmental Science and Technology Co., Ltd. It will enhance the environmental capacity-building level of Lancang-Mekong countries through thematic training, joint research and personnel exchanges.

The representatives of Lancang-Mekong countries reached the following consensus:

- To carry out specific project cooperation under the guidance of the *Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Strategy*;
- To jointly organize and implement the flagship project of the Green Lancang-Mekong Initiative, and to promote concrete and pragmatic cooperation through environmental policy dialogue, capacity-building for environmental governance, joint research and demonstration projects on environmental management to promote the Lancang-Mekong environment cooperation.
- The cooperation network enriches the forms and contents of Lancang-Mekong Environmental cooperation, promotes the participation and extensiveness of Lancang-Mekong Environmental cooperation, promotes the innovation and sustainability of cooperative projects, and promotes the deepening, refinement and strengthening of projects.

The Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Center will continue to play a bridge role, promote the practical and development of the Lancang-Mekong environmental cooperation mechanism, and promote the Lancang-Mekong countries to jointly build an eco-priority and Green Development-oriented Economic Development Zone in the Lancang-Mekong Basin.



About LMEC: Lancang-Mekong Environmental Cooperation Center (LMEC) is an initiative proposed by Chinese Premier LI Keqiang at the 1st Lancang-Mekong Cooperation Leaders' Meeting and was established on November of 2017.